

"ALLIES CANNOT BREAK THROUGH HERE," SAYS GERMAN COMMANDER ON THE SOMME TO TIMES CORRESPONDENT, VIEWING BATTLE

THINKS OFFENSIVE IS ENDED

Teuton Chief Expects
British to Keep On Trying
for Perhaps 2 Months.

VIVID TALE OF A BATTLE

Correspondent, Perched in Tree-
top, Watches Night Engage-
ment Against the French.

SHELLS ARE LIKE FIREFLIES

Thunder of Big Guns Rolls On
Unceasingly Through
the Darkness.

By CYRIL BROWN,
Staff Correspondent of THE TIMES.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
GREAT HEADQUARTERS OF THE
GERMAN ARMIES OF THE SOMME,
Aug. 15. (By courier to Berlin).—In
our days at the front we chose to linger
half a day with a regiment in the front
trenches, to spend an hour in tree top
artillery fire control, affording a good
daylight study of the whole French
Somme front, half a night on a tree
top fighting stand of a division, half
an hour going over the detailed staff
maps with the Chief of Staff of an
army corps, a morning spent with the
Kaiser reviewing the iron guard of
Brandenburg, the heroes and new first line
troops, and a day looking over the Ger-
man reserves ten and twenty miles back
of the front.

Chiefly I preferred to spend two even-
ings with the man of mystery, the Com-
mander in Chief of the German Armies
of the Somme, whose name is not even
known to the German people, and pre-
sumably not to the Allies. Accordingly,
I am not permitted to disclose it at this
time. Also I spent several hours in
conversation with the brilliant man who
is Chief of Staff of the Teutonic Somme
armies, Colonel von R., and with the
unassuming Prince of Saxony, who,
democratically holds the job of ordnance
officer in the General Staff of the Somme
armies.

Visit to the German Commander.

The Commander in Chief of the Ger-
man Somme armies is a gentle, kindly
soul in a grumpy, formidable shell. His
deeply wrinkled and amply warted face,
resembling that of a grouchy bear, is cal-
culated to strike terror into the heart
of the boldest American correspondent
if you have not been told beforehand of
his real character by the Commander in
Chief's staff officers. The blue Pour-
le-Merite gleaming at his throat and the
rare golden oakleaf clasp (the Kaiser's
highest recognition) gleam on his chest
as he sits in his study, his hands gently
caressing a photograph of his wife, who
he hadn't known his brilliant war
record.

He proved to be the most delightful,
most frank, and most outspoken Teuton
General I had ever met—under, to be
sure, ideal interviewing conditions, first
sitting beside him as he presided in pa-
triarchal fashion over his intimate staff
during a frugal supper and afterward
in the semi-darkness, the only light being
a single candle on a rustic table under the
gloomy French elms and chestnut trees
in the back yard of his chateau. This is
his favorite and only rest and relaxa-
tion, because of the ever-present menace
of French air-bombing attacks.

Has Great Praise for English.

Unlike the riproaring old Blücher von
Linsingen whom I recently met in Vol-
hovia the mysterious commander in
chief of the German Somme armies, his
essence of head seems too heavy for
him, his sinewy, stocky frame and he re-
minds you of the college bugbear—of a
ruthless professor of logic or mathe-
matics who delights in giving unpassable
examinations. And yet his appearance
was deceptive, for he answered all my
questions with inexhaustible, kindly pa-
tience. When breaking a long standing
rule in asking, "Are you prepared for
the French attacks?" he did not
dodge as some Teuton Generals have
done, but frankly confessed his inability
to answer. This indicated his extreme
conservatism, his confidence in the fu-
ture obviously based on no false pre-
mises about the Allies' weakness. Here
he took occasion to praise the clan and
brilliance of the French, clinging to a
highly disadvantageous tactical posi-
tion in the narrow wedge on the Somme.

I asked him if the English part of
offensive showed any signs of weaken-
ing. "No," he answered. "The English are
tough. One must be just to one's
enemies: one must see them as they are.
The English have not lost hope of suc-
cess as yet. Despite their very heavy
losses which are known to me they come
back again and again. They are stu-
born. One has to give them credit. One
has to give them credit for trying
again and again to break through my
front. The English soldier is a worthy,
excellent soldier, but his newer leader-
ship is not 'on the heights'."

"How long will the English offensive
last?" I asked.
The offensive has been stopped, the
crucial point is past. But the English
will keep on with their hopeless offensive
for at least another month, probably for
two months, perhaps longer. They are

British Troops Make New Attacks at Pozieres and Regain Most of the Ground Lost on Sunday

LONDON, Aug. 15.—The British troops have recaptured nearly all
the ground northwest of Pozieres on the Somme front which the Ger-
mans seized on Sunday night. The day report of the British War Office
says:

As a result of local fighting northwest of Pozieres during the last
two days we have retaken nearly the whole of the remainder of the
trenches in which the enemy gained a footing early Sunday. Last
night we also forced an entry into the enemy's trenches near Mouquet
Farm, returning to our lines with eleven prisoners.

On the right flank two attempts by small hostile detachments to
raid our trenches were repulsed, with loss to the enemy.

Northwest of Hulluch the enemy exploded a small mine. We oc-
cupied the crater. Last night a feinted raid on the enemy's trenches
south Armentieres caused much commotion in the enemy's lines, of
which our artillery took full advantage.

The statement this evening has this to add:

There have been the usual artillery bombardments at various places
on the British front. The situation is unchanged, and there are no
important incidents to report.

On the French front, both north and south of the Somme, only the
artillery has been busy. The afternoon report of the French War Office
says:

On the Somme front our artillery displayed great activity in various
sectors north of the river and in the districts south of Belloy and Estrées
and north of Libons. South of Belloy a German reconnoitering party
was dispersed by our rifle fire.

The night statement records only a lively cannonade south of the
Somme.

Berlin admits the loss of ground at Pozieres. The bulletin of the
German Headquarters Staff today reads:

Yesterday afternoon the British repeated their attacks from the
Ouvillers-Bazentine-le-Petit line, and continued them with the greatest
violence far into the night. They again obtained a foothold in the same
section of our first-line trenches on the Thiepval-Pozieres front from
which they were repulsed yesterday morning. Otherwise all their nu-
merous assaults, which followed each other at short intervals, broke
down completely, with very sanguinary losses in front of our posi-
tions.

The French repeated their fruitless efforts between Maurepas and
Hem.

Between the Ancre Brook and the Somme and beyond this sector
the artillery battles have not yet ended.

ITALIANS REACH GATES OF TOLMINO

Suburbs in Flames and Aus-
trians Said to be Evac-
uating the City.

FLEET SAILS FROM TRIESTE

Advance Guard of King Victor's
Army Reported Within Thirty
Miles of That Port.

MANY PRISONERS CAPTURED

More Intrenchments Stormed on
the Carso Plateau and to
the East of Gorizia.

ROME, Aug. 15.—

The Italian advance guard moved southeast from
Gorizia is within thirteen miles of
Trieste, whence the greater part of the
Austrian fleet has sailed for an un-
known destination, according to a mes-
sage received in Geneva today from
Buch, Switzerland, and transmitted
here. It is added that the southern and
western suburbs of Tolmino, on the up-
per Isonzo, are burning, and the fall of
the city is expected at any moment.

Confirmation of this is contained in
a dispatch from Turin to the newspaper
La Liberté of Paris, which says that
Italian troops have entered the suburbs
of Tolmino, which is under continuous
shell fire. The Austrians, says the dis-
patch, are evacuating the city.

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RUSSIANS BLOCK JABLONITZA PASS

Seize Town of That Name and
Reoccupy Two Villages
to South of It.

POUR ACROSS ZLOTA LIPA

Also Continue Passage of the
Bystritsa Despite Desperate
Efforts to Check Them.

GET 1,500 MORE PRISONERS

Advance Westward in the Upper
Strips Region Also is Continu-
ing, Petrograd Announces.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 15.—

The Russians have captured Jablonitza, one of
the most important gateways through the
Carpathians to the Hungarian plains,
and have taken nearly 1,500 additional
prisoners, according to an official state-
ment issued by the War Office tonight.

The text of the statement follows:
Our troops continue the crossing of
the Zlota Lipa under enemy fire,
which at many points hampers the
construction of bridges. Heavy artill-
ery and machine gun fire is being di-
rected against our works. In this sec-
tor we captured seven officers, 413
men, and three machine guns.

In the Carpathian woods at the
mouth of the Pruth the enemy, under
the cover of taking the night, has
recaptured Vorochta and Ardzieluf
on the Pruth, taking thirty-two offi-
cers and 1,000 men prisoners. Our
offensive continues.

An earlier official communication is-
sued in the morning contained the fol-
lowing information:
On the evening of Aug. 14 a German
Albatross appeared over the town of
Nesvizh. Staff Captain Krutepa, who
brought down an enemy aircraft, and
on Saturday, descended with his
machine, which was armed with a ma-
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aeroplane and drove it to earth in the
vicinity of Nesvizh. The pilot, who was
wounded, and the observer were cap-
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Our advance westward in the region
of the Upper Strips is continuing. On
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Says Germany Has Broken U-Boat Pledge; Crewe Tells Lords of Attacks Without Warning

LONDON, Aug. 15.—Baron Sydenham
inquired in the House of Lords today
whether the Government considered that
commanders of German submarines had
adhered to the declaration made to the
American Government in May in regard
to sinking vessels without warning, and
whether Austrian submarines were bound
by the same conditions.

The Marquis of Crewe, Lord Presi-
dent of the Council, replied that the
more public attention was called to the
"monstrous proceedings" of submarines
sinking ships without warning, it would be
possible to make a definite declaration
on behalf of the Entente Allies as to the
policy they proposed to pursue regard-
ing them, the better it would be from
every viewpoint.

The Government's information was
that since the undertakings have been
given to the American Government four

BIG NAVY PROGRAM ADOPTED BY HOUSE

Senate Plan for 16 Capital
Ships in Three Years Passes
by a Vote of 283 to 51.

35 DEMOCRATS OPPOSE IT

Leader Kitchin Calls It Waste and
Charges That Administration
Has Changed Front.

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—The Ad-
ministration forces, aided by an almost
solid Republican vote, brought about
the acceptance in the House today of
the Senate's big building program for
the United States Navy and thereby
assured the passage of the biggest naval
budget in the history of the Govern-
ment.

By a vote of 283 to 51, with 35 Demo-
crats, 15 Republicans, and 1 Socialist
voting in the negative, the Senate
amendment for the construction of six-
teen capital ships within three years
was approved on motion of Chairman
Padgett of the House Conference Com-
mittee.

Acceptance of the two principal Senate
amendments by the House practically
winds up consideration of the Naval bill.
Remaining items in dispute will be
quickly adjusted in conference and the
bill sent to the President. After ac-
cepting the big building program today
the House voted, without a roll call, to
accept the Senate amendment increasing
the enlisted strength of the navy to
67,000 men, instead of 61,000 as proposed
by the House.

The defense program, which approval
of the Navy bill by the House virtually
completes, has been the most important
achievement of the session, and has in-
volved appropriation of \$368,415,000.
In addition to the Navy bill, it in-
cluded reorganization of the regular
army and National Guard, bringing the
enlisted strength of the army to
220,000 men in time of stress, and provid-
ing a Federalized National Guard which
at full strength would total 400,000 men.
More than \$100,000,000 of this is for
development of aeronautics, and \$11,000,000
is for Government plants for the manu-
facture of munitions. The Army bill
also carried an appropriation of \$20,000,000
for a Government plant for the manu-
facture of munitions.

Coast Defense Improvement.
Provision was made for extension and
improvement of the coast defenses with
appropriations aggregating \$25,745,000.
To furnish needed officers in the army
and the navy the personnel of the Naval
and Military Academies were enlarged,
the President's evacuation Jablonitza,
and the Military Academy at
Lisbon.

For the Military Academy at
Lisbon a special appropriation of \$1,225,000 was
made, the full amount of which was
expended in the Naval Appropriation bill.
Congress also provided for the creation
of a Council for National Defense, com-
posed of Cabinet officials and citizen ex-
perts to co-ordinate the military, indus-
trial, and natural resources of the coun-
try.

In the Navy bill the President is au-
thorized, in the event of emergency, to
increase the strength of the navy to
67,000 men. Senate amendment
providing for 6,000 apprentice sea-
men, in lieu of 3,500 proposed in the
House bill.

Below is a table showing the construc-
tion authorized today as compared with
the original program of the President
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PRESIDENT TO NAME R. R. PEACE TERMS; WILL DEMAND MUTUAL CONCESSIONS; CALLS 600 UNION CHARMEN TO CAPITAL

Terms on Which the President Hopes to Avoid a Railroad Strike

In the hope of settling the threatened railroad strike, President
Wilson, after the second day's conference with both sides in the con-
troversy, proposed that:

1. The railroads grant the eight-hour day.
2. That the workers abandon their demand for time and a half
pay for overtime.

If these terms are accepted it will mean concessions by both men
and railroads. In order that the men may decide on their part of the
proposed settlement, the 600 union trainmen gathered in New York
have been summoned to Washington.

The railroad managers, as was the case Monday, made no state-
ment in Washington yesterday, but for the men A. B. Garretson, Presi-
dent of the Order of Railway Conductors, said:

The lamp of hope will continue to burn until some one kicks it over.
Nothing has been done and nothing undone. It is now up to the rail-
roads. The situation may best be summed up by saying, "Let us con-
tinue praying."

Union Threatens New City Car Strike, Charging Shonts Has Broken Faith

Committee Wires President of Street Car Men's Organization to
Hurry Back—Notifies Company That Agree-
ment Must Be Carried Out.

Special to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 15.—Done with
friendly advice and suggestion after
two days of appealing to the railroads
of the United States and the four rail-
way brotherhoods to make peace and
avert a national strike, President Wil-
son is framing a basis of settlement
which he will submit to both sides with
the notification that he is ready to go
to Congress, if need be, to prevent the
strike. The President's peace plan is
a compromise and is said to provide:

1. That the railroads grant the eight-hour
day.
2. That the workers give up their de-
mand for time and a half pay for over-
time work.

It was a surprise, almost a shock, to
the President to find tonight that after
two days of parleying "in which he
dropped almost all other business, both
sides refused to make concessions. The
President faced the fact, admitted by
both sides, that the situation was no
nearer a settlement than when he took
hold of it yesterday morning.

Neither Side Tractable.
Speaking for the owners of one-sev-
enty of the wealth of the United States,
the National Conference Committee of
the railroads refused to agree to the
men's demands, unless they can have
some assurance that the Interstate
Commerce Commission will grant an in-
crease of rates out of which to pay in-
creased cost of maintenance.

Speaking for the 400,000 engineers,
firemen, conductors, and trainmen, the
heads of the four brotherhoods, feeling
that they are masters of the situation,
refused to bargain for less than the
eight-hour day and time and a half for
overtime of the original demand, and
told the President that they had no
power within themselves to modify the
ultraconservatism of the workers. This, in
brief, is the set of facts that forced the
President to take the firm stand he has
decided upon.

When the President was told that the
brotherhood heads had no power to ac-
cept arbitration, that the power rested
in the 600 Chairmen now in New York,
he asked that all the Chairmen be
brought to Washington so that full
power for instant action on any proposal
he might submit might be at hand. This
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men was given as the reason for the
postponement of a further conference
with the brotherhoods until Thursday.
The Chairmen could not be brought to
Washington tonight, it was said, because
of the impossibility of obtaining sleep-
ing cars for 600 men on short notice.

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was said late tonight that he had or-
dered the Chairmen to come to the
capital.

The War Department issued an order
today that because of the danger of the
railroad strike, all movements of troops
to the Mexican border be sus-
pended. The action was taken follow-
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good, that if the strike should be called,
not only the troops but the civilian
population along the border would be in
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Plea for Permanent Peace.
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that the plan provides that the railroads
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that the workers shall give up their
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ers for the eight-hour day the same pay
they now get for the ten-hour day, but
a material reduction in the amount of
wages contemplated in the men's origi-
nal demands. The difference can be il-
lustrated with an engineer who has a
ten-hour run. If he receives \$4 for this
run now on a ten-hour basis, on the
eight-hour basis he would receive the \$4
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COUNT ANDRASSY
MAY SUCCEED BURIAN

Report That He Has Demanded
Guarantee of Hungary's
Political Integrity

political integrity.

LONDON, Wednesday, Aug. 16.—Count Julius Andrássy has refused to succeed Baron von Burian as Austrian Foreign Minister without guarantees from the Emperor that the political integrity of Hungary shall be respected, according to a Rome dispatch received here. The dispatch says that the Emperor hesitates to concede such guarantees.

Reports from Vienna by way of Genoa state that Baron von Burian has already resigned, but no official con-

firmation of his resignation has been received here. His interest is shown in the possibility of Count Andrássy taking office as Foreign Minister, as he is supposed to be a strong advocate of Austria making a separate peace, and was formerly credited with being a warm admirer of England and English institutions.

4500 ROOKIES EXPECTED AT NEXT MONTH'S CAMP

Signing of Bill To Pay Their Expenses, It Is Said, Will Stimulate the Enrollment.

Special to The New York Times.

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Aug. 15.—Next month's training camp may be the largest in the history of the army.

est that has been held in this country, army officers here said today in denying reports that it would be abandoned. Preparations are being made to accommodate 4,500 men, which is 1,400 more than there were in last month's senior camp.

Although the number may fall short of 4,300, there is every probability that the signing of the appropriation bill, paying the expenses of those who attend the training camps, will have a decided effect on the enrollment. So far about 1,500 men have enrolled.

General Wood, who is in New York, telegraphed to headquarters today to

The members of the present camp are taking up the work so enthusiastically that they have found their present hours unsatisfactory and have asked the camp officers to put taps half an hour earlier, 10 o'clock instead of 10:30. The new schedule went into effect tonight.

There are few rookies to be seen in the streets of Plateau after dark this morning. The men are in the streets, but the men stay in their tents and read up on the drill regulations and their rifle instruction book. They are by far the best of the new recruits. They have had so far, one of the officers said tonight.

Extended order drill and sub-calibre rifle practice took up most of the time today. The work on the rifle ranges starts on Saturday for the Eighth Regiment.

Captain Brown, the commissary officer, said today that a railroad strike would have little effect on the running of the camp. The commissary provisions are here for the whole camp, and there is enough food to last for some time.

Private Peter Murray, the camp com-

Auto Tour to Boom Highways.
Special to The New York Times.
DETROIT, Aug. 15.—J. Walter Drake of Detroit is donating to the good roads movement an automobile tour, which will start Aug. 26 from the National Capitol and visit the capital of every State in the Union to promote interest in improved roads and capital to highway in all parts of the country. The tour, which will last about two weeks, Aug. 28, will carry four men. A distance of approximately 25,000 miles will be covered, and throughout the trip a

IN NEW JERSEY.

BAYONE.—Arthur Bishop, 10 years old, of 1512 Louis Place, Brooklyn, whose body was found four days ago, was a passenger on the Jersey Central at Avenue A on Monday, was identified yesterday by his relatives and taken to his home.

NEWARK.—Mrs. Catherine Fourth of 41 Duryee Street yesterday celebrated her 102d birthday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Ball. Her son, fourteen, her grandchildren, twenty-seven grand-grandchildren, and one great-grandchild attended the celebration.

ELIZABETH.—A delegation from this city

will call on Dr. Peter J. Gibbons of 300 Madison Avenue, New York, this morning to discuss the details of the purchase of America's first submarine. If Katsube secures the submarine it will be mounted at the rear of the building on the 100th story yards, where the inventor spent many years planning its construction.

MONTECLAIR—Thirty-nine motorists, who were arrested last night by the New Jersey State Police, were fined by Recorder Henry L. Voet yesterday, charged with violating the State automobile lighting laws. The majority of the motorists were fined while the others paid fines not exceeding \$1 apiece. They were arrested for failure to stop at red lights.

HACKENSACK—Alexander H. G. Maidment, the lawyer who was arrested on a charge of embezzling \$45,000 belonging to Morris Lillian, was released yesterday on \$1000 bail for a month, was released yesterday on \$1000 bail, seven men signed the bond.

ORANGE—

the closed Mutual Trust Company have become interested in plans for the formation of a new bank in the city. The president of Abram S. Overmiller, have promised to lend stock to the amount of \$20,000.

SOUTH ORANGE.—The Rev. John Sheerin of the French Mission, St. Elizabeths of Bayonne were ordained yesterday in the sanctuary at Seton Hall College in this place. The Rev. Sheerin is a native of Ireland, and became a convert to Catholicism several years ago. Both will teach music.

NEW BRUNSWICK.—The First Baptist Church yesterday extended a call to the Rev. Horace A. Hulston, assistant pastor of the First Methodist Church of New York City, to succeed the Rev. Newton A. Merritt as its pastor.

ROSELAND.—The death sentence of Dominic Crivelli, known also as "Tom Ross", who murdered his wife, was yesterday commuted to life imprisonment.

ATLANTIC CITY.—A 10 per cent. increase in wages will be granted to 10,000 men in the glass-blowing industry on Sept. 1, according to the decision of the representatives of the National Glass Bottle Manufacturers Association and the Glass Bottle Blowers Union, now in conference here. The increase will continue for a year.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

Stocks Higher and More Active

—Confidence Felt in Avoidance of Strike.

The stock market yesterday was more

uniformly strong than it had been the day before. It was also considerably more active. The attitude of traders and the Street generally was not based on new considerations, but rather on the increased emphasis laid on the factors which previously had asserted themselves as sustaining forces in the stock market.

The Street became confirmed in its belief that the railroad labor situation will be settled without a strike. That has been practically certain from the beginning, and at the outset there were many more people who doubted it than are doubting it now or who doubted it yesterday. That was the main influence back of yesterday's strength, at least in the sense that it was the influence about which people talked most and thought most.

Of equal importance, however, as a market influence was the expectation that the shortly to be announced British loan would have the effect of keeping off the market a large amount of stocks and bonds which, in the absence of such a loan, would be sold here to supply the funds which are constantly needed by the British Government to pay for the supplies which it is still ordering in very large amounts. This also was not a new factor, but it was one upon which increased emphasis was laid and which thereby gave greater market force. Bids made in channels through which American securities have flown to this country in large volume are no longer bringing out offerings as they formerly did.

Thus, practical confidence in the market given to the inference previously drawn from the prospect of a great British loan secured by collateral consisting in substantial proportions of our own stocks and bonds. There is no telling how many American securities which have been, or which may be, mobilized still remain unused. The amount is believed to be very large, but the pressure of such securities upon the market is much reduced by the process of using them as collateral for loans instead of selling them outright.

Aside from the repressive influence upon prices of a heavy foreign supply of our securities, which in itself is not a very important matter, the possession by our chief European customer of a large amount of securities negotiable in this market is of very great advantage to us. We have things to sell and England has things to buy, and it is fortunate that she has so much of a form of currency which is so eminently acceptable to this market. Thus, while the market is finding relief in the prospect that the placing of a large collateral loan will probably relieve it of the necessity for a time of buying back our securities, it is pleased at the same time reason to be pleased that France has the wherewithal with which to pay us for the securities which she is buying. She could not pay for all in gold, though she is paying for a good deal in that way. Another \$5,000,000 arrived yesterday.

Wall Street was reminded yesterday of the noteworthy success which attended the underwriting of the recent flotation of the American Foreign Securities Company's bonds through which a loan was made to France. The syndicate was closed and the underwriting profits distributed. The syndicate for the British credit was in process of organization, and it was thought that formal announcement of the loan might come at any time, possibly today.

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

TUESDAY, AUG. 15, 1916.

Total sales 556,845
Same day last year 556,845
Same day two years ago 556,845
Year to date 556,845
Same period last year 556,845
Same period in 1914 556,845

Stock	High	Low	Last	Change
Ala. Rubber	65	65	65	0
Ala. Coal Minn.	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	+ 1/2
Ala. Lumber	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	+ 1/2
Ala. Oil	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	+ 1/2
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 to be paid by the lessee from the date
 at the rate of five per cent. per annum,
 New York, August 6, 1918.
 WILLIAM L. O'DONNELL, Broker.



NATURAL

The Original Egyptian Cigarettes

A quarter of a century ago Turkish cigarettes were almost unknown in this country.

Then Schinasi Brothers, who knew Turkish tobacco the way Edison knows electricity, came to New York.

Put a leaf of Turkish tobacco into the hands of Schinasi Brothers and they'd tell you just what part of Turkey grew it.

Knowing where and how to get it, these two tobacco experts—Schinasi Brothers—began importing into America the best Turkish tobacco and introduced Naturals—the Original Egyptian cigarette in this country.

A quarter of a century ago Naturals were the first—and they're still the first.

*For a Quarter of a Century,
Made in the Schinasi Way—
the Quality Way.*

Schinari Bros

said that the federation would give the brotherhoods its moral support. Mr. Gompers is a close friend, both personally and politically, of the President and it is known that he is anxious that the President shall find a quick road out. He is anxious for all the representatives of labor to do what they can to aid the President. It was after the talk with Mr. Gompers that the labor leaders seemed especially favorably disposed toward the proposal the President will put before them tomorrow.

Non-Brotherhood Men Warlike.
In the meanwhile employees of the railroads not in the brotherhoods are sending petitions to the White House urging that there be arbitration, or some settlement of the issues, to the end that they who have nothing to gain, may not be thrown out of work by a strike. It was said tonight that petitions signed by more than 27,000 m. a. g. a. l. s. n. s. are being sent to the White House.

The Chairman left in two parties, the firemen and trainmen going on the 3:30 P. M. train on the Pennsylvania and the conductors and engineers on the 1:20 of the Baltimore & Ohio.

MEDIATION IN BOX STRIKE.
State Labor Department Moves for a Settlement.

SAYS

represent 80 per cent. of the railroad employees of the country, have reached the White House. The leaders of the brotherhoods say that these petitions mean nothing unless the railroads are responsible for them.

In all in all, the railroad managers are terrified and they know they have been in Washington in a long time. They don't know what to do. At midnight they must decide who will be the President tomorrow. While they have taken formal action not to grant the strike, they are not ready to be quoted as saying they would not consider their minds by 9 o'clock in the morning.

They have all along refused to believe in the possibility of a strike which

An investigation of the paper box makers' strike, which was declared on Monday, was begun yesterday by the State Labor Department with a view to settling the matter. Mr. Bealin, Chief Agent of the Industrial Commission, visited the headquarters of the union and also of the Manufacturers' Association.

"I have found quite a number on the list," said Special Agent Bealin, "as would be judged by the number of men who will be out before an agreement is reached."

Mr. Bealin's opinion was supported by

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labor so long fought, would not be accepted if capital agreed to it. They proposed arbitration to the brotherhoods in June; they proposed arbitration to the employers; they proposed arbitration to the United States Board of Mediation and Conciliation. They were willing to go to the President. They were willing to have arbitration by the Interstate Commerce Commission; they had arbitration by the Newlands Commission; they were willing to arbitrate without the guarantee that there would be a railroad man on the board. Leaving the President free to name all the arbitrators. And they still fight for arbitration for principle's sake. They say that the business of the

reports of the union that a dozen more shops with 400 workers had been closed.

At a meeting of the Strike Committee, it was decided to send out pickets and to caution the watchers to do their work peacefully. Union officials hoped that 90 per cent of the workers were women and children. It was announced that highway had been made impassable for the drivers.

Representatives of the manufacturers went to Police Headquarters in the afternoon and asked for more protection.

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country may not be thrown into chaos by unbridled strikes and threats. The railroad managers, who contend that the Interstate Commerce Commission should restrict the scope of the proper tribunal to consider what they regard as the correlated question of the interstate commerce clause, the argument of Chief Counsel Joseph W. Stafford in the matter of the Louisville & Nashville rate case, when he contended that the Interstate Commerce

broader powers and had thought to conduct the widest of investigations into the conduct of the union, including Milton H. Smith, President of the board, had refused to furnish the political activities of the Louisville & Nashville Attorneys for the road to the commission. The investigating merely the regulating of commerce, and that the commission should not go into the affairs of the road not directly related to the question at issue.

Mr. F. J. declared that the Interstate Commerce Commission was the agent of Congress to investigate all matters relating to the conduct of railroads. He said that the compensation of wages

being that practice "in so far as is being done with intent to molest, annoy, or interfere with any of the patrons, or to endeavor to have the employees join the strike," was served yesterday on the water pickets. "No additional papers were to the court's order, however."

John C. Gentry, an agent of the Walters' Union, and Henry Carless, counsel for the union, took the stand that the order did not forbid "political picketing," and that the striking picketers were "fully within their rights."

Bryan Pleads for Peace.

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Carter of the Firemen Also Condemns Attitude of Managers.

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WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—William Jennings Bryan sent to the heads of the brotherhoods today a telegram asking them to make peace with the railroads for the good of the nation. Mr. Bryan told now he thought the dispute should be adjusted. President Taft, in the telegram said of Mr. Bryan's telegram: "It's pretty good reading at that." The labor leaders' action will not be affected by Mr. Bryan's advice, they said.

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When he saw there was no more money he left town and the forgery was discovered. All this happened in enlightened New York within the past six months.

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DIES FROM SNAKE BITE.

Pittsburgh Instructor Nipped While Showing Rattlesnake to Pupils.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 16.—Gustav Link, for fifteen years taxidermist at Carnegie Institute, died today as the result of a bite which he received yesterday while showing a den of rattlesnakes to a class of students.

Link commented the fact that he had been bitten until after the class had left his room. He then told his assistants, who hurried him to a hospital, and there being no serum in the city to counteract the poison, two tubes were ordered from New York. It did not arrive until Link was dying.

Dr. Raymond L. Dittmars, curator of the Bronx Zoological Garden, when told yesterday of the death of Gustav Link, said:

"The serum tubes were sent to Pittsburgh as soon as we received word by long distance phone but they did not arrive there until about 8 o'clock in the morning. To effect a cure an injection should be made within two hours after the bite, to be followed by a second injection four hours later."

Mr. Link, it is evident, delayed attending to his wound for about an hour and by that time the poison had been widely distributed through his body. I have heard of deaths from a rattlesnake bite eight minutes after the bite.

They had a forty mile ride to my lectures for eighteen years, but I never boast about it as they are exceedingly dangerous."

Dittmars said the death of Mr. Link was the first case he had heard of this year due to the bite of a rattlesnake. He always keeps tubes of the serum in his home for emergencies," he added, "and about three weeks ago at 8 o'clock in the morning I was called upon to place several miles north of Brown King Mountain on the Hudson river. They had a forty mile ride and they reached my house before daybreak and two days later I received word the horse was recovering."

"I have heard from many sources through the East and within a few miles from New York that the number of rattlesnakes are increasing this year. I attribute it to the growth of the second crop. Automobiles are coming out of the woods off the main roads have often been surprised at the snakes they have seen. I have seen cars about as ascertained in the wooded picnic parties and at the slightest indication of rattlesnakes it is a part of wisdom to beat a hasty retreat."

LAMB DIDN'T TIP ENGLAND.

Custom House Man Not Responsible for Rubber Seizure.

British agents and not George F. Lamb, head of the Custom House neutrality squad, were responsible for the seizure of the rubber, according to the Norwegian liner Lyngsfjord last April.

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soften his game at the end of the

match, but Williams was evidently

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to try and finish off the points quickly.

Williams Within a Game of Victory.

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REASSURE UNITED STATES

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TOKIO, July 15.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—A version of the general of the recent Japanese-Russian alliance which is attracting considerable attention in this country is that the purport of the alliance was not the convention actually entered into by the treaty of Portsmouth which ended the Russo-Japanese war. It is affirmed that both the empires were dissatisfied with the terms of the treaty, believing that they did not sufficiently clear the horizon as to issues which might prove dangerous in the future.

Negotiations were accordingly opened after the first treaty was the accord of 1905, which concerned the respective zones of influence in Manchuria. In 1910 another agreement was entered into, which was the Russo-Japanese alliance. According to the Japanese, the proposal of the German Government for the construction of the Manchurian railroad was one of the questions which drew Japan and Russia closest together and brought about the accord of 1910.

In an editorial on the proposed naval expansion of Japan, the Tokyo Herald of Asia recently took issue with the view that the United States intends to put to the world a policy of peace. The writer stated that the Japanese proposal was not a peace proposal, but a proposal for a new alliance. He stated that the Japanese proposal was not a peace proposal, but a proposal for a new alliance. He stated that the Japanese proposal was not a peace proposal, but a proposal for a new alliance.

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The Nishinichi expressed the opinion that Americans who are displeased with the failure of America's diplomatic policy toward China since the famous Knox proposal have been made needlessly uneasy by the increasing friendship between Russia and Japan.

It was pointed out that the German South Pacific Islands are kept by Germany under the terms of the treaty of Versailles, and that Japan's attitude toward America should cause no uneasiness in that country.

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Miss Patricia Burke, California Beauty, a Bride in London.

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MARCELLUS WILL FILED.

Brooklyn Dime Bank President's Estate Goes to Widow for Life.

The will of John Lawrence Marcellus, who was President of the Dime Savings Bank, Brooklyn, was filed yesterday for probate in the Surrogate's Court. The will provided that the bulk of the estate was to go to his widow for life, with the residue to be divided among his children.

MRS. BUSH LEFT \$250,567.

Head of Terminal Company and Brother Will Share Equally.

The filing of the appraisal of the estate of Mrs. Sarah M. Bush, mother of Irving T. Bush of the Bush Terminal Company, who died intestate on Tuesday, was filed yesterday. The net value of the estate was \$250,567. The bulk of the estate consists of first mortgage bonds of the estate of Long Beach and Standard Oil.

LEFT \$10,000 TO EMPLOYER.

Servant in Home of Dr. Emanuel Baruch Cut Off Relatives.

The will of Mrs. Lina Matherly, filed in the Surrogate's Court yesterday, leaves an estate valued at about \$10,000 to Dr. Emanuel Baruch of 57 East Seventy-seventh Street, in whose home she had lived for many years. The will also provided that the bulk of the estate was to go to her employer, Dr. Emanuel Baruch.

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FINANCIAL MARKETS

Stocks Advance Further—British Loan Announced—Proofs of Prosperity.

Something like enthusiasm prevailed in yesterday's stock market. It was shown in the way in which United States Steel was bought in the many gains made throughout the list and in the large increase in activity which gave the Stock Exchange the broadest market it had had in a good while. The announcement of the British loan and the still strongly adhered-to belief that the railroad labor demands will be settled without a strike, continued to play the prominent part which each of them had previously taken in shaping stock market sentiment favorably, but there was an added factor yesterday in the shape of several dividend announcements giving tangible reflection of the prosperity which industry has enjoyed.

There is to be found in these three matters a pretty clear illustration of the forces which have been at work in the business and financial situation. We are called upon to do a great deal of financing for foreign markets for the reason that we are selling to those markets in unprecedented volume. This has done a great deal to augment prosperity in this country, and that in turn has brought unusual profits to our manufacturers and our traders. But with prosperity have come the usual problems, including wage demands which are an inevitable accompaniment of enlarged commercial activity. They are often looking upon us as annoying, but as a matter of fact, prosperity which did not bring with it an increase in the earnings of labor would not be prosperity in any true sense.

What the markets are called upon to do is to take all the elements of the situation into consideration, and, weighing them in the scales, to determine on which side the balance falls. It was clear from yesterday's action of the stock market that it took the view that serious disturbance in the country's machinery for transportation which is so intimately connected with the proper working of the machinery for production will be avoided and that we are in a period in which we are likely to realize more and more of the fruits of the activity which the country has enjoyed, is still enjoying, and may reasonably count on enjoying for an indefinite time to come.

We still have to take into consideration the offsetting factors which have exerted their influence heretofore, but part of the significance of what has been occurring in the stock market the last few days lies in the fact that it reflects a favorable modification of some of these offsetting factors. At the moment the change in this sort of market is the most influence is exerting of pressure from the securities markets to the extent to which American securities owned abroad are being borrowed on instead of being sold. The terms of the British loan, formerly announced yesterday, suggest a favorable change in this sort of collateral which will be liquidated and the loan thereby reduced, but there will be less pressure to sell these securities pledged in a loan than there would be to sell them had no such credit been arranged. That probably means that market favors the seller, and selling under these conditions is not an active depressing influence.

The extent of the pressure from which the American market has probably been relieved by the decision of the British Government to use mobilized securities as collateral for loans in this market is not to be measured by the \$100,000,000 of American investments used in this one transaction. It is far to assume that a further large volume of securities will be reserved for similar use when the need arises, and when occasion offers. That was considered only as a possibility so long as Great Britain continued to sell instead of hypothecating her mobilized securities, but now that a loan has been made on this basis similar use of other securities becomes a probability.

It was not from the news from Washington that the financial community depicted its contentment of the railroad labor crisis without a strike. Its conviction on this point is based on the belief that neither side can refuse to accept the proposals that President Wilson may make to save the country from the very grave embarrassment of a nation-wide strike.

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CLOSING RATES.

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

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Table with 10 columns: Bid, Ask, Last, High, Low, Net Change, and other stock market data.

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TOPICS IN WALL STREET.

Steel's New Record.

Steel common climbed another rung of the ladder leading to a new high record yesterday when it sold at 91 1/2. All previous records were surpassed back to 1907, when the shares rose to 94 1/2. Late profit taking sales lowered the quotation to 90 1/2, but the demand was good until the close of business.

Saxon Moves Forward.

Saxon Motor shares supplied a feature of curb dealings yesterday, gaining 3 points on transaction to 100 1/2. The stock stood 13 points above the minimum reported in the recent slump of the motor issues. The wave of bearish sentiment which followed the announcement of Henry Ford's price for 1917 had special reflection on Saxon Motor, and selling continued to be more pronounced than buying until the information came from an official source a few days ago that the company had orders closed which made certain a substantial increase in production in the coming month.

The Fall of Gold.

Gold has been coming in so rapidly of late that the Treasury is in advance of the Department of Commerce reports has become difficult. From Ottawa the streams flow to this port direct from London, and South African gold has been reported entering at another seaport. The announcements made at the Assay Office on the day when shipments are received frequently contain estimated totals because of the time required to unpack and weigh the gold. On Tuesday it was said that the government institution that about \$5,000,000 had been delivered from a steamer. Yesterday approximately \$3,000,000 came in from another vessel from London, making about \$12,500,000 received for the week and \$22,750,000 for the movement. At the current rate of imports, it is seen, the \$300,000,000 mark would be reached around Oct. 1.

Employment and Wages in New York.

The bulletin of the State Department of Labor, describing the labor market in the principal industries in June, shows an increase of 16 per cent. in the number of workers employed and a gain of 51 per cent. in the wages paid over the same month last year. An increase in both figures was also reported in the number and 31 per cent. in wages. Comparing June with June, 1914, the latter reflecting pre-war conditions, the gain for June, 1916, was 13 per cent. in the number and 30 per cent. in wages paid over the same month last year.

LONDON MARKET IS STEADY.

Money in Good Demand and Discount Rates Are Firm.

LONDON, Aug. 16.—Money was in good demand and discount rates were firm on the stock market today. The revenue returns indicate that \$105,000,000 was raised last week by short term borrowing.

British funds were dull owing to the poor response to the New South Wales loan of \$12,500,000 at 5 1/2 per cent., which was quoted at 1 per cent. discount.

Japanese and Chinese bonds ruled steady, while Kafirs were in good demand.

There was very little doing in the American market, but the general tone was steady. Canadian Pacific shares, however, were rather easy.

Trading Quiet on Paris Bourse.

PARIS, Aug. 16.—Trading was quiet on the Bourse today. Three per cent. rentes 98 francs 70 centimes for cash. Exchange on London 28 francs 17 1/2 centimes. Five per cent. loan 80 francs 90 centimes.

METAL MARKET REPORT.

Prices were quoted on the metal market yesterday.

Gold, \$190.00; Silver, \$1.25; Copper, \$1.10; Tin, \$1.20; Lead, \$1.10; Zinc, \$1.10; Nickel, \$1.10; Iron, \$1.10; Steel, \$1.10; Aluminum, \$1.10; Brass, \$1.10; Bronze, \$1.10; Pewter, \$1.10; Cast Iron, \$1.10; Wrought Iron, \$1.10; Sheet Iron, \$1.10; Pig Iron, \$1.10; Cast Steel, \$1.10; Wrought Steel, \$1.10; Sheet Steel, \$1.10; Pig Steel, \$1.10; Cast Aluminum, \$1.10; Wrought Aluminum, \$1.10; Sheet Aluminum, \$1.10; Pig Aluminum, \$1.10; Cast Brass, \$1.10; Wrought Brass, \$1.10; Sheet Brass, \$1.10; Pig Brass, \$1.10; Cast Bronze, \$1.10; Wrought Bronze, \$1.10; Sheet Bronze, \$1.10; Pig Bronze, \$1.10; Cast Pewter, \$1.10; Wrought Pewter, \$1.10; Sheet Pewter, \$1.10; Pig Pewter, \$1.10; Cast Iron, \$1.10; Wrought Iron, \$1.10; Sheet Iron, \$1.10; Pig Iron, \$1.10; Cast Steel, \$1.10; Wrought Steel, \$1.10; Sheet Steel, \$1.10; Pig Steel, \$1.10; Cast Aluminum, \$1.10; Wrought Aluminum, \$1.10; Sheet Aluminum, \$1.10; Pig Aluminum, \$1.10; Cast Brass, \$1.10; Wrought Brass, \$1.10; 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Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—In a statement made to the Senate Committee on Finance today, the Treasury Department estimates that the Government's expense for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1917, will aggregate \$1,128,243,000, inclusive of \$130,000,000 caused by the Mexican situation and the mobilization of the National Guard on the border. This \$130,000,000, it is estimated, will pay the expenses of border service and mobilization only to Dec. 31, 1916, and if the conditions growing out of the Mexican situation continue beyond that time an additional expenditure of \$88,000,000 will be necessary.

No provision for meeting this extraordinary expenditure has been made in the general revenue bill, passed by the House last month and reported to the Senate by the Finance Committee yesterday. In submitting a formal report on the bill today, Democratic members of the Finance Committee say that, in their opinion, occurred in by the Treasury Department, the \$130,000,000, on account of the Mexican situation should be financed by a bond issue.

The Treasury Department estimates that the receipts of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1917, will be \$1,098,243,000, making the excess of disbursements over receipts \$30,000,000. Of this excess amount, due to the preparedness legislation and the Mexican situation, \$205,000,000 will be realized during the year it is estimated, by the increased taxation, provided for in the general revenue bill about to be enacted. Deducting the expense incident to the Mexican situation, there remains a deficit of \$29,243,000. This, the Finance Committee says, can safely be taken from the general fund of the Treasury, which at the close of business yesterday amounted to \$134,337,895.

Temporary Treasury Payments.

In the meantime the current expenses of the National Guard mobilization and other expenses incident to the Mexican situation will be paid out of the Treasury, but, as was explained tonight by Chairman Simmons of the Senate Finance Committee, in the expectation that the extraordinary expenditures on account of conditions along the border will be paid for by a bond issue.

In their report on the revenue bill, the majority members of the Finance Committee say:

"The increase in the appropriations for the present fiscal year, other than for these extraordinary expenses, is not beyond the normal increase."

Sharp issue with this statement is taken by the Republican members of the Finance Committee in a minority report on the general revenue bill, also filed today. The minority contends that there has been an increase in appropriations by Congress this year of \$304,000,000 over the \$1,118,000,000 appropriated last year, and that, deducting \$300,000,000 for what may be termed preparedness, this Congress has made appropriations of approximately \$204,000,000 more than any preceding Congress.

PUSHING AUSTRIANS OFF CARSO PLATEAU

Italians Holding Back on Lower Isonzo Till Line to the North Is Straightened.

ROME, Aug. 17.—The Italian army is being held back on the Lower Isonzo until the line on the Upper Isonzo can be straightened by the capture of the mountains of San Gabriele, San Mario, and other positions lying between Tolmino and Gorizia. While the capture of these mountains is regarded as imminent, there probably will be no advance upon Trieste until they have been taken.

The Austrians are being forced off the Carso Plateau before spirited attacks of the Italian troops, roused to enthusiasm by recent victories. Pierce fighting for the heavy guns which have been barring the way to Trieste is in progress. The great guns are being placed in position in caves on the mountainside.

In taking Saint Grado on Monday the Italians offered to let one of the gun crews surrender, but the Austrians flourished a mandolin in derision, the Austrians often calling the Italians merry mandolin players. The Italian infantry detachment charged and bayoneted the whole gun crew.

The following official statement was issued by the War Office tonight:

On the Lower Isonzo our artillery and trench mortars were active against the enemy lines. We repulsed an attack on the Carso, taking 100 prisoners, including four officers. In the Tolmino area our batteries shelled the railway station, which we repulsed effectively.

Our train aeroplanes bombarded the railway station at Reitenberg, on the Gorizia-Trieste line, with good results. All of our machines returned safely.

SAYS U-BOAT WARFARE IS IN FULL SWING AGAIN

The Temps of Paris Asserts That Allied Merchantmen Will Not Be Dismayed by Fryatt's Fate.

PARIS, Aug. 17.—Germany's submarine warfare against merchant ships is again in full swing, according to the naval expert of the Temps.

The newspaper says the new campaign follows the German note to the United States of Feb. 10, in which it was said: "Merchant ships carrying cargo cannot be considered as peaceful vessels." The note stated that the German Government was now relying under this note, and says that three days ago the Italian ship Plata repulsed with gunfire attacks of an enemy submarine. The article concludes with an emphatic declaration that a similar course will be followed by other commanders of allied merchant ships, undismayed by "the murder of Captain Fryatt."

LONDON, Aug. 17.—The British steamer Whitgift, previously reported missing, is now understood to have been torpedoed and sunk on April 20," says Lloyd's.

The sole survivor was a Japanese.

The Whitgift sailed from Almeria, Spain, April 12, for the Tyne, and was last reported as leaving Gibraltar on April 13. She was a vessel of 4,307 tons, and was owned in London.

3 KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENTS

A Number of Others Are Seriously Hurt in and About New York.

Three persons were killed and a number seriously injured by automobiles in and about the city yesterday.

Carmello Maal, 10 years old, of 336 East 105th Street, was run over and killed yesterday afternoon at First Avenue and 104th Street by an automobile truck owned by the National Towing Supply Company and driven by John Penabazola of 433 East 117th Street.

Abraham Cooper, 60 years old, died yesterday in the Mount Sinai Hospital in Montclair, N. J., from injuries received when he was thrown from an automobile which overturned after striking a tree.

James Connors, 10 years old, of 10 Forty-third Street, Corona, L. I., jumped from a truck on which he was stealing a ride and landed in front of an automobile driven by Mrs. Lexie Bendix of 28 State Street, Flushing, L. I. He suffered injuries that caused his death yesterday at the Flushing Hospital.

The 56-year-old Frances Smith and Daisy Cassidy of Brooklyn, James Mallard of New York, and the chauffeur for Dr. A. Z. Moskowitz, of New York, are in the hospital at Flushing, N. Y., suffering from injuries received when their automobile turned over on Lake George Road near the Flushing Hotel. Miss Smith is severely injured.

Grigio Russo, 40 years old, of 240 Eleventh Street, died yesterday when he was struck by an automobile owned by John Hart, of 1227 Bedford Avenue, Brooklyn, and driven by Arthur Pick of 103 Forty-ninth Street, Corona, L. I. Russo was pushing the carriage of Miss Davis Street, Long Island City.

When Chester Alexander of Orange, N. J., drove an automobile over the sidewalk yesterday afternoon, striking a boy on a bicycle, he ran into a baby carriage containing the baby of Mrs. N. M. Crake, of 100 West 10th Street, New York City, and knocked the child over the fence. Continuing, he knocked over Ethel Crake, who was pushing the carriage. Both children were sent home after being treated.

Hilton and Michael Onalme were both badly injured when they were removed to St. Joseph's Hospital in Paterson, N. J., after a collision with a car, as the result of a Maine Line trolley car running into the automobile in which they were riding.

Philip Sheehan, 30 years old, of 22 First Place, Brooklyn, was badly injured yesterday morning when the automobile in which he was riding with four other men turned over on the Merrick Road in Springfield, L. I.

FOUR KILLED IN RIMINI

Earthquake Shocks Caused a Panic in Central Italian Towns.

ROME, Aug. 17, (via Paris, 12:20 A. M.)—The chief damage resulting from the earthquake which shook dozens of cities and towns in Central Italy yesterday morning was at Rimini, where four persons are dead and thirty injured. The military and civil authorities are caring for the injured and homeless.

WILSON GOES OVER MANAGERS' HEADS; CALLS PRESIDENTS

Railroad Strike Settlement Plan Refused, He Goes to Men in Authority.

WILL MEET THEM TODAY

President, if Again Rebuffed, May Appeal to Financial Interests Back of Roads.

MEN EXPECTED TO ACCEPT

Brotherhood Leaders Seek Advantages of Yielding to the President's Plan.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 17.—President Wilson's ultimatum for the settlement of the threatened railway strike, printed in yesterday's Times, was rejected this morning by the Managers' Committee, representing the railroads here.

Immediately, the President went over the managers' heads and called the Presidents of all the larger railways to Washington, to meet him face to face, hear his final word, and give an answer. Most of the railway Presidents will be here today.

There is every indication that if the railroad Presidents sustain their managers President Wilson will appeal finally to the financial powers which control the roads, for it is his purpose to deal with the ultimate authority before he gives up his efforts for a settlement.

In the afternoon Mr. Wilson talked for fifty minutes to the 640 Chairmen of the railway workers' unions, and gave them the same proposal that the managers had rejected. The Chairmen marched from the White House to their meeting hall, and, failing to ratify the proposals despite an hour's urging by their superior officers, adjourned to meet again tomorrow morning.

The President's telegram to the railway heads read:

"The White House, Aug. 17. Discussion of the matters involved in the threatened railroad strike has reached a point which makes it highly desirable that I should personally confer with you at the earliest possible moment, and with the Presidents of any other railroads affected who may be immediately accessible. Hope you can make it convenient to come to Washington at once."

"WOODROD WILSON."

The crisis hangs tonight on this point. Will the railroad Presidents back up their managers? Daniel Williams, President of the Baltimore & Ohio, when asked the question, said:

"I should think we would back up the committee, but we will make no final answer until after we see the President."

The 600 brotherhood chairmen marched to the White House at 3 o'clock today. They were met by the President and the Board of Directors, which Theodore P. Shonts, the President of the company, is a member. The representatives of the union thereupon announced that they would submit their case to the Board of Directors, and that failing to receive a favorable reply, would appeal to Mayor Mitchell and Chairman Oscar S. Straus of the Public Service Commission.

There was some question until late yesterday as to whether the chairmen of the company to have a quorum of the Directors present today, but James L. Quackenbush, President of the company, announced last night that he was practically certain that the Directors would meet.

Company Would Arbitrate.

Although the conference yesterday did not bring the two sides any nearer, it definitely developed the position and the position of the Public Service Commission on the issues in dispute. It also clarified the situation as to the possibility of a second strike of service employees of the New York Railways Company.

The New York Railways Company is willing to submit the question of the discharge of the forty-eight men to a board of arbitration. It is also willing to arbitrate every other question in dispute.

The Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees refuses to arbitrate the discharge of the forty-eight men, but insists that the forty-eight men be put back to work before any other issues are discussed.

The Public Service Commission, according to Acting Chairman William Hayward, does not believe that a deadlock in the negotiations over discharges would justify the calling of a second strike. He said that there is no possibility of a strike on any of the other issues in dispute, and that the only issue in dispute is the discharge of the forty-eight men.

The Public Service Commission is of the opinion, further, that both the company and the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees are within their rights in organizing their men, and both sides continued to press their efforts in this direction yesterday and last night.

The New York Railways Company completed arrangements for the election to be held by the sale of the islands and the street car men's organization held two mass meetings of employees of the company yesterday.

Union Men Arrive Today.

The meeting of the Interborough employees was held in Lyceum Hall, Eighty-third Street and Third Avenue, and of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company in Labor Union, 940 Willoughby Avenue, Brooklyn. It was announced at the meeting in Lyceum Hall that William D. Mahon, President of the street car men's union, would arrive in the city today, accompanied by Edward McCormack, President of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, and by a representative of the Executive Board.

Believe Submarine Bremen Is Captured; British Cruisers Seen Towing Strange Craft

The passengers who arrived yesterday from London on the Cunarder Alaula were confident that they had seen the new German commercial submarine Bremen in tow of two British warships off Deal on Sunday night, Aug. 6, when their vessel was at anchor in the Downs. The officers and crew of the Alaula admitted they had seen what they believed to be a captured submarine passing through the Downs, but could not say that it was the Bremen.

The Alaula was due to leave Tilbury Docks, London, on Aug. 3, but on account of a shortage in her crew she had to wait two days in the River Thames, and arrived in the Downs on Sunday about noon, where she was ordered to anchor. The Cunarder had no guns to protect her from the German submarines, and she had to wait there forty-eight hours while several armed merchantmen went to sea.

Just after dark on Sunday night two cruisers approached the Alaula coming from the Channel and towing a long, covered boat resembling a submarine that was slung on chaisse made fast on board the two warships. There were three destroyers astern and two ahead, and all seven vessels were steaming about ten knots through the Downs toward Sheerness, where there is a naval dockyard.

They passed close to the Cunarder, and made no attempt to evade the scrutiny of her passengers and crew, but on account of the darkness and the destroyers hovering about fore and aft it was difficult to get a good view of the craft that was being borne along between the cruisers.

One of the officers of the Alaula said the new German submarines were apparently being manned by green hands, a few of whom had been caught recently by the British patrol boats. The one which was sighted by the Cunarder evidently had been captured somewhere in the English Channel between the South Foreland and Beachy Head, the officer said.

UNION MEN TO MEET TRACTION DIRECTORS

Deadlock Over Reinstatement of Dismissed Strikers to Go Direct to Board.

HEDLEY SEEKS ARBITRATION

President Mahon on His Way Back Here—Interborough and B. R. T. Men Organize.

The New York Railways Company and its organized employees began formal, but inconclusive negotiations yesterday for a settlement of differences growing out of the recent strike, which until the meeting yesterday, threatened to participate another strike, following the charges by union employees that President Shonts had violated the consent brought about by Mayor Mitchell and President Oscar S. Straus of the Public Service Commission.

Yesterday's meeting, held in the office of Frank Hedley, Vice President and General Manager of the New York Railways, having failed to bring an understanding of the negotiations will be resumed at a meeting with the Board of Directors of the company today. The subject considered yesterday was the reinstatement of forty-eight men and conductors discharged by the company since the strike was settled on Aug. 7.

Members of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees asserted that these discharged violated the strike settlement, and demanded that the forty-eight men be put back to work.

Mr. Hedley, after listening to the arguments of the carmen, told them that he had no authority to act, the dismissal having been ordered by the Board of Directors, which Theodore P. Shonts, the President of the company, is a member. The representatives of the union thereupon announced that they would submit their case to the Board of Directors, and that failing to receive a favorable reply, would appeal to Mayor Mitchell and Chairman Oscar S. Straus of the Public Service Commission.

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SOMME FIGHT THE REAL DEATH GRAPPLE OF THE WAR AND MAY DECIDE CONFLICT, IS GERMAN VIEW OF TERRIFIC STRUGGLE

French Staff Officer Points to New Allied Gains as Answer to Assertion That Offensive Is Stopped

Special Cable to The New York Times.

PARIS, Aug. 17.—"As a result of yesterday's success," said a French staff Captain who arrived in Paris this morning from the Somme front, "Guillemont and Maurepas are under the allied fire from three sides. Their capture is now merely a question of time and artillery preparation."

"I am glad," he continued, "to have the opportunity to speak to American newspapers, in view of the extracts headed from messages of American correspondents visiting the German headquarters in Picardy."

"If contradictions were needed, is proof better than any argument? Since July 30 we, in three days, gained ground over two miles in depth on a four-mile front north of the Somme, and that at a cost absolutely trifling compared with what the Germans paid for their gains at Verdun."

"Just examine the battle front and you will see that we have steadily widened it since the beginning. That doesn't look as if the offensive had broken down, but on the contrary that it is ever growing toward full development. The difference from previous attempts is that this is a logical offensive. We aim at nothing we cannot reach; then make certain of our hold before advancing further."

"Already, between Maurepas and Clercy, we are tackling fortifications hastily constructed to link up strong 'points d'appui' of the German third line. It is evident that we are piercing the first and second. Such trenches are far less defensible than the armored labyrinthine forming the previous lines. Moreover, penetrating the weaker points enables us to work around the strong ones like Guillemont or Maurepas until we can batter them to pieces before assaulting with infantry."

"We know the method now. Success has become a matter of artillery hammering and teamwork."

"Thus yesterday the advance was preceded by two days of the most tremendous bombardment I ever heard. Verdun did not compare with it. And you must remember that mastery of the air lets us know the exact targets, while the German gunners are practically blindfolded."

The Captain, who took part in the assault beyond Maurepas-Clercy Road, said:

"It is difficult at many places even to distinguish where the German trenches have been, and as good a fighter as the 'Boche' has shown himself to be, you don't find him making desperate resistance in these shell holes, like our men at Verdun. Once the shelling and quickfiring have been demolished the German throws up the sponge readily enough."

When asked whether there had been a distinct weakening in the German morale, as the offensive progressed, the officer said:

"It is hard to say, for two reasons. First, the troops opposite any one point of our line are constantly being renewed, so that what one takes for lowered morale is often the inferior quality of the newcomers, while the next lot may be better. Second, our present system of limiting the advance after a gigantic bombardment has reduced the defenders to such a condition that it is impossible to judge what the morale would be in more equal fighting."

"The only indication seems to be the counterattacks. If that is a fair criterion, then their morale is weaker, for it is certain the Germans do not dispute our gains as they did before. They have doubtless learned prudence, but when it comes to counterattacks prudence is apt to be the mother of timidity."

SAYS ALLIES HAVE SUPREMACY IN AIR

French General Staff Planned Beat Off Determined Foe Near Outset of the Offensive.

Special Cable to The New York Times.

WITH THE FRENCH ARMY ON THE SOMME, Aug. 17. (Dispatch to the London Daily Chronicle.)—Perhaps the clearest and most important advantage the Allies have had in the Somme offensive is the dominant superiority of their air services.

It was an essential part of the plan of the French General Staff that this advantage should be gained at the outset, for the German, when he is driven out of the sky, is half blinded when the big guns commence their destructive cannonade of the German trenches.

Therefore, squadrons of aeroplanes were sent forward to bring down or drive back the German aviators and destroy their sausage observation balloons. Both sorts of raids were carried out with the utmost daring and success before the infantry advance began.

The familiar drachen had been either destroyed or hurriedly hauled down and the once formidable German pilots dared not show their noses over the French lines. In five days, on the British and French fronts, fifteen captive balloons were destroyed. Meanwhile the Allies' other squadrons were ceaselessly engaged in their several tasks of bombardment or observation over the German positions.

That such an important advantage should be secured is comprehensible. It is more difficult to understand how it has been maintained. I do not think that the allied aviators would suggest that German lack courage, though they are less daring than the French. Many of the best German aviators have been killed, while others, no doubt, are being kept on the Russian front, for a war of movement requires air scouts more urgently than the siege warfare of the west. Whatever the explanation may be, the fact is beyond doubt.

TEUTONS CONFIDENT OF ISSUE

Times Correspondent, High Up in Air, Views Entire 25-Mile Battle Field.

LIKE A HUGE CHECKERBOARD

Exploding Shells Seem to be Smoke Flowers That Bloom and Fade in a Moment.

GUNS BOOM IN CONCERT

British Artillery the Basso Profundo, While French Weapons Produce Staccato Tones.

By CYRIL BROWN.

Staff Correspondent of The New York Times. Special Cable to The New York Times.

ARMY CORPS HEADQUARTERS ON THE SOMME, Aug. 16. (via Berlin and The Hague, Aug. 16.)—I have had the opportunity of viewing the whole twenty-five-mile Somme front from a high vantage point, enabling me to round out my impression of the Somme battle by seeing what I had only heard on the tree-top artillery observation post.

[The "high vantage point" may have been an aeroplane, as a study of the context will show. Possibly the German censor would not allow the correspondent to write that he was taken up in an aeroplane.]

The far-flung parabolic battalions unrolled before me like a painted scroll. In the centre of the picture it was marked by the giant smoke pillars of burning tanks, when, as if turning wheels, German soldiers at the risk of their lives under the heavy French shelling were successfully dynamiting blocks of houses to stem the conflagration. Far to the north of the Somme the smoke pall of battle festooned the British front, and just north of the Somme there was a sea of smoke where the French and German artillery were grappling with drumfire desperation. Just south of Peronne was the village of Blaches in German hands, and close to it one of the burning points of the Somme battle, now smiling in sunlight and comparative calm, the small hill of La Maisonnette, whose toll in blood approximates the human sacrifices on the altar of Notre Dame de la Lorette which I had seen during the last vain battle for Lille.

Further south along the Somme front was a flash of spots already famous in the long battle, was the village of Bapaume firmly in German hands. Behind, held by the French, the French line the little "Star Wood," of bloody angle of the battle of the Somme where the German line held and prevented a further ripping up and tearing of the German front to the south, perhaps even a break through when adjusting the first line division, drummed to death and killed.

I could see the German and French first line trenches, of trenches chiselled sharply in the checkerboard pattern of the Somme landscape and even the French second and third lines, indicating that the French, too, are taking no chances and digging themselves in as if for permanent tenure. It seemed as if the battle of the Somme were already entering the last phase of trench warfare. A straight silver thread—the Somme Canal and the winding green edged river—was at my feet.

Little in this paradoxical peaceful picture indicated that it was the scene of one of history's decisive battles if you had not known that the white smoke flowers that thickly blossomed and quickly faded below you were bursting shells and shrapnel, and that the quaint daytime fireflies, flashing only for fractions of a second, were flashes of flame at the mouths of firing cannon. Railroad trains no bigger than mice columns were crawling like caterpillars, and signs of life did not relieve the incredible. It was hard to realize that the men who had shrunk to invisible points below you were fighting and dying for twenty-five miles in that fruitful, watered plain of Picardy. A transatlantic birdseye view of the battle fills you with a haunting sense of unreality which is hard to shake off afterwards. Hours later, when again smelling and hearing and seeing the Alle of war at close range you still find yourself subconsciously puzzling over the riddle of that lifeless but deadly battle front. It was a relief to get back to earth again.

Impressions of the Battle.

The battle of the Somme as I have seen it is replete with impressions of cannonading of incessant violence, of clouds of steel and sudden squalls of that wipe out whole villages in minutes, the hall of a thousand tornadoes crashing across the ruined countryside, ammunition that makes the mounds which I had seen at Verdun look like ant hills, mortar to capacity.

It is just like other battles except that on the Somme you cannot get away from it. It haunts you while you are being kept awake by the French aerobombs, follows you into the trench, is with you in the high tree-tops and aeroplanes and other high observation points. Pictorially here is the same old front, which has been seen and described to a point of boredom, but with a new sensation, the change of the top that has been seen.

A black and white photograph of a storefront. The building has a large sign on the left that reads "WOOD". To the right of the sign is a doorway or entrance. A person is standing in front of the entrance. There is a small structure or awning over the entrance. The image is somewhat grainy and has a high-contrast, almost graphic quality.

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rectors for today. Mr. Hedley said it might be difficult, the Directors being widely scattered, but he finally instructed W. Leon Pepperman, assistant to Mr. Shonta, to get as many of them together as possible. "There will be a meeting," said Mr. Mackenbach later. "Of course, I do not know as yet how many there will be here, as we cannot tell how many we can reach. I want to say that we are ready not only to arbitrate the question whether the dismissal of these men comes under the head of discipline, but

to arbitrate the right of the company to ask its employees to hold elections. We are willing to arbitrate every possible subject and to live strictly to our agreement."

ARMY TO HANDLE TRAINS.

Officers at Border Prepare Against Threatened Strike.

Special to The New York Times.

EL PASO, Tex., Aug. 17.—The United States army is preparing for the movement of troops and supply trains by disbanding the

listed men in the event that a general railway strike is called. This became known today when officers of the Quartermaster's Department listed all railroad men in the National Guard camps here and made special inquiries

NEW PATH FOR HUNGARY.
Future Prosperity Lies In Manufacturing, Apponyi Insists. -
BUDAPEST, Hungary, July 15, (Correspondence of The Associated Press).—Count Albert Apponyi, former Prime Minister of Hungary, presen

leader of the Opposition in Parliament, in an interview to-day said that Hungary's brightest prospects for the future lay along the path of manufacturing rather than agriculture; that to create a tariff wall which must eventually create a tariff wall which could protect her even against Austria, and that it was her moral duty to be present to oppose with all her power the present economic treaty between herself, Austria, and Germany.

Although Hungary has been steadily advancing as a manufacturing State, she is still one of the poorest in the times engaged in manufacturing.) is still thought of chiefly as an agricultural country. For it to be forced

to, or kept in, the same old position as agricultural country means eventually in Count Apponyi's opinion, at its cultural and economic advance will be unequal to that of Austria and Germany. Hence, the necessity of an eventual agreement that will include a tariff wall which shall protect its budding industrial advance.

Passengers Think They Passed the Deutschland Off the Banks.

BOSTON, Aug. 17.—The sighting of a large submarine believed to be the German merchantman Deutschland, off the Grand Banks last Saturday morn-

It was reported by members of the crew of the Warren liner **Sachem**, which arrived tonight from France and Liverpool. The submersible was traveling in a northeasterly direction at moderate speed.

Wallace Power, of Lynn, electrician of the **Sachem**, said that those aboard the liner saw the underwater craft plainly at a distance of three to four miles on afterward the submarine sub-

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curred.

Weather in Cotton and Grain States.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 17.—Forecast:
Car. S. Car. Ga.—Fair Fri. and Sat.;
moderate winds.
Fla.—Fair Fri. and probably Sat.; mod-
erate winds.
Ala., Miss.—Fair Fri. and Sat.; moderate
winds.
Ky.—Fair and warmer Fri. and Sat.
Ohio, Ind.—Fair and warmer Fri. and Sat.;
light winds.
Pa.—Partly cloudy and warmer Fri.
and Sat.; moderate s. e. to a winds.
Mich.—Fair Fri. and Sat.; moderate s.
e. winds.
N. C.—Fri. and Sat. fair in n.; unsettled in
portion.
S. C.—Clear, cool and not very dry.

Tenn.-Fri. and Sat. partly cloudy; unsettled on the Coast. Sat. unsettled; probable rain. Tenn.-Fri. and Sat. unsettled; probable rain in extreme w. portion. Ill. Mo.-Fair and warm Fri. and Sat. Tenn.-Fri. and warm Fri. Sat. partly cloudy. Minn.-Fair and warm Fri. Sat. partly cloudy, probably unsettled by showers and rain, afternoon of night. Iowa.-Fair and warm Fri. Sat. partly cloudy, probably unsettled in w., cooler Sat. night. Dak.-Fair and Fri., followed by showers and rain. Fri. and Sat. Dak.-Fair and warm Fri., followed by showers and cooler in w. Fri. night; Sat. probably unsettled in m. Neb.-Fair and warm Fri.; Sat. showers and cooler. Minn.-Fair and warm Fri. and probably followed by unsettled and cooler Sat. night.

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THE PEOPLE'S RAILWAYS.

The last few days have done more to convince the country that the railways belong to the people than the capitalists had accomplished in the same direction in a term of years. Statements by alleged malefactors that the railway shareholders outnumbered the men threatening to stop the railways' operations, and that the savings banks and insurance companies' investments in railway securities gave a paramount interest in railway prosperity to millions more than the membership of all the trade unions in the land, produced no effect. The railways continued to be regarded as an interest apart from the public. They belonged to somebody else, and were rolling in wealth while the interests of deserving workmen were suffering.

The threat to stop the wheels threw a revealing flash of light across the darkness of this delusion. In an instant the phrase that the railways are a public utility took on a new meaning. It is seen that the railways exist primarily for the service of the public, and secondly for the purpose of making a profit. The profit is allowed in order that the public may be served by railways. The threat to stop the railways is not primarily a threat at the railways. It is a threat, first of all, at the interests of those whom the railways serve. The intervention of the President is neither for nor against the managers or the workers. The President intervenes upon behalf of those whom the railways serve, everybody, including those threatening the disturbance. There is no politics in stating that the President represents everybody, so long as he does not take sides for or against either combatant and thinks solely of the public interest. The public must be served, regardless of the railways or the unions. Each side is justified in pressing its own interests, but must yield when it antagonizes public interests. Wages and profits earned by public utilities alike are affected with a private interest, but there is no way with us of telling when the private interest is affected, enough to become of public concern.

In Canada there is a system forbidding wage earners upon the railways to take such action as our railway men threatened until there has been an official inquiry and declaration of the facts. The President is acting upon that principle, putting the bargaining in the centre of the stage and compelling them to state their case publicly. Uninformed or wrongly informed public opinion is worse than none. Only accurate opinion is entitled to weight. The side with convincing facts will prevail as surely as Providence fights with the strongest battalions.

"PUTTING IT OVER."

Thursday afternoon, June 8, at Chicago. The Progressive National Convention has listened sorrowfully to Mr. Roosevelt's telegram and has cheered this passage, famous for most of all, already forgotten, forgotten most of all by Mr. HUGHES:

The professional German-American, acting through various agencies, including so-called German-American alliances, are at this time endeavoring to get the members of your convention that your action must be taken with a view to the interests, not of the United States, but of Germany and of that section of the German-American vote which is anti-American to the core. I believe with all my heart that the action of these sinister professional German-Americans will be repudiated with angry contempt by the great mass of our fellow-citizens who are in whole, or in part, of German blood—and who, as I well know, are unsurpassed in rugged and whole-souled Americanism by any other citizens of our land. But the professional German-American is seeking to terrorize your convention; for they wish to elect next November a man who shall not be in good faith an American President, but the viceroy of a foreign Government. It is for your convention, in emphatic fashion, to repudiate them.

A little later on the same afternoon, "I stand here," cries Mr. McDONALD, an "uninterrified" Michigan delegate, "for THEODORE ROOSEVELT, and I tell you they are putting it over on you again!"

As Mr. ROOSEVELT reflects on these strong opinions of his, expressed with equal energy on other occasions, and sees the man to whom he has tried to give, grant, and bequeath the Progress-

sive Party avoiding the hyphen as sedulously as a marauding mouse skeddaddles from the house cat, what regret, contempt, and anger must churn his soul! Where are "the policies of genuine Americanism"? His political legate has locked them up in a dark closet. All votes look alike to Mr. HUGHES.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT has "put it all over on" himself. He has been unboxed. His candidate is thoroughly "terrorized."

THE PHILIPPINES BILL.

The Philippines bill accepted by the Senate after a great deal of controversy over the changes in conference, and likely to be accepted by the House, is not a measure that will receive the approval of the people who have given the most thought to the problems associated with our Asiatic possessions. It gives the vote to 600,000 Filipinos who have not hitherto been enfranchised, and it is extremely doubtful if any large number of them are competent, at this stage of their development, to use it intelligently. There was no call for this offhand and wholesale extension of the machinery of self-government in the islands. The abolition of the Philippines Commission and the formation of a Senate of much larger membership are dubious experiments. The commission, made up of Filipinos of education and high standing, was doing very well. In fact, progress under the conditions now existing has been satisfactory.

Some of the other provisions of the bill are less imprudent. There may be a few chances for the better. But the Administration, which has fathered this bill and practically forced it through Congress, has assumed a great and needless responsibility. If the scheme works well there will be no cause for complaint. But there is evidence worthy of more consideration than it has received that the conditions in the Philippines are not yet ripe for the bestowal of so much power upon the natives.

As for the preamble, reiterating the promise of independence when the islands are fit for it, that means nothing. It is superfluous. It has always been the intent to grant independence to the Filipinos when they are prepared to govern themselves. That may be within the next half century, or later. Some of the Republicans called the preamble a lie. It is not so bad as that. It is an empty substitute for the rejected Clarke amendment granting independence within four years. For the failure of that foolish amendment, which would have been a lie, for we could not possibly shift our responsibility in the Philippines within so short a time, the whole country will be grateful, and so will the intelligent Filipinos.

THE TRACTION SITUATION.

The procedure of the street railway employees in the present dispute over the carrying out of their agreement with the company shows an improvement in tactics. They said yesterday that they would take up the subject with the Mayor and the Public Service Commission, the underwriters of the agreement. In case direct negotiations failed. They could do nothing better for themselves than to place their case in the hands of the official representatives of the people and rely upon the same public opinion which brought the traction companies to terms so quickly.

That agreement will be enforced in good faith, unless the men should be so misguided as to attempt to enforce it by their own sanctions. That agreement binds both parties to it. If the men wish their grievances redressed under it, they must abide by their agreement to arbitrate their differences instead of striking. In that manner they would sacrifice what they gained by the intervention of the Public Service Commission. Its intervention on its own initiative contrasts strongly with the aloofness of the Interstate Commerce Commission in the matter of the railway men's demands. Rates are not involved in other case directly, and only indirectly through the relation of earnings to profits. Either of these bodies had an option to stand aside, and not enter a "rough house," where blows must be given and taken, with few thanks. Our Public Service Commission did not fail to find something in the controversy which justified its initiative. The result is seen in a report which gains interest because of its issue just as the quarrel shows slumbering fire. The Commission says:

With public utilities, where the necessities of the people depend upon their operation, it should not be permitted to any group of men, be they employers or employees, to inconvenience and bring distress upon the whole people for the purpose of securing acquiescence with its views. This is to substitute coercion arising out of the necessities of the public for persuasion as a method for securing recognition of concededly nonarbitrable rights.

We have heard before that corporations and unions had nothing to arbitrate. Now comes the suggestion that the public also has rights not to be arbitrated. Just as there are citizens' rights not to be surrendered so long as this is a country of law, so there are public rights paramount even to citizens' rights, whether the citizens are capitalists or unionists. Both should have all their rights, but the public should have its rights first. Employers and wage earners alike have a right to differ as strenuously as they please, and each to put what pressure they may upon the other, within the law. But when

either side comes before the public it should be with clean hands. No capitalist who breaks an engagement with a union, no union which places its interest above the public's, can expect indulgence from the public.

A WAR WITHOUT NAPOLEONS.

When THE TIMES correspondent asked General Von MACKENSEN—if it is MACKENSEN who is in command on the Somme—what he thought of General Haig's leadership, he replied:

Haig has had no chance to show what he can do in the way of strategy. No General has had in this war, with the possible exception of Hindenburg, consequently the war has discovered and developed no great strategic genius. It is all tactical now.

It was such an answer as a professional soldier might be expected to make, but leadership and strategic genius are not always the same thing. MACKENSEN has military chess-playing in his mind. When a professional soldier speaks of strategy he has Napoleon in the back of his mind. Wars are many and Napoleons few, and there are many wars in which Napoleons are not needed. Not until the Union commanders had got Napoleon out of their heads did they get a workable plan of campaign. GRANT was accused of being a "hammerer," a "butcher," who had no strategy at all. His strategy, however, was the thing needed in that particular war. The move which ended the American Revolution was Washington's dash to the South, masked until after it was under way. It was simply a feint on a large scale, but it was the thing needed in that particular war. When Admiral SCHLEY was before his court of inquiry, his prosecutors, naval officers with professional minds, cross-examined him and all his witnesses to find out what his strategy was at Santiago, what his plans and orders for the ships of the squadron, knowing that he had none. CERVERA was running to the west, and the only thing to do was just to run after him and shoot. No commander, not NELSON himself, could have devised any other strategy; even the professional mind should know that.

Leadership is another thing. Not all wars give an opportunity for Kriegspiel, but very few wars can get along without great Generals, whether they have any chance to play chess with their armies or not. MACKENSEN is too modest. His campaigns, especially the one in Serbia, make his fame as secure as that of the Generals who fought similar campaigns, not of Kriegspiel, in the ante-Napoleon years of the French Revolution. Perhaps BRITISHOFF is no more a chess-player or a Napoleon than GRANT, but he has a genius for doing the thing needed. And even in this war there has been at least one opportunity for a man who could use the chess-board, besides the opportunities of HINDENBURG. MACKENSEN, as a professional man, should admire that move by which Joffre blocked the Germans and saved France at the Marne. If he does not think that was great strategy, he must admit that it was more than tactics. If it had been only tactics, the Germans would have foreseen it.

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error JOHNSON is violating the fundaments of common political honesty "in his position." Hear The San Francisco Bulletin define this reactionary's position:

WILLIAM BOOTH is nothing but a stalling-horse for the embittered brotherhood of the Get-John League, and the Get-John League is a pitiful branch of the society for the destruction of all that is democratic and idealistic and humane in American public life.

It is consoling to believers in idealism and JOHNSON to be told that "this ripple of reaction which has not 'flecked the surface in California has not changed the allegiance of the 'great mass of hard-working humanity' which six years ago found in him 'JOHNSON' a leader it was glad to 'follow.'"

In view of Governor JOHNSON's so remarkably economical and businesslike administration, he should be acceptable to Mr. HUGHES. Foss, BLEASIE, JOHNSON, three statesmen that, like the Himalayas, can't be kept down.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

The Government's \$200,000,000 nitrate plant project annoys the Chemical Society, which is in session at Niagara Falls. Congress is the best judge of the political phases of the subject, but the chemists are better authorities on nitrates. Their idea is that the Government should lay in eighteen months' supply of the natural product as an emergency measure. Furthermore the chemists recommend that no subsidy be given to the development of any process, but that private interests be encouraged to competition. As a means of encouragement the chemists urge a more liberal policy in regard to water powers, since the distillation process depends on cheap electrical current for their development.

That is expert opinion on nitrates, but it might not be bad politics, although suggested by political amateurs. The popularity of spending \$200,000,000 for nitrate plants is limited to those benefiting by the disbursement, and there is a fair prospect of a political profit considerably. There is even more popularity in cheapening water powers than in cheapening nitrates. The combining of the two plans adds strength to each, without the debts of either. As an emergency suggestion the \$200,000,000 idea is a minus quantity. It will be over the plant, produce nitrate powder stuff, even if all goes well. Preparedness meanwhile is as well worth considering as preparedness eventually.

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Our Commissioner of Immigration, Mr. Hows, recently spoke of attempts to hire immigrants upon their arrival at the dock. "Great numbers of immigrants," he said, "are good for nothing but the many munition factories have drawn laborers who otherwise might be found in the fields. Consumers who look only at the prices of grain and other farm products should bear in mind the fact that while there have been additions to the farmer's income his necessary expenditures for supplies, tools, and labor have been increased."

Why should the old hymns, the undying expression of the faith of our fathers, be rewritten to meet the advanced ideas of the present hour? If the old faith is dead, let us at least cherish its monuments. "I alter the words of Abide with Me," "Lead, Kindly Light," "Jesus, Lover of My Soul." In order to make the hymns conform with supposedly religious ideas more modern than those of HEER, NEWMAN, and WEBSTER, may not be sacrilege, but it is a literary misdemeanor which ought not to be tolerated.

The Boston Transcript protests not a bit too strongly against a Professor SIMON N. PATRICK's modernization of cherished hymns. As well attempt to modernize the recondite and the lich game. Let the religious architecture, art, and poetry of the past stand. If the advanced thinkers have anything to express in poetry except negation, let them find it in some modern form. We respectfully suggest very little.

INTEREST ON CITY DEPOSITS

Mr. Bruere Explains His Plan and the Present Practice.

New York, Aug. 16, 1916.
To the Editor of The New York Times:
In February, 1914, shortly after I became City Chamberlain, I sent out a request to the various banks serving as city depositories, asking them to quote rates of interest on deposits, with the following facts in view:

1. Heretofore the uniform rate of interest paid was 2 per cent.

2. An analysis which I had made showed that the deposits of the city funds ranged from \$20,000.00 to \$120,000.00, and averaged \$35,000.00.

3. As a result, deposits subject to immediate or continuous draft were paying the same rate of interest that was paid for deposits of a fixed period of time.

4. It seemed reasonable to expect a higher rate on stable balances than on fluctuating balances.

Therefore, there had been no systematic plan for withdrawing funds on deposit. I proposed to institute a plan whereby drafts would be made first on the bank paying lower rates of interest. In order to make the plan work, the funds would be left in the banks paying higher rates of interest. In making inquiries for higher rates of interest, I very carefully made it clear that the banks would not receive deposits merely on the basis of rates of interest offered.

Since I did not propose to jeopardize city funds by placing them in weak banks for the sake of interest earnings, recent experiences had cautioned us against this practice.

As to keeping the city's normal cash reserve in banks paying the higher rates of interest, I said in my first circular letter to the banks on instituting the new plan:

Pursuant to a provision of law, the Banking Commission, consisting of the Mayor, Controller, and Chamberlain, will meet on Feb. 2, 1914, to select depositories for city funds and to fix the rate of interest for the three months ending April 30, 1914.

As you are aware, it is the practice of the city to carry from \$20,000.00 to \$200,000.00 in cash in active and inactive accounts.

It seems reasonable to expect from the banks a higher rate of interest than from the active accounts, where banks render a larger degree of service. Of course, it is impossible to assure you of any fixed balance for any definite term. I desire to receive, however, under these conditions, what rate of interest you would pay if you are designated a city depository for the next three months. If you will pay different rates for different amounts, kindly indicate the amounts, at such rates, that you would care to receive. I may assure you that assuming the bank to be of proper strength and under safe and conservative management, I shall take under consideration the rates of interest paid in making transfers to the clearing account.

The result of this plan was that on the first of the month offered to me, 24 per cent, or better. During my entire term of office, as I recall, there never were less than twenty-five banks paying rates higher than 2 per cent, despite an almost continuous cheap money market and other factors, such as the \$100,000,000 situation.

The number paying over 2 per cent, increased to as high as ninety-one banks out of a total of about 100 depositories. Varying conditions of the money market affected the number of banks offering higher rates during my term, as these factors will continue to have their effect in the future.

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Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dun-

can at Bonnie Crest.

FLOWER SHOW AT HILTOP

Mrs. French Vanderbilt and Vin-

cent Astor Among the Winners—

Lights Out on Dinner Parties.

Special to The New York Times.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 17.—Mr. and

Mrs. Stuart Dunham entertained a

company of guests this evening with

dances at their attractive residence, Bon-

nie Crest, adding another to their list

of entertainments this summer. The

lawn was treated with fairy lamps to

guide the carriages and automobiles,

while the rooms, including the ballroom,

were treated with flowers from the

greenhouses of Bonnie Crest. From the

great windows of the ballroom the

guests looked out upon the harbor and

the Atlantic Fleet is anchored. The guests

included many of the tennis players now

in the Casino tournament. Among those

invited were Mr. and Mrs. Van Rensselaer,

Mr. and Mrs. Peyton J. Van Rensselaer,

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GOLF VICTOR AT LENOX.

Caspar De Gersdorff Wins the

Junior Tourney—The Arrivals.

Special to The New York Times.

LENOX, Mass., Aug. 17.—Caspar De

Gersdorff won the Lenox junior golf

tournament at the Lenox Club today,

defeating the field by a score of 18

to 19. The tournament was the

first of the season and attracted

many of the best young players in

the country. The winners were

Caspar De Gersdorff, 18, of New

York, and John H. H. H. H. H. H. H.

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CATHOLIC GATHER
FOR A GALLA WEEK

Vanguard of 20,000 Expected

Attend Opening Meeting

of Press Association.

CITY BECKED WITH FLAGS

Elaborate Decorations Put Up in the

Cathedral—Three Cardinals

to be Present.

Special to The New York Times.

The vanguard of the 20,000 or more

Roman Catholics who are expected to

come to this city for the celebration

of "Catholic Week" arrived last night

to attend the opening event of the con-

clave—a meeting of the Executive Com-

mittee of the Catholic Press Associa-

tion held at the Great Northern Hotel

in West Fifty-seventh Street.

Catholic institutions in the city, par-

ticularly St. Patrick's Cathedral, the

residences of Cardinal Farley and Mgr.

Lavelle on Madison Avenue, back of

the Cathedral, and the building in the

block north of them, used as head-

quarters by various religious societies

of the faith, took on holiday attire

yesterday in honor of the nation-wide

gathering.

The main doors of the Cathedral were

draped with flags and bunting, and

carpenters and decorators were busy

arranging the great edifice for the

celebration of the week, a pontifi-

cal mass to be sung next Sunday

at St. Patrick's Cathedral. The

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ELKS SAILS FOR TURKEY.

New Ambassador Will Continue

Work Begun by Morgenthau.

Special to The New York Times.

Abram I. Elkus, the newly appointed

American Ambassador to Turkey,

sailed yesterday afternoon on the

Scandinavian-American liner Oscar II

for Constantinople. He was accom-

panied by his wife, his two daughters,

the Misses Ethel and

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SHORT TERM NOTES.

Government and Municipal Issues.

Security	Rate	Due	Bid.	Ask.
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1928	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1919	97½	97½	97½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Dec., 1918	97½	97½	97½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1919	97½	97½	97½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1920	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1920	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1920	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1921	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1921	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1921	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1921	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1922	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1922	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1922	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1922	98½	98½	98½
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U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1924	98½	98½	98½
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U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1935	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1935	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1935	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1935	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1936	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1936	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1936	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1936	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1937	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1937	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1937	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1937	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1938	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1938	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1938	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1938	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1939	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1939	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1939	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1939	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1940	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1940	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1940	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1940	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1941	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1941	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1941	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1941	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1942	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1942	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1942	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1942	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1943	98½	98½	98½
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U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1959	98½	98½	98½
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U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1959	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1959	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1960	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1960	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1960	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1960	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1961	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1961	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1961	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1961	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1962	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1962	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1962	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1962	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1963	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1963	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1963	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1963	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1964	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1964	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1964	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1964	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1965	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1965	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1965	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1965	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1966	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1966	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1966	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1966	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1967	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1967	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1967	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1967	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1968	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1968	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1968	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1968	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1969	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1969	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1969	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1969	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1970	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1970	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Aug., 1970	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Nov., 1970	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	Feb., 1971	98½	98½	98½
U. S. Gov. 100,000	May, 1971	98½	98½	98½
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Transactions in Stocks and Bonds—Quotations for Railway, Light and Power Issues.

The following range of prices and closing quotations were reported by the New York Stock Exchange yesterday by dealers in public utility securities. The trading in these securities is done privately over the counter, and this record gives only those trades which are reported by the dealers making them:

STOCKS	Closing	High	Low	Bid	Asked
Am. Gas & Elec. Light	149	149	148	148	149
100 Cities Ser. pf. 5 1/2%	85	85	84	84	85
70 Cent. Elec. 7 1/2%	71 1/2	71 1/2	71	71	71 1/2
100 Gen. Elec. 5 1/2%	84	84	83	83	84
400 Con. Fr. pf. 5 1/2%	84	84	83	83	84
70 Pac. & N. 5 1/2%	84	84	83	83	84
60 Rep. Ry. & S. 3 1/2%	38 1/2	38 1/2	38	38	38 1/2

The following quotations were reported by dealers in public utility securities:

STOCKS	Closing	High	Low	Bid	Asked
Adirondack Electric Power	27	27	26	26	27
100 American W. & N. 5 1/2%	73 1/2	73 1/2	73	73	73 1/2
100 American Cities pf.	45	45	44	44	45
100 American Gas 12 1/2%	120	120	119	119	120
100 American G. & E. pf.	40 1/2	40 1/2	40	40	40 1/2
100 American Light & Tr.	100	100	99	99	100
100 American Power & Light	100	100	99	99	100
100 American Public Utilities	42	42	41	41	42
100 American W. & N. 5 1/2%	73 1/2	73 1/2	73	73	73 1/2
100 American W. & N. 5 1/2%	73 1/2	73 1/2	73	73	73 1/2
100 American W. & N. 5 1/2%	73 1/2	73 1/2	73	73	73 1/2

BONDS	Closing	High	Low	Bid	Asked
100 American Power & Light 5 1/2%	100 1/4	100 1/4	100	100	100 1/4
100 American W. & N. 5 1/2%	73 1/2	73 1/2	73	73	73 1/2
100 American Cities pf.	45	45	44	44	45
100 American Gas 12 1/2%	120	120	119	119	120
100 American G. & E. pf.	40 1/2	40 1/2	40	40	40 1/2
100 American Light & Tr.	100	100	99	99	100
100 American Power & Light	100	100	99	99	100
100 American Public Utilities	42	42	41	41	42

BONDS	Closing	High	Low	Bid	Asked
100 American Power & Light 5 1/2%	100 1/4	100 1/4	100	100	100 1/4
100 American W. & N. 5 1/2%	73 1/2	73 1/2	73	73	73 1/2
100 American Cities pf.	45	45	44	44	45
100 American Gas 12 1/2%	120	120	119	119	120
100 American G. & E. pf.	40 1/2	40 1/2	40	40	40 1/2
100 American Light & Tr.	100	100	99	99	100
100 American Power & Light	100	100	99	99	100
100 American Public Utilities	42	42	41	41	42

BONDS	Closing	High	Low	Bid	Asked
100 American Power & Light 5 1/2%	100 1/4	100 1/4	100	100	100 1/4
100 American W. & N. 5 1/2%	73 1/2	73 1/2	73	73	73 1/2
100 American Cities pf.	45	45	44	44	45
100 American Gas 12 1/2%	120	120	119	119	120
100 American G. & E. pf.	40 1/2	40 1/2	40	40	40 1/2
100 American Light & Tr.	100	100	99	99	100
100 American Power & Light	100	100	99	99	100
100 American Public Utilities	42	42	41	41	42

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100 American Power & Light 5 1/2%	100 1/4	100 1/4	100	100	100 1/4
100 American W. & N. 5 1/2%	73 1/2	73 1/2	73	73	73 1/2
100 American Cities pf.	45	45	44	44	45
100 American Gas 12 1/2%	120	120	119	119	120
100 American G. & E. pf.	40 1/2	40 1/2	40	40	40 1/2
100 American Light & Tr.	100	100	99	99	100
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100 American Power & Light 5 1/2%	100 1/4	100 1/4	100	100	100 1/4
100 American W. & N. 5 1/2%	73 1/2	73 1/2	73	73	73 1/2
100 American Cities pf.	45	45	44	44	45
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100 American G. & E. pf.	40 1/2	40 1/2	40	40	40 1/2
100 American Light & Tr.	100	100	99	99	100
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100 American Power & Light 5 1/2%	100 1/4	100 1/4	100	100	100 1/4
100 American W. & N. 5 1/2%	73 1/2	73 1/2	73	73	73 1/2
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100 American Power & Light 5 1/2%	100 1/4	100 1/4	100	100	100 1/4
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HIT 5-MILE TARGET WITH 12-INCH SHELLS

Fine Practice Made at Fort Totten with Mortar Projectiles Weighing 1,070 Pounds.

FIRE 12 SHOTS IN 8 MINUTES

Enemy's Fleet Would Have Suffered Severely, Officers Commanding Sound Post Assert.

In eight minutes actual firing time the gunners of the 101st Company of Coast Artillery, at Fort Totten, fired more than 12,000 pounds of metal yesterday afternoon at a moving target five miles distant, and it was said that had an enemy's fleet been in the plotted area, at which the fire was directed, dreadnoughts and battle cruisers would surely have gone to the bottom. Six of Totten's great 12-inch mortars were used, and altogether twelve shots were fired in the eight-minute period. Each shell weighed 1,070 pounds; the distance of the plotted area from the mortar pits was in the neighborhood of 8,000 yards. Six trial shots preceded the firing of the recorded shots.

Major John R. Procter was the umpire who passed on the work of the gunners, and until his report is made public by the War Department the people of New York will not know the exact "enemy" casualties. Major Procter was so elated, however, as a result of the work of the gunners that he wanted to say something definite yesterday, but after thinking the matter over he decided that it was best that Secretary of War Baker should have that pleasure. The report, it is known, however, will not bear out those who maintain that the Coast Artillery branch of the army is inefficient.

The firing was to have started at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, that being the hour fixed by Colonel William G. Haan, commanding Fort Totten, for the firing of the 12-inch mortars. The firing was to be in the neighborhood of their top windows, and also to protect pictures, rare china, and other breakable things by putting them on the floor. It was 11 o'clock when the first of the six trial shots was fired. Colonel Haan, with Major E. D. A. Pearce, the second in command at Fort Totten, was in the tower, which is the top room of the little building from which the defense of the Sound approach to New York would be directed if the country went to war. The commanding officer in the mortar pits was Captain Edward W. Wildrick. The range-finding apparatus, which was "somewhere in the neighborhood of the Sound," was ready for the first trial shot at ten minutes after ten o'clock. Persons for miles around were on their porches, fingers stuck in their ears, and all looking in the direction of Fort Totten. Usually the firing of the big guns always begins on schedule time. But yesterday the pit commander had received the final preliminary signal from the fire control officers when a tug steamed into the area into which the big projectile was to be dropped. A small fishing vessel, and later another tug sailed unconcernedly into the danger zone, which caused delay of a full hour before the first shot was fired.

At 11 o'clock the plotted area was clear and a moment later the first of the giant mortars let go. The angle of fire was some 50 degrees, and the range for this shot was about 5,000 yards. Houses in the immediate vicinity of Fort Totten were shaken as by a mild earthquake, while windows for a radius of six miles rattled. An automatic playing piano in the quarters of Captain Philip Mathews actually started to play "Tipperary," according to a report that reached Major Procter late yesterday afternoon.

Two trial shots had been fired when something else happened to disarrange the schedule. This time it was a fog which settled down over the waters in which the enemy fleet was supposed to be. It was noon before the atmosphere cleared, and it was after 2 o'clock when the last of the trial shots went screaming on its way to the target.

At 3 o'clock the recorded shots were fired. The mortars were fired in salvoes, two guns to a salvo, and the range was about five miles. A skeleton raft on which was hoisted a white sail was anchored in the center of the plotted area. On a Government tug at a safe distance away were markers who were to observe how close the big projectiles dropped to the target and also to take photographs of the water-spray to show the accuracy or inaccuracy of the gunners in the pit five miles away.

At 3:20 o'clock in the afternoon, the last salvo was fired. Officers in the observation stations at Fort Totten and on the tug watched waters about the marker. Those at Fort Totten used glasses and as each one knew exactly where the shot, if properly aimed, should hit they focussed their glasses on the proper spot before the shots were fired. It was said they saw the puffer almost exactly where it ought to be a few seconds after the firing of four of the six salvoes.

During the recorded firing an aero-

plane soared above Fort Totten. The aviator apparently had forgotten to read the papers yesterday morning and did not know that the big guns were to be tested. The aviator remained above the fort but a few minutes and then headed for Mineola.

WONT USE 'SCAB' BOXES.

United Hatters Take Action to Aid Strikers—Mediation Opposed.

At a meeting last night of the Executive Committees of the Paper Box Makers' Union and of the United Hatters of North America, the latter decided to refuse to pack hats in boxes which were made by "scab" workmen. The box makers, on no strike, stated that this action had been taken at the suggestion of the hatters.

The strikers will open offices today at 142 Nassau Street to facilitate negotiations with manufacturers who wish to come to terms, according to an announcement made last night. Union officials said that thirty-five manufacturers had already asked for quarters. It was admitted, however, that these were not members of the Paper Box Manufacturers Association.

Samuel Rosenbaum, Financial Secretary of the union, insisted yesterday that there had been no talk of mediation in the strike so far as the Paper Box Manufacturers' Association was equally insistent that they would not be in favor of mediating the strike.

Hester & Co. of Fourteenth Street and Ninth Avenue were drawn into the strike yesterday when 250 employees quit work. Cohen Brothers and the Royal Paper Box Company of Brooklyn also were reported shut down because 300 employees had struck.

BALTIMORE, Md., Aug. 17.—Five hundred box makers in seven box factories went on strike today. The effect of the strike practically is to put an end to box manufacturing in most of the factories, and seriously to affect the canning use of boxes. Both industries are now at the height of their busiest season. The strikers demand a 10 per cent increase in wages, a fifty-five-hour week, and recognition of their union.

SEA WALL FOR LONG PORT.

Atlantic County Town to Protect Beach Against the Ocean.

Special to The New York Times.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 17.—Taking advantage of the last session of the State Legislature permitting municipalities to build sea walls for the protection of beach fronts, the City Commission of Long Port at its meeting last night authorized the preparations of plans and specifications for the construction of a concrete sea wall more than a mile long. These plans will be prepared by the Case Coast Construction Company of New York City. It is estimated that the approximate cost of the wall will be \$275,000.

The wall will cover almost the entire beach front of Long Port. It will begin at a point on the neck of the island in Great Egg Harbor Inlet and run for a distance of more than three miles along the ocean front of Long Port, covering all of the improved property of that municipality. It will take a year to build the wall.

Special—

Pajamas

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Friday and Saturday Only

For this week's Special we took some 1,100 suits of pajamas from our regular stock—standard Wallach garments that sell for \$1.50, \$1.65 and \$2—and marked them \$1.20 for today and to-morrow.

If any are left, they'll be back at the old figures Monday—so you'll do well to get a supply NOW.

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WANTS MILK SUPPLY HANDLED BY STATE

Food Commissioner Dillon Offers Services to Avert Strike of Producers on Oct. 1.

WOULD CUT DELIVERY COST

District Attorney to Make Investigation—Producers Give Reasons for Higher Prices.

Commissioner John J. Dillon of the State Department of Foods and Markets, issued a statement yesterday proposing that his office be empowered to act as agent for marketing dairy products with the purpose of preventing a general strike of milk producers. It was officially announced that the department had received information that the dairymen would stop shipments of milk to New York on Oct. 1 unless their demands for increased pay were met by the dealers.

District Attorney Swann intimated yesterday that his office would start an investigation within a few days to ascertain whether the consumer was receiving fair treatment from the producer and the distributor, and John E. Coleman of 120 Broadway, who conducted the milk inquiry for the District Attorney's office in 1910, was retained.

An investigation is now being made by the Wicks Legislative Committee and by the Department of Agriculture. The Department of Foods and Markets has been studying conditions from the viewpoint of the producer and is prepared to recommend placing the office at the disposal of the farmers in an effort to obtain more money for them. While Mr. Dillon's statement is not

definite on the point, its tenor indicates that he does not contemplate an advance to the New York consumer, but proposes to give the dairymen more money by eliminating costs and reducing the profits of distribution. The plan, says the statement, "needs the co-operation of the dealers for city distribution, but it can be operated without them. The dealers, on the other hand, need the milk and they cannot get along without it. They would not be afraid of a strike, because they know that all farmers will not continue for very long to spill milk. Such procedure would also alienate the sympathy of consumer and after a temporary disturbance would work to the advantage of the dealer."

With an abundance of milk in the city for sale at a fair price under State control, the people and the State would find a way to distribute it. If the dealers refused they and not the farmers would be the "strickers"; and new concerns would gladly take up the work of distribution. A contract could probably be made any day with responsible concerns for deliveries for much less than the present cost of distribution. In an experimental way the Department of Foods and Markets has acted as agent for milk producers according to the Commissioner's statement, and has been able to obtain a considerable advance in prices for co-operative dairy associations.

Officers of the American Jersey Cattle Club said yesterday that it was not strange that milk should advance when many factors entering into its production had gone up and regulations imposed by State and Federal health officials demanded expensive equipment. Attention also was called to the fact that the public demanded a much higher grade of milk than it did a few years ago and that such a product must necessarily cost more. Special grades of milk, it was added, were being sold in this city and elsewhere for as much as \$1 a quart. The average for special milk was 22 cents a quart.

ASK MUNITION INQUIRY.

Insurance Men Seek to End Danger Through Shipping.

A "prompt public and open investigation" into the recent explosion of munitions on Black Tom Island is demanded of the Interstate Commerce Commission in a petition prepared yesterday by the National Board of Fire Underwriters.

The commission is asked to "make such recommendations and regulations as will tend to minimize the danger or prevent such accidents."

OFFICIAL IS ACCUSED AS SLAVERY BACKER

District Attorney's Office Says East Side Politician Got Bail for a Woman Witness.

POLICE BEFORE GRAND JURY

Informers Halpern Tells of Street Search by Detectives—To Try Sam the Peddler Soon.

Assistant District Attorney James M. Smith, who is investigating white slavery, said yesterday that he was "higher up" an east side politician and officeholder, who is believed to have got \$2,500 bail for a woman witness, held by Mr. Smith because of her knowledge of relations between the police and the slave ring. She is described as a "hostile witness," and is said to have become less inclined to talk since her release under bail.

Four plain clothes policemen, Conroy, Conway, Lamont and Winter, of the Tenderloin, were before the Grand Jury yesterday. Another witness was Leo Halpern, alias Leibsch, formerly a "stool pigeon." He pleaded guilty to a charge of extortion against disorderly houses recently and sentence was suspended. Since then the police have considered Halpern an informer for the District Attorney. Last Saturday he called at the Third Inspection District Headquarters in West Thirtieth Street, to get a pocket knife taken from him when he was arrested. He got it, but after walking half a block was overtaken by two plain clothes detectives who had been in the station. They searched him in the street for a blackjack, but found no weapon. An informer, according to Mr. Smith, was advised yesterday by a detective to keep quiet and not to forget that "the

District Attorney is in office only a few years, while the police are here for a long while and never forget or forgive a man who squeals on a policeman. One Third Inspection District detective against whom the Assistant District Attorney has gathered much evidence is charged with breaking into the apartment of a woman informer and wrecking the furniture and destroying her clothes in her absence as a warning to keep quiet.

Smith said yesterday that he expected to bring Samuel Kirsh, known as Sam the Peddler, to trial before Judge Rosalsky next week.

LEATHER WORKERS ASK RISE

Strike Vote to be Taken Monday Unless Employers Yield.

The members of the Travelers' Goods and Leather Nivety Workers' International Union, Local 11, have made demands for shorter hours and higher wages upon the manufacturers of the city, and unless these demands are complied with by Aug. 21, will vote as to whether a strike shall be called in order to enforce the demands. There are between 10,000 and 12,000 members of the union in Local 11, of whom 10 per cent are women.

M. J. Spiegel of 42 East Twentieth Street, President of the Associated Leather Goods Manufacturers of the United States, comprising nearly all the important firms of the city, stated yesterday that the demands of the union had been sent to the individual manufacturers rather than to the association, and that it was too early to venture any statement as to what action might be taken by the manufacturers. He said, however, that it was probable that some action would be taken as soon as the members got in touch with one another. The independent firms were expected by Mr. Spiegel to co-operate with the association.

The demands of the union are for a week of forty-eight hours, instead of fifty-two, as at present, and an increase of from 15 to 20 per cent in wages. Recognition of the union by the employers also is demanded. J. T. Luchock, organizer of the union, stated yesterday that the members hoped to obtain their demands without a strike as soon as "The Bosses' Association," as the manufacturers were called by the men, took action. A mass meeting has been called for next Monday night at the Cooper Union, when a strike vote will be taken if the manufacturers do not accept the union terms.

PRINCE OF SIAM ATTACKED.

Honolulu Customs Officer Mistook Him for a Japanese.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 17.—Prince Mahidol Songkila, brother of the King of Siam, who is here today from the Far East, was mistaken for a Japanese at Honolulu and roughly handled, he said, by a United States customs officer. Minister Karavongse of Siam, who came here from Washington to meet the Prince, declared he would take the matter up through the State Department. "But don't be disturbed," the Prince said when the Minister expressed his indignation. "We will not declare war over this. It was a mistake, and I hope my assailant will not lose his position. I was rescued by my fellow passengers."

The Prince said he went ashore at Honolulu from the Tenyo Maru and was stopped by a customs inspector, who said Japanese were not allowed ashore until their papers had been examined. "He refused to listen to my explanation of who I was, turned a deaf ear to my declaration that I had papers to establish my identity, and suddenly attacked me with his fists, of which he made good use. I was wedged in between two women and could not defend myself for fear of hurting them."

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Hot Weather Clothes For Men & Young Men We forecasted that this summer would set a new record in the sales of cool fabric clothes for comfortable wear. No clothing organization in America was so well prepared as ourselves, and consequently we are showing probably the largest stock in New York City. Following is a brief list of the leading varieties.

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Cravenette Finished

Tailored up to the usual Georges standard and entirely different from the ordinary "ready-mades." Choice of tans, blues, grays and latest khaki shades; plain or stripe effects; Sack or Norfolk models. \$6.50, \$7.50, and \$8.50.

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Both Sack and Norfolk models. Summer wear, each suit rendered rain-repelling and wrinkleless by cravenetting—\$10, \$12.50 \$15, up to \$22.50.

Priestley's "Cravenette" English Mohair Suits

Plain, stripe and check effects, stylish and serviceable. Particularly favored by the business man—\$12.50, \$15 and \$18.

White Flannel Suits

Single and double breasted Sack models—\$12.50 and \$15.

Skeleton Suits

Both for business and outing service. Sacks and Norfolk in the latest Priestley "Crasho," "Cool-kenny," "Crash," "Tub" Crash, and "Coolest Cloth"—\$7.50, \$8.50 and \$9.50.

White Flannel Trousers

of fine tennis flannel—also striped serges. Belt straps and cuffs. Price \$3.50

Also Khaki and Duck Trousers—\$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Natural Linen and Palm Beach cloth Trousers—\$2.50 and \$3.00. Shantung Silk Trousers, \$5.

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Tire dealers this July sold to car owners more United States Tires than in any previous month of this year—our sales-records to dealers prove this.

And this is the year of astounding and record-breaking sales increases for United States Tires.

Such great sales growth proves two things,

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Insist that your tire dealer supply you with United States Tires—and see the difference.



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The cost of good clothing is going up—you know that. Even here it is bound to be higher, eventually.

Next year we'll have Hart Schaffner & Marx Fancy Suits at \$28, of course. They'll be good value then at that figure, you can rest assured. But they won't be anything like the value you get in our \$28 Suits this year.

The \$28 ones you'll find today in our Clearance Sale reduced to \$22.50. The same is true all along the line—

\$19.50 Now buys Hart Schaffner & Marx Fancy Suits that are big values this Season at their regular price of \$22.50.

\$22.50 Buys Hart Schaffner & Marx Fancy Suits formerly \$25 and \$28—and worth a great deal more now.

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North of the Somme the enemy is continuing his energetic efforts regardless of heavy sacrifices. For these efforts the British brought up

Your Fault

SURPRISES IN GOLF ON NATIONAL LINKS

WHITNEY GAINS AT EXPENSE OF WHITE

Medalist Reaches Semi-Final and Will Meet Carter on National Links Today.

EX-CHAMPIONS LAID LOW

Byers, Douglas, and MacDonald Are Beaten—Harriman and Whigham Win in Sixth Sixteen.

Special to The New York Times.
BOUSTAMPTON, N. Y., Aug. 18.—Gardner W. White, of Flushing, put himself into the lead of 1 up at the eleventh hole and then put himself into defeat, 4 up and 2 to play, at the hands of Nelson Whitney, former Southern champion, in the second round of the National Golf Links of America, and thereby paved the way for a meeting between Philip Van Gelder Carter, North and South amateur champion, and Whitney in the open bracket semi-final match tomorrow morning. In the lower half of the draw G. C. Green, Jr., of Garden City, and C. Tiffany Richardson of the National Links will battle for the honor of contesting the chief cup with the winner of the Carter-Nelson match.

In spite of the survival of some of the favorites there were some marked reverses in the day's play. Young Howland Maxwell defeated Eben Byers, former national champion, by his last putt on the home green, or rather Byers defeated himself by missing a short putt which would have put him in a position to win. The Secretary of the U. S. G. A. contesting in the semi-finals of a six sixteen will be seen by E. A. Lynch in the first round of the second round. The last of the champions, Blair Macdonald, defeated the hands of the day, Gardner White, in the first round of the second round. Greenway had a terrific struggle to work his way into the semi-finals. He was carried to the nineteenth hole before he could get down the putt that defeated him. In his afternoon match against J. F. Byers, a brother of the former champion, Greenway won the green and into the cup on the home green, winning his match by playing the last half of the last seven, he turned almost certain defeat into a well-earned victory.

After an unexpectedly easy victory over Dr. Malcolm McBurney of Westbrook in the afternoon, Greenway won a 78, and he was playing remarkable golf in the circle of the National Links, and he was playing remarkable golf in the circle of the National Links, and he was playing remarkable golf in the circle of the National Links.

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WALTER HAGEN WINS WESTERN OPEN GOLF

Takes Title with 286—Sargent and Hutchinson Tie for Second with 287.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 18.—Walter Hagen, American professional of Rochester, N. Y., today added the Western Open golf championship to his list of honors by completing the 72-hole medal contest on the Blue Mound Country Club Links in 286 strokes. This score equals that made by Chick Evans of Chicago, in winning the national open title at Minneapolis recently, establishing a record for seventy-two holes in national competition that has stood for three years ago won the national title.

Hagen had only one stroke to spare, as George Sargent of Minneapolis and Jack Hutchinson of Pittsburgh tied for second place with 287. George O. Simpson of Oak Park, Chicago, and James Barnes of Philadelphia followed with 288.

The most promising Saturday night bouts staged in this city since the start of warm weather are down for decision this evening. Four of the most important contests will be between heavyweights.

At the Washington Park Sports Club in Brooklyn the two heavyweights will be between big men. In the main bout the veteran negro heavyweight, Jack Kearns, is attempting a comeback, and seems to have started on the right track, for since re-entering the ring he has won two bouts. In the other ten-round bout, Jack Kearns, who has already turned in a record of 28-1, will be matched with Johnny Howard, the Bayonne boxer.

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LEONARD DEFEATS AZEVEDO

Californian No Match for Harlem Boxer in Saratoga Bout.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 18.—In a fast ten-round bout last night Benny Leonard made a chopping block of Joe Azevedo of California. The New Yorker was far too clever for his opponent, who displayed proficiency rather in fighting than in boxing. The Westerner was boring in all the time, and took many a hard uppercut to get a chance at Leonard's head. The New Yorker was too wily for him, and when he saw he was in danger rushed into a clinch. In the first few rounds he frequently sent Azevedo's head back with straight lefts, and at times used a hard right to the nose with effect. Leonard's defense was a cut on the nasal organ, but there was little real damage done on either side.

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The boxing was hard and fast as a result of scorching weather, which caused several contestants to withdraw from the ring. In the main bout the veteran negro heavyweight, Jack Kearns, is attempting a comeback, and seems to have started on the right track, for since re-entering the ring he has won two bouts. In the other ten-round bout, Jack Kearns, who has already turned in a record of 28-1, will be matched with Johnny Howard, the Bayonne boxer.

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answered. We did not get them. The only thing to be considered now is whether or not we want them. There seem to be no answers to this question. We need them because of their position. We want more naval bases and more fortified posts on the route to the Panama Canal. We do not want the islands to become the property of any other European Power. The price is high, and it might be trimmed a little. But we must not let slip this opportunity to possess St. Thomas, St. John, and St. Croix.

A JUSTIFIED VETO.

There is a military scandal behind the clause in the Army Appropriation bill exempting retired officers of the army from discipline under the Articles of War. The retention of this clause has compelled President Wilson to veto the bill on the ground of unconstitutionality. Obviously, so long as retired army officers receive pay and retain their rank and status they cannot be relieved from discipline. The President's expression of doubt that any large number of retired officers favor the provision is amply justified by facts. Mr. Hay of Virginia, lately appointed Judge of the Court of Claims, is the author of the clause which has caused the veto of the Appropriation bill and will postpone all the measures of army extension unless a new bill is passed without delay. Mr. Hay doubtless has a controlling personal reason for forcing the issue and unconstitutional provision upon Congress. The President's veto will be approved throughout the country. But the delay in military reorganization which the veto will necessitate is serious. The appropriations amount to \$267,000,000. Provision must be made to carry forward the work of preparing for national defense, and it is inconceivable that Mr. Hay and his associates will be permitted further to hamper that work.

THE PRESIDENT REPRESENTS THE PUBLIC.

There will be general disappointment and regret if the President decides not to make public the appeals and arguments he has addressed to the railroad Presidents and managers and to the men of the brotherhoods. The proceeding before him is not an arbitration, it is hardly a hearing. It is a conference. Mr. Wilson's role is that of a friend of both parties, but above all that, more important than all that, he represents the public. The interest of the public in the matter is immensely greater than that of either the railroads or the brotherhoods. It seems to us that the President's talks to the managers and the men should be made public. Mr. Wilson has no private relation to the dispute. It is not an official relation. It is in the interest of the whole people, an interest that would suffer incalculable injury from an interruption of railroad service, that he is using his influence to secure a peaceful adjustment of the difference. If he succeeds it will not so much matter, but if his effort should fail the public certainly would be most desirous to know what arguments and persuasions he used, in order that it might be in a position to place justly the responsibility for failure. We hope the President will give the public the benefit of the knowledge to which it certainly seems to be entitled.

THE MILITIA MISTAKE.

Some acute students of the new military law have discovered that one of its sections provides for compulsory service in time of war. The section is numbered 79 and it relates to the formation, after the National Guard and its enlisted reserve shall be brought into the service of the United States in time of war, of one reserve battalion for each regiment, battery of artillery, and company of coast artillery from which men may be withdrawn to fill vacancies. It further provides that, in case there is a deficiency of volunteers, a sufficient number of the unorganized militia is to be drafted into service. The unorganized militia comprises all able-bodied citizens of the States between the ages of 18 and 45 years. The Des Moines Register says:

In view of this dexterous bit of law-making, it seems high time that the militarist journals of the country cease their attacks upon the volunteer system. We no longer have the volunteer system. Compulsory service has been established, apparently without any one knowing anything about it.

The Stivers law passed by the last Legislature in this State authorizes the Governor to draft into service the members of the unorganized militia whenever it is necessary to fill vacancies in the National Guard. Therefore compulsory military service under certain conditions assuredly exists in this country. But the conditions are not right. The Federal Government, through the War Department, should have sole control of all the military forces of the United States.

The idea of Federal payment of the militia of the States is an old Republican idea adopted by Mr. Hay of Virginia for the purpose, as it seemed, of defeating the plan originally favored by the Administration to establish a Federal force of citizen soldiers to reinforce the regular army. Circumstances have enabled the President to put this plan of an imperfectly federalized militia to the test. Although a large part of the men called into service on the Mexican frontier are performing their tasks like patriotic citizens, with a clear recognition of the duty of a soldier to obey and not to question orders, there has been enough

discontent to justify the belief that a change of the law, so far as it relates to the militia, will be necessary. Even the militiamen who are soldiering without complaining are dissatisfied. Very few of them enlisted for such service. Misunderstanding of the law that was passed by the last Congress, largely under the influence of a powerful National Guard lobby, is general.

It is seen now that the lobby actually represented not the body of the National Guard but only the strongly political elements of that organization. Federalization was a purely political device. Its evil side is already apparent. Moreover, the response to the summons of the President in some of the States has been discouraging. States whose militia officers were prominent in the lobby are not making a creditable showing. It would not be just to belittle the work of the guardsmen who have bravely taken up their new and onerous tasks. A large proportion of these men are the kind we should have and would be sure to get in a real Federal force of citizen soldiers. If we are to have compulsory service in any form in this country it should be service for the Federal Government without political interference in the States. The States have a right to maintain militia as a home guard, and the President is empowered by the Constitution to call upon that militia, in times of peril, to quell insurrection and repel invasion. But when military extension became an imperative necessity, a great mistake was made in the attempt to constitute the State militia a part of the national army. The mistake must be corrected sooner or later. It is perfectly safe to say, however, that the Republicans will not be inclined to correct it.

THE RAILWAY PROSPECT.

It is necessary to exercise still a little patience before all the rough spots in the railway situation are ironed out. The backwardness of the railways regarding the President's proposal is not unlike the backwardness of the trainmen regarding the railways' proposal to them. The men wanted something surer than a hypothesis, and held out for it. The railways also want something upon which they can rely, and they hardly seem to appreciate that they are getting it.

The President speaks for the people, and commits them to the proposal which he urges. No protest is heard. It is impossible to misinterpret the meaning of the silence. The people wish the trainmen's conditions of working to be improved, and through the President are directing it to be done, at their expense so far as is right, according to future decision. All the rest is matter of detail.

It will be necessary for the President to work in the forms of law. The Interstate Commerce Commission must be applied to, and perhaps Congress. The President can make his application either to reward or to punish. He can either ask for influence to bring the railways to the position he recommends, or he can reward them for their acquiescence in the same manner. The people in accepting the President as their spokesman are practically the arbiters, and are giving their mandate for the award. They have learned by experience that they cannot expect from the railways service not paid for. The railways have no funds of their own. All the money the railways receive is from the people, either in funds from investors or in payment of rates and fares. If the funds received will not pay fair wages, and will not provide the facilities the people require, they must pay more.

In a sense the people are on a strike against the railways, and are beginning to see that they are on a strike against themselves. By withholding their funds from railway investments the people are reducing the facilities the railways are able to provide, and thereby are limiting the profits of trade. The railways are so straitened that billions of their securities are in default, and the conditions of the workmen are such as the people's spokesman thinks ought to be bettered. There is nothing malicious about the railways' procedure. They do not underpay their men from preference. They are using their funds according to their best discretion, and under the strict rules of the public inspectors of their accounts. The railways cannot make bricks without straw. Commerce cannot get its railways and the trainmen cannot get their wages unless the railways are provided with the funds.

It is time for the public to stop its strike against the railways, and put the proper pressure upon the officials who have brought the railway situation to a condition requiring the intervention of the President, upon behalf of the people, who had failed of themselves to understand whither railway affairs were drifting. Later on, perhaps there will be a new perception that the drift is toward Government ownership. The people are entitled to that also, if they wish it. But they should not deceive themselves. The Government no more has funds of its own than the railways, and works to less advantage than the railways.

Under Government ownership rates and wages will be rather more for the same service, or the service will be less for the same money. There is no precedent for Government railways administered as cheaply and as efficiently as our privately owned companies. In Canada, where conditions are most nearly like our own, the situation is more acute than here, and American advice has been asked to assist the

Government in deciding what to do with the publicly owned and operated railways, which are a burden to the Treasury. When the President puts the question of wages of the trainmen up to the people and finds no sign of disapproval, he opens a larger question. The people have a right to their wish, but they should not deceive themselves about the fact that they are being committed to pay the bills for what they order.

IF HUGHES HAD STAYED HOME.

The idea that a candidate must necessarily make a stumping trip is of modern growth, in fact of quite recent origin. It is not always a good thing. If the candidate has strong convictions and is full of his subject, if he earnestly desires to lay his case before the people and has a good case to lay before them, the time of the campaign is all too short for him and he should seize every moment and every convenient place to preach his gospel; it will make votes for him, even if he antagonizes other votes, and it will make more votes than it antagonizes. If this is not the case, he will make no votes; and if he has really nothing to say, he will actually repel those votes which would have gone to him until he revealed himself.

Suppose Justice HUGHES had followed the example of McKinley, Cleveland, and Harrison, instead of Bryan, Parker, Roosevelt, and Taft, and had stayed home. It is not easy now to restore the picture of him the popular imagination conceived him two months ago, but with a little effort it can be done. He was remembered as a strong man in the Governorship of New York, as a man of ideas and principles and convictions; too many, some people thought, rather than too few. His telegram of acceptance gave the idea that during his years on the bench he had been filling with silent indignation over policies that he thought were endangering his country, and that he welcomed his release so that he could pour out his fiery scorn, could sound a trumpet that would wake the people to revolt, could electrify his audience of a hundred millions, and create a great campaign.

Now, suppose he had stayed at Bridgehampton from then until election. No doubt his silence would have mystified and angered many voters; there would have been a constant demand that he speak out. It will be remembered that McKinley suffered a good deal of denunciation for his silence in 1896. But the Hughes of the popular imagination would not have been destroyed; there would have been nothing to prove that he was the strong man, the man of ideas, whom he was imagined to be, but there would have been nothing to disprove it. No matter how much party orators might have inveighed against him as a masked candidate, a man of mystery, the confidence of his own party would not have been disturbed. Even those who assailed him would have had an uncomfortable feeling that there was something menacing and terrible in this silence. Those who supported him would have believed it; they would have had warrant for they could point to the Hughes of 1908 for proof that he was strong in character, high in motive, and fearless in grappling with great problems. Whatever happened, they would not in three short weeks have been reduced to stammering and apology and discomfort; they would not have been saying miserably, "Oh, 'but wait; he hasn't struck his gait yet; give him time." And President Wilson would not have had occasion to make that blistering comment on the character of Mr. HUGHES's campaign—that silent but terrific comment that he delivered when, having made all his preparations for an active fight on the stump, he changed them after watching Mr. HUGHES's performance for two weeks, and decided that it was not necessary and he would stay home.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

Carelessness at some remarks on this page about railroad grade crossings. A few days ago, we said that nearly all the fatal accidents at such crossings were due to reckless or thoughtless drivers of automobiles. Four women and one man were killed at a crossing in Elyria, Ohio, on the 15th, when the automobile in which they were returning from a picnic was struck and smashed by the New York Central's fast through express train known as the Twentieth Century Limited. All of the victims were more than 50 years old, and the driver (husband of one of the women) was 60. Surely he had arrived at the age of discretion. His view of the track, we are told, was obscured by freight cars standing on a siding, and he did not hear the approaching express.

But it was his duty, of course, to "stop, look, listen." Probably there was an elevated sign at the crossing that urged him to do so. He neither listened nor stopped, and on account of his carelessness his wife and himself and three of their friends lost their lives. In such events there is an obvious lesson.

Carelessness has killed many where drivers were not checked by closed gates, but sometimes the reckless are not restrained when passage is forbidden by such obstacles. We find in a report of the Long Island Railroad Company that more than thirty lowered gates at crossings on its lines have been broken down this year by automobiles. On one occasion a driver demanded that the gates be raised, and, when the guard refused to do this, ran against them, broke them down, and passed through, narrowly avoiding collision and death, for a train almost grazed his wheels.

There should be an abundance of signboard warnings, with gates by which guards can be stationed. But all the precautions which are taken by railroad companies will not save those who do not "stop, look, listen," who

ignore the painted words, or who even break down the bars placed to assure their safety.

Paralysis with the elements. The infantile paralysis has not, thus far, been solved at the conference in Washington attended by health officers representing thirty-eight States. Dr. Emmerson, Surgeon General, and others who have had much experience in the treatment of the disease set forth the conclusions which they reached, but the sum of all the testimony is that little or nothing about the manner of transmission or the cause of the malady is known. Some think it is contagious; others find no evidence in support of this. And no one has found out how, if it is contagious, it is carried from person to person. The weight of evidence is against transmission by insects. Dr. Frost asserts that more than 75 per cent. of the cases cannot be traced to association or direct contact with victims of the disease.

All agree, however, in saying that every case should be reported promptly to the authorities and carefully isolated; also that the movement of carriers of infantile paralysis, or the germs of it, from one part of the country to another should be prevented. But how is it to be ascertained that a person not yet ill is a carrier?

It is because practically nothing is known about transmission or cause, and for an additional reason that so many patients who escape death are cripples for the remainder of their lives, that the disease is so greatly feared. We hope that the conferring health officers or the committees appointed will make recommendations as to the treatment which may prevent permanent crippling. It is much to be desired that the statement as to methods should be obtained from certain orthopaedic surgeons qualified to make it, and that that statement should be brought to the attention of all physicians and surgeons.

No More for Riders on the rail for railway companies that a method has been found for reducing the breakages of rails to one in 122,000. In 1912 fifty-two passengers were killed and 1,965 injured through broken rails. Last year six persons were killed and 327 injured in that way. That is near the minimum, which shortly will be reduced practically to nothing. The damages to material are the principal losses to the railways through rail accidents, since it is not practicable to estimate the damage to reputation in dollars. Railways have expended in this account as much as a half million dollars in a single year.

In the fifteen years beginning with this century the companies have lost through rail accidents alone over four million dollars, and there seemed no end. The breakages have been traced to defects of manufacture, not to the speed and weight of trains, as has been thought. The remedy, therefore, is neither slower nor lighter trains, but greater care in the rolling process. The blooms are to be reheated, and the interior stresses which cause the transverse fissures can be removed. That is the discovery of Dr. DUBAY, the expert of the New York Central Railroad, which has called meeting railroad users of rails to consider the new process. Presumably it is something like the annealing which converts brittle cast iron into malleable iron, a metal which is much more tough and homogeneous than the original metal. Glass also is annealed and made much less fragile.

FOR A PUBLIC DEFENDER.

Importance of That Office Shown by the Stielow Case.

New York, Aug. 15, 1916.
To the Editor of The New York Times:
In view of the reported increasing activities in the Balkans, which in all probability presage the long-expected allied offensive in that theatre of the war, a brief consideration of the part played by the Entente in the outbreak of the great war, and the probable effect of the success of the engaged offensive upon the other fronts and the warring nations would be timely.

The cardinal purpose of the great war is to determine definitely the much-contested question as to which of the warring groups shall direct the destiny of the Near East, or, speaking in more specific terms, it may be stated that Turkey will be the principal prize of the war. For over two decades German diplomacy methodically and belligerently schemed and labored to assure for Germany commercial and political preponderance in Turkey at the expense of the long-established and recognized spheres of influence and interests of Great Britain, France

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New York Times, daily and Sunday, for the six months ended March 31, 1916, was 334,744 copies—a circulation which represents in one grouping the greatest number of intelligent, discriminating and responsive readers ever assembled by a newspaper, and which includes the largest and most influential body of investors in the world.

FINANCIAL MARKETS

Continuation of profit-taking sales imparted irregularity to yesterday's price movement on the Stock Exchange, but it hardly had the effect of lessening to any great extent the feeling of optimism with which the Street has come to regard the outlook. That was because profit taking was accepted as the logical sequel to the strength of the list earlier in the week, which was accompanied by a very considerable expansion of totals, and by an advance in many stocks quite sufficient to tempt traders to the conversion of paper profits into actual profits.

The prolongation of the railroad labor crisis helped to accentuate the desire to take profits, though the railroad stocks and the list as a whole displayed no such weakness as would be expected had the financial community changed its belief that the crisis would pass without a strike. There are those in the financial district who would like to see the railroad heads refuse any concession to the men and to stand squarely on the demand for arbitration of the whole railroad labor situation, but that is obviously practically impossible in view of the President's urging of concessions as a means of avoiding the serious embarrassment of a strike.

The closing of the underwriting of the new British loan sooner than had been looked for revealed in practical manner the extent of the response to the invitation to participate in this latest foreign financing. Realization that the proceeds of the credit are to be used in ways which will provide work for American industry has a good deal to do with the favor accorded to the loan, but in the case of the loan list underwriters found reasons for their very ready response to this offering. The provision which permits reduction through partial retirement at a premium in advance of maturity against sales of collateral securing the loan came in for special commendation, but the feature which was calculated to give unusual support.

The most emphasis, however, was laid on the consequences to American trade of the placing of foreign loans in this market. Already banking circles are looking to the closing of some very important orders for allied countries as a result of the successful flotation of this British loan. The connection between the grant of credits and the placing of additional orders is direct and obvious. This is of course the consequence to the situation as a whole than is the probable withholding from the market, at least for a time, of the securities which would be sold here to the point where the collateral, but that also remains an important market consideration.

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Shares. Friday, Aug. 18, 1916.

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"Greece is entirely cut off from news of the Central Powers," the agency adds. "Agents of the other belligerents are taking advantage of this situation to spread broadcast news favorable to their Governments, making predictions as to coming events, and confirming them subsequently without fear of contradiction. General Sarrai, the French commander at Saloniki, in interviews, emphasizes the strength of his army and the accumulations of munitions. The Greeks, especially the better classes, resent this tutelage.

"Greek reservists have been permitted to leave the country since demobilization of the army. One steamship sailed with 2,500 of them for the United States. It is estimated almost 6,000, including some Italians, have left Saloniki.

AEROPLANES ATTACK VALONA.

Austrians Report Hitting Italian Barracks and a Shore Battery.

BERLIN, Aug. 19. (By Wireless to Bayville.)—A successful air raid on Valona, Albania, held by the Italians, is reported in an Austrian Admiralty statement today as follows:

"On the night of Aug. 14 and 15 an Austro-Hungarian naval aeroplane squadron attacked Valona. Details were obtained on a shore battery and on the barracks, a camp, a storehouse, and a ship which was broken up. The Austro-Hungarian planes returned undamaged despite violent shelling."

ALLIES HAVE 700,000 MEN.

Advance on the Teuton Lines Expected for Some Time.

With the beginning of general operations by the Allies in the Balkans the fourth offensive against the Central Powers has been launched, indicating the complete co-operation of military operations agreed upon at the Paris conference. The first offensive was the Russian, begun on June 4; the second, on July 1, the Anglo-French on the western front, and the third, on August 1, the Italian against the Austrians at the Isonzo. The Russian offensive in Armenia has a direct connection with the fourth European offensive just launched.

The new offensive has distinctive features which are entirely different from the others; it is not on a front the main-



A dispatch from Paris announces that the allied troops north of Saloniki front extends from a point east of Monastir to beyond the valley of the Struma River. The Italians at Valona (1) hold the line co-operate with the Serbs, French, and British along the Graeco-Serbian frontier. The French War Office on Aug. 15 announced that the Allies had occupied Dobian, (2), thirty miles east of Monastir. The Serbs would the British across the Struma, (3), while the Franco-British main line is indicated at (7). Florina (8) was occupied by the Bulgarians on Friday.

The Serbians reported from Berlin. Such have been the signs of the beginning of the fourth great offensive. The front northward from Macedonia—probably through two lines, the Vardar to Nish, Belgrade, and the Danube on the west, and up the Struma to Sofia on the east—presents a situation which was entirely absent last autumn when Bulgaria and Teutonic troops overran Serbia, Montenegro, and Macedonia, and linked up Constantinople with Vienna and Berlin. That victory of the Central Empires, aside from the Balkans, had no military effect on the northwest of Saloniki, and then the Dorian. For the last few days there has been a bombardment of the Bulgarian position, on the Struma, just south of the frontier, with a reverse of

BALKAN NATIONS

Waiting for the War to End at This Stage.

Rumania and Greece See No Advantage in Joining War at This Stage.

REGARD RISK AS TOO GREAT

Fear That Germany May Still Have Strength to Crush Them with Passing Blow.

SOBERED BY SERBIA'S FATE

Moreover, They Lean Strongly to View That the War at Best May End in a Draw.

By ADAMANTIOS M. POLYDOPOULOS, Special Correspondent of THE NEW YORK TIMES, who has just returned from ten months' study of the Balkan situation on the spot.

The Balkan front is at a standstill. After ten months of continuous preparation the Allies do not deem it advisable as yet seriously to attack the strongly fortified lines of the Germano-Bulgarian defense and clear the Serbian soil of the invaders. On the other hand, Germany and her allies do not seem to be in any haste to attack in force the British, French, and Serbian troops massed in Greek Macedonia, having probably come to the conclusion that such an attack made today would be futile. There is no denying also that the Teuton forces and those of their comrades in arms must at the present time face other exigencies of the immense battle front on which the greatest of all wars is being waged; and, as the same necessity confronts also the Entente powers, one might be led to conclude that some sort of a truce agreement between the opposing forces of the two belligerent groups was responsible for the present deadlock in the Balkans.

There is, however, another explanation of the continued inactivity on the Balkan front; battles waged and even won in that part of the peninsula would be of no immediate profit to either belligerent. To be sure, the Allies are in duty and conscience bound to free the Serbian territory of Teuton invasion, but they are of the opinion that their main effort must be concentrated at the point where it will most likely bring the most decisive results. This point is not on the Balkan peninsula, but on the western front, where on the great western or eastern front. As for Serbia, she no doubt can wait for the final outcome of the war, on which her future fate depends. This same principle is applied to Belgium, where the Allies are waiting until the final victory of the Entente.

The German Aspects of the Case.

Taking into account the German point of view so far as the Balkan front is concerned, there appears to be no reason why, Serbia once occupied and the railroad to Constantinople open, the Kaiser's troops should go on fighting for no other purpose than to install a puppet ruler and incur the certain and positive enmity of the Allies, which in such a case would not for a single moment hesitate to cast her lot in with the Allies against her traditional foe. Even according to the German point of view, the Balkan front is a dead end, and the only way to win is to win in the west.

CAUCASUS FRONT.—Our right wing of the Balkan front is the Caucasus front, in a northerly direction, everywhere re-establishing contact with the enemy's retreating rear guard. The left wing of the Balkan front is the Caucasus front, everywhere re-establishing contact with the enemy's retreating rear guard.

EGYPTIAN FRONT.—Nothing important has happened in the Egyptian front, where four British armies, protected by French destroyers, raided Aden and the Red Sea, and in the process killed one child and wounded four persons.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 19. (via London.)—The official statement issued by the War Office tonight says:

The situation is unchanged on the western and Caucasian fronts.

SAYS ZEPPELIN KILLED 160.

Chicagoan Brings Tale of Loss of Life at Hull.

Hon. Mr. Enright, a Chicago woolen merchant, arrived yesterday on the American liner Finland and told a thrilling story of the last Zeppelin raids over the northeast coast of England.

There were 160 men, women, and children in the Hull, and two of the nearby districts on the Humber, but all news was suppressed in the Hull. The Zeppelin was seen on the coast, and the British anti-aircraft guns could not reach them. The cause of the great loss of life, says Enright, was the people disobeying the Admiralty instructions to take to their cellars when the warnings were given.

Mr. Enright said that when he went to Hull recently on business he found a great deal of bitter feeling toward England in Dublin and in the South. He said that the people were so angry that they were determined to prevent any more trouble. Several newspapers were being printed and circulated in secret, and he said that he brought two back with him. One was the Irish Nation and the other was the Irish Free Press. He said that the Irish Nation was a paper of a million men, and he said that the Irish Free Press was a paper of a million men.

Officers of the Finland said they had heard of the great loss of life in Hull. They said that the Zeppelin was seen on the coast, and the British anti-aircraft guns could not reach them. The cause of the great loss of life, says Enright, was the people disobeying the Admiralty instructions to take to their cellars when the warnings were given.

AIR RAID ON GERMAN STORES

British Damage Ammunition Stations Near Bruges.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—British naval aeroplanes raided German ammunition stations at Lichtervelde, in Belgium, thirteen miles southwest of Bruges, yesterday, causing large fires, the War Office announced today.

The raid was a successful one, and the German stores were heavily damaged. The British aeroplanes dropped a large quantity of incendiary bombs, and the fires were seen for miles around.

GUYNEMER TWICE VICTOR.

French Aviator Brings Down Two Foemen Within Three Days.

Paris, Aug. 19.—The French War Office made this announcement today:

"On the Somme, Second Lieutenant Guynemer, who on Aug. 15, shot down his thirteenth aeroplane, and yesterday his fourteenth, which fell between Bouvillers and the Aisne, has brought down two more within three days."

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STAMPALIA SUNK

IN THE WAR ZONE

Italian Liner, Formerly in Passenger Traffic from New York, Is Reported Destroyed.

IN GOVERNMENT SERVICE

Vessel Was Recently Requisitioned by Italian Authorities—A Pioneer Among Armed Liners.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—The Italian steamship Stampalia, which plied between New York and Italian ports, has been sunk, says a dispatch to Lloyd's.

The Stampalia was a comparatively new passenger liner, and was engaged in the trade between New York and Genoa, and was one of the first vessels to carry two three-inch guns mounted on her stern for defense. When she arrived here last February carrying guns for the first time a protest was made to the State Department by the Austro-Hungarian Government. Collector Dudley Field Malone held back the clearance papers for the Stampalia until he was instructed by the Treasury Department to issue them.

The agents of the Italian lines said yesterday that two weeks ago they had received a cable dispatch from Genoa advising them that the Stampalia had been requisitioned by the Italian Government and that all her future sailing dates had been canceled. The last report of her movements in the maritime records was her arrival at Genoa from New York on July 30.

When the Stampalia arrived in New York on March 24 Captain Lavello reported there had been a marked increase in the submarine activity in the Mediterranean, and said the Admiral in command at Spezia had sent a warning by wireless of a submarine attack along the north shore of the island of Sardinia. Instead of taking that course, as usual on his way to New York, the Captain said, he went to the south of Sardinia, and through the straits of Bonifacio, between Sardinia and Corsica, into the Mediterranean.

Several armed Italian steamships in the New York trade have reported being pursued recently by submarines between Gibraltar and Naples and Palermo.

The Stampalia had accommodations for 1,700 passengers of all classes, and was 476 feet long, 65 feet beam, and 8,000 gross tonnage. She was built at Spezia in 1909, and was owned by the Veloce Navigation Company of Genoa.

At the Italian Consulate it was said no news had been received from Rome as to whether the Stampalia was used for carrying stores or as a troopship. It was certain, however, one of the officials said, that the vessel was under contract to the Government. Under normal conditions she carried a crew of 175 officers and men.

BERLIN DENIES PLEDGE IS BROKEN

Charges That Lord Crewe Made the Accusation Merely to Inflame American Opinion.

BERLIN, Aug. 19. (By Wireless to Bayville.)—The Marquis of Crewe, who in his recent statement in the British House of Lords regarding alleged violations of the German Government's pledge to the American Government regarding the sinking of vessels by German submarines without warning, has declared he has no evidence back of his words, declares the semi-official Overseas News Agency in a statement today.

The statement, it says, was apparently an embarrassment to the German Government, and was apparently an attempt to inflame American public opinion for the furtherance of British designs.

"The form in which the Marquis of Crewe made his statement is characterized," says the news agency, "by a didactic, almost insinuating, which does not evidence back of his words. This circumstance, however, makes his unspoken purpose clear, since he was satisfied with insinuations. The suggestion that the Germans might have shot at survivors in boats is considered especially subtle and is represented as coming from a reliable source, Lord Crewe and King Stephen murderers and who decorated the heroines of the Boer war."

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AUSTRIANS REPULSED

IN ATTACK ON CARSO

Italian Batteries Check Strong Assault Against Their Left Wing.

ROME, Aug. 19. (via London.)—The Austrians launched an attack last night on the left wing of the Italian forces on the Carso Plateau. It was announced officially today that the assault was checked by the fire of the Italian batteries.

No heavy fighting is reported with the exception of the engagement on the Carso, over which the Italians are attempting to advance in the direction of Trieste. The statement says:

Along the whole front artillery actions occurred. Our artillery was particularly active in the Upper Fella, where the railway line at the mouth of the Sava valley was damaged. Hostile batteries shelled the town of Gorizia and the Isonzo bridges.

Yesterday evening, after heavy artillery fire, the enemy began an attack against the left wing of our positions on the Carso. It was checked promptly by the effective fire of our batteries.

Italian Repulse, Says Berlin.

BERLIN, Aug. 19. (By Wireless to Bayville.)—The Austrian official statement of Aug. 17, received here from Vienna, reports the repulse of the Italians in numerous attacks southeast of Gorizia. The statement says:

Between Plava and the Vipava River yesterday there was only lively artillery fire. The Italians attacked, assaulting our positions five times in deep rows. At only one place was it necessary to repulse the enemy by hand-to-hand fighting. Otherwise the storming attacks broke down under our fire with notable heavy losses.

On the Tyrolean front minor hostile enterprises at Monte Piano and Ovaron failed.

The Austrian statement of Aug. 18 adds:

Hostile artillery fire continues against our new front in the Gorizia district. There were no infantry engagements, except that we repulsed an Italian attack against the heights southwest of San Grato di Merna.

SAYS TRIESTE RAID FAILED.

Austrian Report Tells of Bringing Down Several Allied Aeroplanes.

BERLIN, Aug. 19. (By Wireless to Bayville.)—Naval aeroplanes, with the aid of torpedo craft and motor boats, made an attack on the Austrian coast of Trieste on the morning of Aug. 14, says an Austrian Admiralty statement today. Several of the raiding craft were brought down, and although a number of bombs were dropped, little damage was done, it is declared. The statement follows:

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TWO PORTS HOURLY

AWAIT THE BREMEN

New London Sees in Work on Indication of Coming.

BERLIN, Aug. 19. (By Wireless to Bayville.)—Raids by German aircraft on the Russian military establishments on the Baltic coast, off the Gulf of Riga, are being continued. Another such raid is announced in a German Admiralty statement today as having taken place on the night of Aug. 15-16. The statement says:

On the night of Aug. 15-16 extensively bombed the aeroplane stations at Papebom, near the mouth of the Gulf of Riga. All the aircraft were destroyed, and in spite of a violent defensive fire and an ensuing aerial engagement.

Hostile aeroplanes also attacked the submarine base at Papebom, causing only slight damage.

DRIVING TURKS IN ARMENIA.

Petrograd Reports a Success Between the Sivas and Kermak Roads.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 19. (via London.)—The Turks have been driven back a considerable distance in Armenia, according to a report received here today. The statement says:

Between the Sivas and Kermak roads our troops pushed back the enemy to a considerable distance. In the direction of Diarbekir fierce battles are raging.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Aug. 19.—It is again rumored here tonight that the submarine Bremen, sister ship of the Deutschland, will arrive in New London Harbor within a few days, perhaps four, despite the British reports of her capture, but no one seems to know definitely when she will arrive and occupy the berth beside the new nation-dock pier leased by the Eastern Forwarding Company for a year.

The new warehouses being built for submarine cargoes are nearly completed and the Scott Company, which had a rush contract to build the sheds in twelve days, will have them ready within the time specified, Aug. 22. One of the warehouses is 125 feet long and

attacks with grenades against the north northeast of Avouret, and against the north northeast of Hill 304. The enemy was unable to reach our lines at any point, and was forced to retreat. The fighting was very lively, and the enemy was driven back a considerable distance.

On the right bank of the river the fighting began yesterday continued obstinately. Our troops captured foot by foot the enemy of ruined houses which the enemy was still occupying on the edge of Fleury. The entire village is now in our possession, notwithstanding two violent German counterattacks which resulted only in sanguinary losses to the enemy.

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ATTACKS 'TRADE VENDETTA'

John Simon Asserts He Suffered Through British Blacklist.

John Simon of the Association to Resist English Domination of American Commerce made public yesterday a statement in which he deplored the fact that the State Department has not yet replied to a complaint made against the British trade blacklist, and asserted he had been deprived of his business opportunities by intrigues and persecutions of those whom he believed to be agents of the British Government. He is an American citizen and the son of a civil war veteran, and he believes that all Americans should know the true facts of a "trade vendetta."

"I was owner of a steamer which had a capacity of nearly 10,000 tons, one of the largest American ships afloat," he stated. "I bought this steamer for the purpose of trading between the United States and South America. For fifteen months, while I was the owner, she carried goods to South America and returned. On her last trip, just before the outbreak of the war, she was chartered to charter the steamer even at a most reasonable price, although steamers were getting scarce and the freight was high. I was informed that the concerns which had chartered the steamer had been informed that the English had earned \$50,000 monthly. I was forced to sell her in order not to suffer heavy losses."

About the same time I intended to buy another large steamer which was offered to me for \$1,500,000. I made a firm offer of \$1,000,000, and the broker came back with a counteroffer subject to the owners being able to ascertain that there were no other persons interested in selling their steamer to me. It appears that the owners feared that they would lose the steamer if they did not sell it to me. I made up my mind to withdraw my offer, and I withdrew it. But when I found myself confronted with similar intrigues and persecutions, I decided to sell my steamer to the New York Cotton Exchange. The firm, which had been approached by two different persons, probably agents or go-betweens of the British Government, who asked them to sell their steamer to me, then turned around and sold it to me. I was forced to sell it to me at a price which was lower than the price which I had offered to pay. I cannot believe it."

FIGHTING IN MESOPOTAMIA.

Tribesmen Aid British to Defeat Turkish Irregulars on Euphrates.

LONDON, Aug. 19.—Renewed fighting in Mesopotamia, in which the British were engaged with Turkish irregulars, is reported in an official statement given out here today.

The statement says that sixty of the Turkish irregulars were killed, and that a large number were wounded by the British, and that the British had made a raid on irregular forces which had attempted to interfere with British reconnoitering steamships on the Euphrates.

In the engagement three British soldiers were killed.

Russian Port, Nikolaevsk, Open.

Russian engineers arriving here yesterday from Petrograd on the Norwegian-American liner Kristianfjord, said that the port of Nikolaevsk, at the mouth of the Amur River, in Siberia, had been opened for navigation and that the port was now open to all ships.

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SAYS GERMAN PRESS IS FAVORING HUGHES

The British Intelligence Service of London Issues Article Prepared by Attache.

QUOTES FROM MANY PAPERS

New York Correspondent of the Frankfurter Zeitung Writes of Dislike for Wilson Here.

The most prominent German-American Democrats have deserted the Democratic Party and are working for the election of Charles E. Hughes for President, according to the statement made by a New York correspondent of the Frankfurter Zeitung, who states that these former Democrats of German origin are for Hughes not "for love" of him, but because of their dislike for President Wilson. From the Atlantic to the Pacific, the correspondent adds, there is not a single German journal that has a good word to say for the President. George von Skal, former managing editor of the New York Staats-Zeitung, in a letter to Der Tag of Berlin, marks that "it is clear to the leaders that Hughes possesses the confidence of the German electors."

These and many other translations from German papers are included in an article captioned "The German Press and the United States Presidential Election," compiled recently by an attaché of the British Intelligence Service in London.

"Although the press in Germany refrains from openly supporting Mr. Hughes's candidature," the article reads, "nevertheless any one reading it cannot fail to perceive that it is opposing President Wilson's re-election, and hoping for the success of his antagonist. It might be thought, indeed, reading between the lines, that the latter was the nominee of the Prussian General Staff. The Münchener Abendzeitung (Munich Evening News) of July 18 and the Frankfurter Kurier of August 18 (the 20th) have articles, the latter one of three columns, about Mr. Hughes and his unblemished reputation, his stainless character, sans peur et sans reproche, and his general perfection. He is represented as the friend of all decent men, an uncompromising enemy of Tammany and the opponent of all undue privileges arrogated to themselves by capitalists. According to the Münchener Abendzeitung, Mr. Hughes said: 'If I am to be elected one day, I hope something else will be found in my body besides a few official documents.'

SEES NEW FACTOR IN CONTEST.

"The Märkische Volkszeitung (Berlin) of June 21, in an alleged wireless telegram from the Wolff Bureau in New York, says that a new factor which has come to light in the present electoral contest is a German-American vote for Hughes, a vote which is apparently so far solid. The German-American press and also various German-American incorporated societies are supporting Mr. Hughes's candidature," the dispatch adds, "while there are no lack of attempts in certain circles to exploit this German-American vote of Hughes in a manner unfavorable to Germany. Some newspapers treat the German vote contemptuously and endeavor to represent it as of no importance. Mr. Hughes himself, according to this Wolff message, when asked about the support of his candidature by the Germans, said that he stood for unadulterated Americanism, and that whoever supported him was supporting a purely American policy and nothing else."

"Der Reichsbote (Imperial Messenger) of Berlin, in an article published June 21, purporting to be from someone intimately acquainted with American conditions, will not venture upon a definite prophecy, but says that the date will be victorious. The article, which is entitled 'Wilson or Hughes,' says that now the Republicans have made their peace with the Rooseveltian Progressives they are the stronger party, which can probably count upon about 1,000,000 more voters than the Democrats; and as the Germans and Irish-Americans will not reject Wilson because of his friendly attitude to England, it may be supposed that the Democratic Party will thus lose and the Republican Party might seem, therefore, as if the present President could not possibly be re-elected, but the article concludes that the people is fickle as the waves of the sea, and President Wilson has won immense popularity because by a sharp note to Germany he contrived to settle the U-boat question, which Roosevelt thought could only be settled by war."

Senator Reed's Word Approved.

"The writer then quotes Senator Reed approvingly as having congratulated his country on not having had a 'hot-blooded demagogue' such as Roosevelt at the head of affairs. President Wilson's speech at Columbus is then quoted at length, and the conclusion drawn therefrom that the Americans desire above everything to gain control of the world's trade."

"The German press propagandists in neutral countries also issue telegrams supposed to come from New York via Zurich or some other neutral city, saying that Mr. Hughes's prospects are daily improving, for the Austrian, Hungarian, Czech, Croat, and Poles associations have resolved to vote for him. Moreover, German propagandists even attempt to secure and occasionally do secure the insertion in the Swiss press of articles written in conformity with German ideas, and, of course, publish articles and paragraphs in German-controlled Swiss newspapers, in order that they may quote these latter as representing the opinion of a neutral country. But as the Basler Nachrichten says, and its words are quoted by the Berlin National-Zeitung of June 21, 'if the European belligerents are well advised they will refrain from interfering in this purely American affair' of a Presidential election."

"The Berliner Volkszeitung of June 21, writing on the 'Man with the Beard,' is distinctly sympathetic to Mr. Hughes, describing him as a cool, thoughtful jurist who has won his way to the bench through his own sheer merit. Should he be elected he will talk less than President Wilson but the conceptions of humanity and right."

Says Wilson Reversed His Thrust.

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In Wilmington the Henry A. du Pont people elected twenty-five of the forty delegates. In rural Newcastle County they got twenty-two of the thirty-eight delegates, and in Kent County thirty-five of the forty. In Sussex County each side elected twenty-one delegates. The result of the primaries means, besides the renomination of Senator du Pont, the nomination of G. Thomas send of Sussex County for Governor and probably the renomination of Thomas W. Miller for Congress.

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Woman Known Here Was Imprisoned in Vienna—Her Execution Falsely Reported.

Miss Alice Masaryk, who has been a prisoner in Vienna on a charge of high treason for many months, in which it was reported several times, had met the fate of Edith Cavell, the English nurse who was executed by the Germans on an announcement made late last week by Alexander von Nuber, the Austrian Consul General here. On July 31 it was reported from Washington that she was in no danger of being executed, and Ambassador Penfield notified the State Department that she was being detained in Vienna on a charge of having tried to aid her father in his escape from Austria.

Miss Masaryk is a daughter of Professor Thomas G. Masaryk of Prague, who married a daughter of Rodophe Garrigue, a banker of this city. He was Professor of Philosophy in the University of Prague, a member of the Austrian Parliament, and editor of the Daily Cas, the organ of the Anti-Clerical Party. Soon after the war began he fled to London, where he has been living ever since. He was a staunch advocate of Bohemian nationality, and the annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina to Austria.

His daughter, whom he left in charge of his library, disappeared not long after he fled, and for a long time it was not known that she was in prison. Early in April of this year advices from Vienna, received here by so-called underground channels, said that she was in prison and that her friends were not allowed to visit her. Furthermore, she was not allowed to receive letters from her many friends in this country, where she is known for her settlement work, both in this city and in Chicago.

With April 27 last, Y. Yozka, Secretary of the Bohemian National Alliance, said that his organization had received word through secret sources that the Austrian Government, following fresh reports, had ordered her executed. He said there was no doubt that she had been killed.

Lodge Ridicules Wilson.

Likens His Diplomacy to a Load of Empty Handboxes.

NANTASKET, Mass., Aug. 19.—Asserting that the present Government at Washington has been an "Administration of words," Senator Henry Cabot Lodge made his opening speech of the Presidential campaign at an outing of the Republican Club of Dorchester here today.

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"It is easy to surround fine words when there is nothing in them. After the awful disaster of the Lusitania the President, you will remember, went to Philadelphia. I think he was going to try to see what the country would stand, and he used the memorable phrase, 'We are proud to fight.' The country responded the next morning. It was not a friendly response."

"So he changed, and we had a great note on 'strict accountability,' and it remains a phrase. There has never been a reparations act, and an apology for the Americans drowned or killed on the Lusitania. We are left with a phrase, with nothing but words."

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vision for Women.

A solution for one of the most agitating problems that ever has confronted Columbia University is now being sought by officers of that institution, who believe that the thousands of young women attending the Summer and regular sessions of the university, and renting rooms in furnished apartments, must be provided with places other than their sleeping rooms and neighboring parks to receive their young men friends, as well as provided with chaperons. An improvement in the conditions of housing Columbia's young women students, which have existed for a long time, is considered the more urgent because of the steady increase in the enrollment each year and the apartment house congestion that has resulted. The last of the Summer students left for their homes yesterday. The situation was discussed very frankly from all angles at a meeting in the chapel of Teachers College, to which 600 persons who rent rooms to the students were invited by Mrs. William H. Kilpatrick, Social Director at the Summer session of Columbia University, and Assistant Social Director in Teachers College during the Winter. Mrs. Kilpatrick and her associates in the social work among the young women called to the attention of the apartment lessees the dangers incident to the housing of young women and young men in the same apartments unless they were provided with the proper chaperons.

These apartment occupants who make a business of renting rooms, and they are in the great majority, on Morningside Heights were urged to set aside at least one room in each apartment to be used as a reception room by their young women friends. "When the daughters of respectable families come to Columbia University," said one of the social workers, "and obtain room and board outside the university, they should have a place to receive callers. They should not be permitted to see their young men friends in their sleeping rooms, and they should not be forced to resort to the parks. You should not permit them to do the things you would not let your servants do."

At the meeting of the apartment owners it was said Columbia must insist on the proper safeguards being taken by those who rent rooms to the students. It was suggested that one way out of the difficulty would be to assess each roomer about 25 cents a week extra for the use of a reception room. To those who objected who claimed that they had to figure the costs very closely it was pointed out that they might use the smallest and least expensive room for reception purposes. Anything was better than nothing, but the young women by all means should have a proper place to receive visits from their friends, a place to return to when they went to theatres and other places of amusement.

Several weeks before the opening of each session of the university and Summer school, all the residents in the neighborhood who desire to rent rooms to the students are notified that they must register at the university. Those who prefer to have men roomers go to Earl Hall to register their apartments, while those who prefer women register at Teachers College. On the days when this registration is being made the two offices are crowded with large numbers of apartment owners.

Another woman who leases several apartments which she fills with roomers, and has lived in the neighborhood of Columbia University almost since it was moved to Morningside Heights, said she once had tried to enforce strict discipline among her roomers, with the result that they moved elsewhere. "The apartment lessees maintain that, since they have no power to regulate the coming and going of the young women students, it is up to the university to make such regulations as are considered necessary. They further desire to place on the institution the burden of providing for the students adequate places for their reception of visitors just as the university supplies them with gymnasiums and other places of recreation."

The authorities at Columbia are going to try to find a solution for this condition before the next session beginning the latter part of September. It is probable that additional reception rooms may be provided in Whitaker Hall, corner of Amsterdam Avenue and 120th Street. Meanwhile, the authorities are considering whether it is advisable to impose restrictions on apartment owners who desire to have student roomers.

RUDOLPH ARONSON BACK.

Old Manager of the Casino to Build
a Casino in Los Angeles.

Rudolph Aronson, who built the Casino Theatre, and was its manager for sixteen years, has returned to New York, after a year's absence in California, to make preliminary arrangements for the construction of a Casino in Los Angeles. Mr. Aronson managed the last American tour of the French composer, Camille Saint-Saëns, and while touring California with the artist he became impressed with the need of such an amusement institution in Los Angeles. He has commissioned Francis H. Kimball, who designed the Casino here, and Alphonse Carliet of Los Angeles to draw the plans for the theatre. It will be located at Broadway and Twelfth Streets, in the heart of the downtown district. It will have a seating capacity of 5,000 persons, and the building will be arranged so that it can be floored over for balls and conventions. Its forty boxes will be owned by prominent Californians, who will have the use of them for first performances. The list of owners includes Henry E. Huntington and Robert A. Rowan.

A Japanese tea garden, a European Spa, studios for artists, a roof garden will be features of the building. Mr. Aronson opened the first roof garden in America atop the local Casino. A season of grand opera will be given each year in the Casino, and Mr. Aronson plans to produce at least one new Italian opera each season.

MISS C. G. WYETH ENGAGED.

Head of Grosvenor House to Wed
A. Chalmers Charles, Lawyer.

The engagement of Miss Charlotte Grosvenor Wyeth, elder daughter of Mrs. Stephen G. Williams, of 9 East Seventy-fifth Street, by her first husband, to A. Chalmers Charles, a lawyer of 69 Wall Street, is announced. Mr. Charles, who was graduated from the New York Law School in 1900, is a son of the late Richard P. Charles. Miss Wyeth is a granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. Goodridge, and is a sister of Mrs. E. Kenneth Hadden and the Misses Caroline and Elizabeth Joyce Wyeth. She is a niece of Dr. John A. Wyeth. The wedding will take place this Winter.

WILL MARRY IN CHINA.

Miss Bird Embler Sails for Shang-
hai to Wed George F. Raddow.

Miss Bird Embler of 17 Beekman Place, New York, sailed on Thursday for Shanghai, China, where her marriage to George Frederick Raddow of London, England, is to take place. Mr. Raddow is with the firm of Sullivan & Co. The honeymoon is to be spent in the Orient, and Mr. and Mrs. Raddow will live in Hankow, China. Miss Embler is the youngest daughter of William M. Embler, President of the New York Building and Loan Association of 35-43 West 125th Street, this city.

DR. P. J. FLAGG TO MARRY.

Lecturer on Anaesthesia to Wed Miss
Dorothy C. Ritter.

The marriage of Miss Dorothy Cushman Ritter, the daughter of the late Frederick W. Ritter of Greenwich, Wall Street broker, and Dr. Paul J. Flagg will take place early next month at the Church of the Paulist Fathers, Miss Ritter having recently become a convert to the Roman Catholic faith. Dr. Flagg is a lecturer on anaesthesia at Fordham University, instructor in anaesthesia at the College of Physicians and Surgeons, and is also the author of "The Art of Anaesthesia."

Dr. Doell Weds Miss Siarri.

The marriage of Dr. Theodore P. Doell of New York and Miss Juliette J. Siarri, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Siarri of 185 Murray Street, Flushing, L. I., took place last evening at the bride's home, the Rev. Dr. A. Brown of All Saints' Church, Bayside, officiating. Miss Marie Louise Duross was maid of honor, and Miss Rose Goldberg, the bridesmaid. The bride wore white tulle trimmed with lace and carried a bouquet of white flowers. The wedding was in pink and Miss Goldberg in yellow. Dr. Doell and his bride will live in New York.

Bull-Curtis Wedding Tomorrow.

The wedding of Miss Leontine Curtis, the daughter of Mrs. Arthur Wesley Perego, and William T. Bull, the son of the late Dr. William Tillinghast Bull and Mrs. Bull of New York and Dudley Place, Newport, L. I., will take place in New London, Conn., tomorrow. The engagement was announced on Aug. 8. Miss Curtis is the daughter of Mrs. Perego's first husband and a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Whitney of Brooklyn.

Plant-Wasserman Wedding Sept. 12

The marriage of Miss Estelle P. Wasserman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin H. Wasserman of 111 West Eighty-eighth Street, to Seymour Plant will take place on the evening of Tuesday, Sept. 12, at the home of the bride's parents.

A Son in Chas. S. Bulkeley's Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stone Bulkeley of 311 E. 11th St., N. Y. are being congratulated upon the birth of a son on Friday. Mrs. Bulkeley was Miss Marian Sherwood Wilson.

Mrs. Ida Husted Harper Returns.

Mrs. Ida Husted Harper has returned to New York after spending six months in California, and is staying at the Hotel Gramatan till she goes to Atlantic City to take part in the National Suffrage Convention on Sept. 6.

JAMES SELIGMAN VERY ILL.

Member of Banking Firm of J. & W.
Seligman is 92 Years Old.

Specialist to The New York Times.
LONG BRANCH, N. Y., Aug. 19.—James Seligman, senior member of the firm of J. & W. Seligman and the oldest member of the New York Stock Exchange, is critically ill at his Ocean Avenue home here. He is in his ninety-third year and has been seriously ill for the last two weeks. A change for the worse took place tonight and it is announced that his physicians have given up hope of his recovery. Mr. Seligman is the oldest Long Branch cottager. On April 14 Mrs. Benjamin Guggenheim, his daughter, gave a party in his honor at the St. Regis Hotel, New York, to celebrate his ninety-second birthday. Three generations of the family were present and a feature of the entertainment was a series of motion pictures in which Mr. Seligman and some of the children were shown.

WORK TO CONVICT KING.

Stielow's Counsel Telegraphs to This
City "Case is Almost Complete."

The case against Edwin King, who confessed to the West Shelby murder, for which Charles F. Stielow was condemned to death, and later recanted, was virtually complete, Misha Appelbaum of the Humanitarian Cult announced last night. Mr. Appelbaum received a telegram last night from Stielow's chief counsel, Stuart M. Kohn, who has been conferring at Albion with James W. Osborne, special counsel; David A. White, counsel of record, and Mrs. Grace Humiston. In his telegram Mr. Kohn said: "Sheriff Nichols (of Cattaraugus County) has demanded that District Attorney Knickerbocker return King to his custody. Should he refuse we shall insist on King's indictment in Orleans County on a charge of murder."

"Expect to have the missing gun in our possession tonight. Please have the buried clothes found examined for blood stains. Case almost complete, and we shall insist on arguing the motion the 26th and oppose the reported delay sought by Knickerbocker."

2 KILLED IN AUTO ACCIDENTS

Postmaster of Riverhead, L. I.,
Caught Under Overturned Car.

Two persons were killed and several seriously injured in automobile accidents yesterday near this city. J. Frank Dimon, Postmaster of Riverhead, L. I., was killed when his automobile overturned on the Aqueduct Road. Men working near by sent for his wife, who arrived before he died. He was 48 years old, and was appointed Postmaster by President Wilson. In addition to his wife, he leaves his parents and a brother. Angelo Fennel of Montclair, N. J., was killed and James Haycock, Jr., of Fallades, N. J., was badly injured when the large automobile truck Haycock was driving overturned on the Jericho Turnpike, a mile east of Mineola, L. I. Haycock was sent to the Mineola Hospital, and Coroner Frank Seaman is investigating the accident. Bernard Selden, 6 years old, of 31 Wyandham Place, Rockaway Beach, L. I., suffered a possible fracture of the skull yesterday when he was run over by an automobile truck driven by Philip Abram of 12 South Pleasant Avenue. He was sent to the Rockaway Beach Hospital and later taken home.

Mrs. Mary Miller, 45 years old, of 317 East Avenue, Long Island City, had her jaw broken and suffered severe lacerations when the automobile in which she was riding collided with the motor driven by Eugene Rosenfeld of Flushing, L. I. She was taken to the Flushing Hospital.

COMMUNITY CHORUS IN MAIL TODAY.

The tenth open-air meeting of the New
York Community Chorus will be held
this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Mail
in Central Park. Harry Barthart will
lead the chorus in the songs they have
been practicing and an orchestra will
play the accompaniments. Miss Alma
Simpson, an American singer, who re-
cently returned from Germany, where
she has been singing Wagnerian roles
at Koenigsberg, will be the soloist. In
case of rain the chorus will meet in the
auditorium of De Witt Clinton High
School. Arthur Nevin, who conducts a
similar chorus in Lawrence, Kan., will
address the organization next week.

SAILS TOWED CAPT. ROBERTS

Mrs. John C. Breckenridge to Marry
Officer of King's Rifle.

Mrs. John Cabel Breckenridge sailed on the American liner St. Louis yesterday for Liverpool on her way to St. Petersburg, where she is to be married to Captain Frederick R. Roberts of the King's Rifles, to whom she has been engaged for six months. Captain Roberts is now on leave in London, and called his fiancée to come over immediately. Plans for the wedding will not be made until Mrs. Breckenridge's arrival. Mrs. Breckenridge was formerly Miss Adelaide Murphy, daughter of Samuel C. Murphy, the millionaire banker of San Francisco. She was married in 1902 to John Cabel Breckenridge, a San Francisco lawyer, who was killed in a Paris sanitarium in March, 1914. The marriage was annulled in Salinas, Cal. Mrs. Breckenridge was accompanied by her young son, John Cabel Breckenridge.

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Extraordinary Values

Women's Thread Silk Hosiery with lisle tops and soles. Black or White. pair 75c
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Special Values

Women's Fibre Silk Sweaters with mercerized back; collar and sash. Rose, Copenhagen Blue and Gold. Special 5.75
Women's Shetland Weave Worsted Sweaters, —light weight; belted models with collar; desirable colors. Special 6.90

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Formal Opening of the latest styles and colors in Plain and Novelty Silks, Satins and Velvets for Autumn wear, comprising many designs identical to those used in Models to be shown at the various fashion displays in September, suitable for Bridal, Reception, Fete, Stage and Street Wear.

Also a Specially Arranged Exhibition of

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15,000 Yards of New Autumn Black Dress Silks in a variety of fashionable weaves, including Crepe de Chine, Dress Satin, Messaline and Chiffon Taffeta.

Special, yd. 1.25

WOOL DRESS GOODS

Showing the newest fashionable Fall weaves and colorings in Bolivia Cloth, Velour, Tweed, Mixtures, Plaids, Broadcloth, Jersey Cloth and Two-toned Striped Fabrics.

Special Offerings

Satin Finish Broadcloth in a full range of Fall colorings; sponged and shrunk. 54 inches wide. Special, yd. 2.25
All Wool Tailor Serge in Navy Blue or Black; 54 inches wide. Special, yd. 1.35
Imported Black Broadcloth,—brilliant finish; sponged and shrunk. 52 inches wide. Special, yd. 1.75

August Fur Sale

Offering Advance Fall Models in High-Grade Fur Coats

At Savings From 20% to 25%

These prices will continue only for the month of August. Purchases will be stored free of charge until November 1st.

Hudson Seal Coats of choice skins, with Natural Skunk collar and cuffs; 45 inches long; full sweep.

165.00

After August 210.00

Hudson Seal Coats made from selected skins; self collar and cuffs; 45 inches long; full sweep.

135.00

After August 165.00

Hudson Seal Coats with deep collar, cuffs and border of Natural Skunk; made from choice skins; 48 inches long.

245.00

After August 295.00

Persian Lamb Coats of selected lustrous skins, with Skunk collar; 40 inches long.

135.00

After August 165.00

WOMEN'S FALL SUITS

An excellent assortment of models in Gabardine, Broadcloth and Velour, plain or effectively trimmed with fur, at moderate prices.

Special Offering

Tailored Suits in new Fall models, reproductions of the latest designs, in Gabardine, Broadcloth and Velour.

29.75 and 39.50

COTTON DRESS FABRICS

Exceptional Values

Plain Silk and Cotton Crepe de Chine and Marquisette in a full line of latest colors. 36 inches wide. Special, yd. 38c
Chiffon Finish Plain Dress Voiles in leading Autumn colors. 40 inches wide. Special, yd. 38c

Genuine Imported Scotch Dress Gingham in a large assortment of the most desirable patterns and colors.

Special, yd. 45c

McCreery's White Irish Dress Linen. 36 inches wide.

Special, yd. 48c

French Wool Dress Challis in a complete range of newest designs and colors.

Special, yd. 58c

Superior Grade White Long Cloth, 12 yards in a piece.

Special, pc. 1.45

Final Clearance

15,000 Yards of Double Width

PRINTED VOILES

Superior quality; very smart and attractive designs and latest color combinations.

Special, yd. 12½c

1,000 PORCH DRESSES

Clearance Sale

A number of dainty models in Women's Cotton Dresses, plain or trimmed.

2.95 and 3.75

formerly up to 5.50

BATHING SUITS

At Clearance Prices

300 Women's Bathing Suits of Mohair,—pretty models with contrasting color trimming.

2.95 formerly 3.95 and 4.95

118 Silk Bathing Suits,—only one or two of a kind; very attractive models.

4.95 formerly 7.50 to 9.50

WOMEN'S COATS

A choice collection Women's Fall Coats and Wraps in the newest materials and most fashionable colors.

Special

Attractive Fall models in Motor Coats of English Mixtures; smart, full cut.

12.50, 16.50 and 19.50

Raincoats of Rubberized Materials. 8.75

WOMEN'S FALL DRESSES

An exceptionally attractive display of advance Fall models in Women's Afternoon and Street Dresses in Broadcloth, Serge and Satin; most desirable colors.

Prices range 21.50 to 85.00

Afternoon Dresses of Navy Blue Serge in Russian effect; waist and top of skirt accented-plaited; white satin sailor collar and cuffs; collar and skirt trimmed with band of Natural color Beaver Plush.

Special 17.50

Smart Fall Styles

MISSSES' SUITS, COATS & DRESSES

Misses' Suits in exclusive models, made of Broadcloth, Gabardine or Wool Poplin in Navy Blue, Brown, Green, Black or Plum; also Plain or Check Velour. Size 14 to 18 years.

26.50, 29.50 and 32.50

Misses' Coats, smart models in Wool Velour, Serge, Gabardine or Tweed Mixtures. Size 14 to 18 years.

18.50, 22.50 and 29.50

Misses' Serge Dresses,—excellent assortment of practical and smart models in Navy Blue Serge; plain, embroidered or combined with satin. Size 14 to 18 years.

14.75, 18.50 and 26.50

Misses' Afternoon Dresses of Taffeta, Meteor or Charmeuse; chic models in the newest Fall colorings. Size 14 to 18 years.

18.50, 26.50 and 29.50

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Exclusive Fall Apparel

Moderately Priced

SILK AFTERNOON DRESSES

New models of charmeuse, crepe Georgette and satin in the new fall shades.

24.50 29.50 39.50

Special for Monday

Satin & Georgette Crepe Dresses

New Autumn models, handsomely embroidered; in all the new colorings.

Special 18.50

NEW SERGE DRESSES

Of men's wear serge, or serge combined with satin or Georgette in all the new colors.

13.75 18.50 24.50

FUR TRIMMED & TAILORED SUITS

Fashioned of broadcloth or velour in all the new colorings.

29.50 39.50 45.00

FUR TRIMMED & TAILORED COATS

Of Bolivia cloth or velour, silk lined throughout, in the new autumn shades.

24.50 29.50 39.50

End-of-the-Season Sale

Men's Furnishings

(Sleeve Lengths Altered Free of Charge)

3,440 "McCreery Shirts"

95c

A large collection of Shirts in Madras and Mercerized Materials of serviceable quality; attractive patterns and colorings.

Silk Shirts

4.45

Fine quality Heavy Silk in various colors, excellent workmanship.

"Comfort" Shirts

(Collar Attached)

1.55

Made of Soisette or Cheviot; collar attached in two heights.

Silk Scarfs

65c

Genuine "Pussy Willow" Silks in a variety of patterns.

Silk Scarfs

35c, 3 for 1.00

Four-in-hands of Crepe Foulard and Silks; various patterns.

Tennis Trousers

3.25

Made of Striped Flannel or Serge.

Pajamas

1.35

Made of fine quality Madras or Mercerized Materials; silk loops; pearl buttons.

Half Hose

24c

Mercerized Lisle Hose in various colors; reinforced heels, toes and soles.

CO-OPERATION PLAN
AGITATES CATHOLICSConvention Here to Decide on
a Country-Wide Social
Service Program.

PRELATES FAVOR PROJECT

Cardinal Gibbons and Papal Dele-
gate Bonzano Arrive for Pontif-
ical Mass in Cathedral Today.

On the eve of the great Pontifical mass in St. Patrick's Cathedral, which will constitute the central act of worship of "Catholic Week," delegates of the four bodies holding the joint convention were seriously agitated last night over the proposition of adopting a co-operative country-wide social service program.

The American Federation of Catholic Societies, which is fostering this radical change in the operative plan of lay organizations of the Church throughout the United States and Canada, obtained a hearing yesterday morning when 125 representatives of social, charitable, press, educational, and propaganda organizations met in Cathedral College Hall to debate the advisability of the plan. It was disclosed there that within the plan, far-reaching as it is in itself, lies the deeper proposition that the federation itself shall control the proposed combined operations of the four bodies asked to join. They are, besides the federation, the German Catholic Verein, the National Conference of Catholic Charities, and the Catholic Press Association.

Federation leaders yesterday were confident in their predictions that a working organization which would amount almost, if not quite, to co-secution, rather than co-operation, will be the result. They asserted that they have enough votes to dominate the convention, and admitted that they were studying especially the attitude of the delegation from New England to give impetus to the scheme.

The fact that the Central Verein, itself particularly active in social work, is allied with the federation, and is most ready in spirit to support the plan, upon to overcome whatever opposition may arise from an official mouthpiece of the federation came the cautionary declaration that Cardinal O'Connell has definitely expressed himself in favor of the federation's idea.

Cardinal Gibbons is relied upon to remain neutral. Despite the conviction of federation officers that the movement will be accomplished, none of the other bodies go as far as endorsing it yesterday. The Catholic Press Association referred the whole matter to its Executive Committee, and the Central Verein asked its Committee on Social Propaganda to analyze its merits.

Bishop J. J. Muldoon of Rockford, Ill., Chairman of the Social Service Commission of the federation, presided at the conference. Those present were told that the dominating idea is to have a central bureau representative of the most active and sentiment of Catholics throughout the country, in touch with all elements, and equipped and organized to use every modern agency to further social, educational and propaganda work. The plan embraced using the Catholic press as a central clearing house and disseminator and the creation out of existing educational bodies of a national Catholic Chautauqua.

Others favoring the plan were Archbishop Sebastian G. Messersmith of St. Louis, and Mr. J. J. Kane of Pittsburgh, Mr. Ambrose F. Roche of Boston, Chairman of the federation's Committee on Public Morals, and Secretary Anthony Matre, R. S. G.

Committee to Consider Matter.

This committee was appointed to consider the matter and report back at once to the conference. The Rev. J. J. Kirby, President of the Federation in the Catholic University at Washington, D. C., representing the National Conference of Catholic Charities, the Rev. Edward F. Garesche of St. Louis, the Rev. J. J. Kane of Pittsburgh, and the Rev. Peter E. Dietz of Hot Springs, Ark., and Mr. F. F. Kane of St. Louis, this committee promptly recommended the creation of a permanent social service commission, with a membership representative of all those in interest. When the matter had progressed that far and had gone to the hands of the various executive boards, federation leaders let it be known that they feared co-operation among four distinct organizations, each agreeing to co-operate but each working autonomously, would mean a "rope of sand" that they rejected themselves far the most active of the bodies joining in the convention, and that they considered their achievement of bringing three Cardinals and the Papal Delegate to New York entitled them to a certain amount of prestige.

The report of the federation's committee on constitution will bring before that body, it was learned yesterday, a proposed internal change almost as important as the desired coalition. The committee is expected to recommend that the federation reorganize along the lines of "the Massachusetts idea" in other words, that it substitute diocesan representation for the present geographical practice of having delegates from counties and States. The National Secretary Garesche was closely guarding last night the federation's annual report because of the delicate importance of that section in the language to Mexico. Mr. Garesche would not discuss the report last night, but this much can be authoritatively said about it: it now stands. The report will criticize the Wilson Administration's record in Mexico but as far as possible in language in which "the facts will speak for themselves." Every effort has been made to phrase the section that Republican Candidate Charles E. Hughes and his supporters can not make use of it as a campaign document. Any attempt to employ it will be repudiated in the strongest terms by the federation. The body's constitution, which absolutely forbids partisan politics, will be used to refute any claim that it is committed to Mr. Hughes. As a matter of fact the federation members in mind the debate on questions of national politics and its own members are in ignorance as to which side is most favorable.

The report will be particularly severe upon Carranza. No claim that Huerta should have been recognized was made, but the report will assert that President Wilson, to the Catholic mind, stood committed to a promise not to recognize any kind of a de facto government who would not insure religious freedom to persons of all creeds in Mexico. The assertion, he maintained, that Carranza has not granted religious toleration to Roman Catholics.

The arrival in New York last evening of Cardinal Gibbons of Baltimore and the Papal Delegate John Bonzano marked the completion of arrangements for the extraordinary pontifical mass at St. Patrick's Cathedral this morning, which will be sung by Cardinal Farley and participated in by 10,000 of the faithful.

Mr. Lavette, rector of the Cathedral, Cardinal Farley's Secretary, Father Carroll, and other church dignitaries in two automobiles met the two Cardinals at the Pennsylvania Station. They arrived simultaneously, though Cardinal Gibbons came from Washington, D. C., where he spends his Summers, and Mr. Bonzano from Washington.

Cardinal Gibbons Arrives.

The aged Baltimore prelate looked as well as ever. His eyes were bright, his manner was quick and eager, and his speech crisp and ready.

"One thing is certain," he said to reporters, "I know that the great city of New York will extend to the mighty pontiff coming within its gates hospitality worthy of this metropolis. The week's work here is a task that will be all for construction and not for destruction. It will be devoted to the well-being of the church and the spiritual uplift of all our people."

have done during the last year," he continued in slowly chosen and carefully planned sentences, "and to prepare a new program for the coming year."

Mr. Bonzano indignantly denied a report published in a morning newspaper on Friday that he had declined Benedict, realizing that an allied victory is the inevitable conclusion of the European war, had directed the Cardinals to pray for the success of the allied arms, in order that peace may come speedily.

"His Holiness is not neutral, he is impartial," the Papal Delegate said emphatically. "I have had no direct communication about it. I absolutely deny it."

Present plans contemplate that nearly all the 10,000 participants in the great mass shall march in bodies to the Cathedral, and that there will be a large number of priests, and the 2,000 or more priests who will share in the celebration have been selected from various organized bodies in New York, New Jersey, and Long Island. The same guard will surround Madison Square Garden during the huge mass meeting tonight.

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Elaborate Police Arrangements.

Elaborate police arrangements have been perfected in order to avoid the slightest untoward incident in or near the Cathedral. In addition to a large detail of uniformed and plainclothes men of the department and Chief Inspector Schmittberger, the whole Cathedral block will be surrounded by a Catholic legion of honor composed of men selected from various organized bodies in New York, New Jersey, and Long Island. The same guard will surround Madison Square Garden during the huge mass meeting tonight.

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MILLION FOR NURSES' WORK.

Henry Street Settlement Seeks Fund—Expects to Aid Cripples.

Leo Arnstein, who is Finance Committee Chairman of the Board of Education, Vice President of Mount Sinai Hospital, and a Trustee of the Henry Street Settlement, when asked yesterday about the work of the settlement in connection with poliomyelitis, said:

"Of course, the epidemic has added greatly to the burdens of our nursing service. We were already handicapped by reason of the institution of every nurse to care for the calls received in the ordinary routine—our regular staff numbers about 100 nurses—and had recently been devoting ways and means to add twenty-five to the present number. However, the settlement can still boast that no call has yet remained unanswered, as, despite the severe strain put upon it, during the epidemic of 1907, to homes where the scourge of poliomyelitis appeared, or where alarmed mothers feared a child's sudden illness might be the forerunner of the dread paralysis."

The average person does not fully realize the amount of after-care that the victims of the disease require. More than 100 children who suffered during the epidemic of 1907 are still receiving treatment at the Hospital for Crippled and Ruptured Children. To insure proper care of the convalescents, Henry Street nurses will keep track of all discharged cases in Manhattan and Brooklyn and see that children not otherwise provided for receive regular treatment at the settlement.

Not the least important work the nurses are doing now is their effort to protect children against fake cures, which are already being extensively exploited throughout the lower east side. Extravagant claims are being made for nostrums, and parents, in their eagerness to help their children, are often instrumental, not in retarding their recovery, but in actually working harm to the patients.

All the nurses are graduates of regular nurses' training schools, and receive salaries ranging from \$720 to \$1,200 a year, with maintenance. Hitherto the settlement has been sustained by donations from private sources—Protestant, Catholic, and Jew, white, and black. Inheritors of great fortunes and simple work with their hands—all have contributed their quota toward its upkeep. Now, however, the enormous increased demands for nurses' services in the homes of the poor necessitate a wider support and a less hazardous financial basis than that on which it now rests. Hence, we are making our first appeal to the public, and an endowment fund of \$1,000,000 is asked to carry part of the cost of the service. People are giving lavishly to war relief, Red Cross, and kindred demands, but there is a large body of the general public who still can think of things nearer than the war zone or the Rio Grande, even though they do think of these distant horizons at times, too."

"The first meeting of our committee was held on May 17 at the city home of Mrs. Vincent Astor, and in the comparatively short time since then we have received contributions of more than half a million dollars. One woman gave \$100,000, and two others \$75,000 each. We have received several contributions of \$50,000 and \$25,000. Other contributions range from \$1,000 to \$200. Not all the donations, however, run into four figures. We have received many checks for \$10 and \$25, and by no means the least appreciated one contribution of twenty-five cents made in memory of a child who had received treatment from the nurses. Everett May is Treasurer of the committee, with headquarters in Room 1,802, 62 William Street, where any one wishing to contribute to the cause may send checks or money."

FOREIGN PROFESSORS HERE.

Four of Note to be at Columbia for the Coming Year.

Columbia University will have four foreign exchange professors during the coming year, a greater number than at any time since the beginning of the war, according to the announcement made yesterday at the university. Among these will be the first Spanish professor that has ever filled an exchange chair at Columbia. He is Professor Federico de Onís of the University of Oviedo, in Northern Spain, who will lecture on the History of Spanish Literature, and will conduct classes during the entire scholastic year.

The Seventh Course on the Carpenter Foundation will be given by Professor Harold Hazeltine, a Fellow and Law Lecturer at Emanuel College, Cambridge University. His subject will be English legal history, with special reference to the sources and development of English medieval law and its bearing on modern legal growth in England and America. Others who have given courses under this foundation are Sir Courtenay Lytton, Clerk of the House of Commons; Arthur Lionel Smith of Balliol College, Oxford, and former Ambassador to the United States; and Professor Lanson, D. Litt., Professor of Historical Literature at the University of Paris, who will give a course in literature, and M. Martonne will lecture on geography under the auspices of the College de France.

Professors de Onís and Lanson will give their courses under the auspices of the Carpenter Foundation. The courses will be held in the University of Columbia.

The aged Baltimore prelate looked as well as ever. His eyes were bright, his manner was quick and eager, and his speech crisp and ready.

"One thing is certain," he said to reporters, "I know that the great city of New York will extend to the mighty pontiff coming within its gates hospitality worthy of this metropolis. The week's work here is a task that will be all for construction and not for destruction. It will be devoted to the well-being of the church and the spiritual uplift of all our people."

CATHOLIC LEADERS
OF EARLY NEW YORKT. F. Meehan Tells of the Part
They Took in Manhattan,
Beginning in 1524.

MANY CHURCH LANDMARKS

Custom House Stands Where the
First Catholic Gov-
ernor Lived.

Facts of Interest to Catholics visiting New York are contained in an article by Thomas F. Meehan in yesterday's issue of The Tablet, who recalls the prominent part they played in the foundation of the city.

"The first white man to set foot on the territory New York includes," he says, "was a Catholic, for Verrazano landed here in 1494, nearly a century before Hudson appeared, and the first prayer that went up to heaven from Manhattan Island was uttered by Catholic lips. The late Rev. Dr. Morgan Dix, the Protestant rector of Trinity Church, who was one of the leading authorities on the history of the first explorers, said of Verrazano: 'Whether one of the priestly order accompanied Verrazano on this voyage cannot be positively affirmed; it is altogether likely, indeed, it should be next to impossible that this should not have been the case.'"

"Another Catholic explorer, Gomez, sailed into the bay the following year, and he named it St. Christopher. He also called the river after St. Anthony, and so they are set down on the earliest maps. The Catholic title deeds of the Dutch, therefore, go back to the very earliest dates, and the landmarks of the Church's progress are all about the city, waiting to be discovered by those who would supply pleasant and profitable recreation."

At the Battery his Italian companion has set up a handsome memorial

to Verrazano, and near by are a number of interesting spots. In 1643 the present Morris Street was a lane leading to the river. Beside it stood the residence of Dominie Johannes Megapolensis, the Dutch Calvinist minister as famous in the annals of early New York. It was in this house that the heroic Jesuit missionary, Father Isaac Jogues, rested before he sailed for Europe and recovered from the barbarous tortures to which he was put by the Mohawk Indians. Here also the other Jesuit missionaries, Fathers Joseph Bresson and Simon Le Moyne, were later (1644-58) hospitably entertained. During this visit Father Le Moyne described to Megapolensis the rich and exhaustless salt springs he had discovered on Aug. 16, 1654, in Onondaga County. The Dominie sent this information to his ecclesiastical superiors, the Classis in Holland, with the caution, 'Whether it be true or whether it be false, I do not determine.'"

"Where the Custom House stands was the site of the fort of Colonial times, Colonel Thomas Dongan, the then recently appointed Catholic Governor of the Duke of York's Province of New York, took up his residence in this fort on Aug. 20, 1682, and the following morning, Sunday, his chaplain, Father Thomas Harvey, S. J., celebrated in an improvised chapel the first mass in the city known to have been offered up in what is now one of the greatest

Catholic communities of the whole world. Dominick Lynch, a wealthy Irish merchant, lived at 80 Broadway in the early days of the Republic, and was one of the four representative Catholics who signed the address of congratulation to Washington when the first President was inaugurated. His son, Dominick, Jr., was the angel of the first Italian opera company that sang in New York. He brought the company over from Europe in one of his own ships. At the head of the company was Manuel Garcia and his daughter, the famous Mme. Marzani, was the prima donna. She was married to Malibran in old St. Peter's Church in Barclay Street, while the company were singing at the Park Theatre, which stood in Park Row opposite the site of the present Federal Building. Dominick Lynch, Jr., lived in Greenwich Street, near Battery Place.

"St. Peter's, Barclay Street, built in 1798, was the first Catholic church in New York. This structure, however, was torn down in 1836 and the present one opened in 1838. The ground was purchased from the trustees of the Protestant Episcopal Trinity Corporation, who still own St. Peter's rectory on the opposite side of the street. For more than a century the most harmonious business relations have existed between the Catholic pastor of St. Peter's and his Trinity Church landlord. Barclay

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\$100,000 GIFT TO COLUMBIA

J. N. Jarvie's Donation Makes Opening of Dental School Possible.

Columbia University announced yesterday a gift of \$100,000 from James N. Jarvie, the banker, for the new dental school, plans for which were launched last Spring. This contribution to the \$1,000,000 endowment will make possible the opening of the school in September. In notifying the university of his brother's gift, Dr. William Jarvie stated:

"I sincerely hope the starting of this school will be the beginning of what the dental profession has for many years aspired to, namely, the positive association in education of medicine and dentistry, resulting in much higher standards in the knowledge of the influence of mouth conditions upon the general system. The \$100,000 was the first large gift to the Dental School. Smaller amounts, aggregating \$10,000, have been given in the past. The fund will be used to help a \$50,000 temporary building on a site at the College of Physicians and Surgeons, which institution the Dental School will be allied."

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Figured Silkoline, cotton filled.....regularly 2.50, 1.90
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regularly 3.75

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regularly 4.25

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Crochet, hemmed.....regularly 1.65 and 2.00, 1.25 and 1.50

Marseilles, satin finish, hemmed.....2.75 and 3.50
regularly 3.75 and 4.75

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regularly 4.00 and 5.00

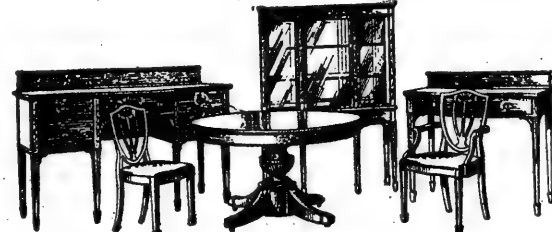
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Two-piece Chippendale Model Suite, as illustrated, covered in finest Velour, upholstered with hair and moss, loose down cushions; frames of solid Mahogany, hand-carved. 197.50 formerly 395.00

1 Jacobean Davenport in Tapestry.....formerly 185.00, 92.50

1 Jacobean Chair to match.....formerly 98.00, 49.00

1 Velour Armchair.....formerly 89.50, 44.75

1 Tapestry Wing Chair.....formerly 45.00, 22.50

1 Velour Wing Chair.....formerly 40.00, 20.00

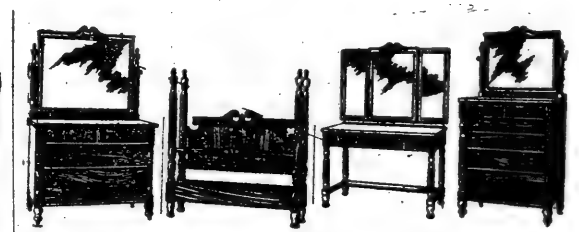
3 Tapestry Sofas, loose cushions.....formerly 75.00, 37.50

1 Mahogany Davenport.....formerly 75.00, 37.50

10 Mahogany Foot Stools.....formerly 8.00, each 4.00

1 Velour Armchair.....formerly 45.00, 22.50

20 Jacobean Armchairs and Rockers.....each 12.50
formerly 25.00



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Four-piece Colonial Model Suite, as illustrated, made of finest Mahogany, with crocheted Mahogany panels. Bureau, Chiffonier, Toilet Table and Full Size Bed. 237.50 formerly 475.00

1 Four-piece Adam Suite.....formerly 1150.00, 575.00

1 Five-piece Antique Ivory Enameled Suite.....337.50
formerly 675.00

2 Five-piece French Gray Enameled Suites.....337.50
formerly 675.00

1 Four-piece Cafe au Lait Enameled Suite.....250.00
formerly 500.00

1 Four-piece Cafe au Lait Enameled Suite.....275.00
formerly 550.00

1 Louis XVI Model Dresser.....formerly 125.00, 62.50

1 Circassian Walnut Chiffonier.....formerly 137.50, 68.75

50 Four-post Mahogany Beds, formerly 50.00, each 25.00

TROOP RECALL TALK HAMPERS PRESIDENT

Washington Annoyed at Publication of Funston's Advocacy of Pershing's Return.

WAS TO BE A TRUMP CARD

Administration Hoped to Use Withdrawal as Issue in the Proposed Joint Conference.

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—A definite indication for the withdrawal of the American troops from Mexico of General Pershing's expedition has been made to the Secretary of War by Major Gen. Frederick Funston in response to a message from the War Department inquiring, for the information of President Wilson, whether the expedition can be withdrawn with safety as far as the protection of the American border is concerned.

Officials did not intend that General Funston's recommendation should be made known at this time, but the fact leaked. Although neither confirmed nor denied formally, it was established in an authoritative quarter that General Funston had made such a recommendation.

There are some who think that the Carranza Government may now make new overtures for the withdrawal of the American forces and intimate, if only informally, that there appears to be a reason than formerly for the consideration of the Mexican controversy by a joint commission, if the Government should follow General Funston's recommendation and call Pershing's forces back to the United States.

Secretary Baker conferred with President Wilson this afternoon regarding the Funston message and the effect of publication. After the conference he stated that there had been no change of policy and that no orders had been issued for the withdrawal of the troops.

The premature disclosure of General Funston's opinion caused a stir in official circles, where it is felt that the move is calculated to strengthen the hand of the Carranza Government in its diplomatic campaign for the withdrawal of the expedition. Publication of the withdrawal recommendation takes from the administration one of the trump cards it expected to play in the projected joint conference.

The Carranza Government instructed its Commissioners to give preferential treatment in the coming conference to the questions of withdrawal of American troops and the protection of the border by joint military action; the United States Government expected that the Mexican delegates would press for the withdrawal of the troops immediately. To be prepared for such a demand a message was sent to General Funston, asking for his opinion.

Specialists whether he thought the troops could be withdrawn with safety. Now that his recommendation is disclosed, it is felt that the American representatives will enter the conference at a disadvantage when the Carranza delegates know in advance that this Government is preparing to concede the withdrawal of the troops.

Since the Pershing expedition is no longer being used for the pursuit of Mexican marauders, and even its protective character has been lessened, the dispatch of 100,000 National Guardsmen to the border, it is believed not only at General Funston's headquarters in San Antonio but among army officers here that the stated purposes of the expedition to pursue and to protect have been lost sight of and that it would be wise to withdraw the forces to conserve the health of the men, help the relations of the two Governments, and lessen expense.

The United States had fewer than 40,000 men on the border when the Carranza raid occurred. At present there are 100,000 guardsmen in concentration camps on the border, and nearly 35,000 in mobilization camps in various States ready to be sent to the front. Nearly 40,000 regulars are on the border, and approximately 11,000 in the Pershing expedition. It is argued that the border force is as well able to protect the border as the force of 11,000 now camped in Mexico.

MEXICAN OFFICIALS REJOICE

Think Pershing's Recall Would Settle International Muddle

Special to The New York Times.

EL PASO, Texas, Aug. 19.—Mexican officers and officials were rejoicing today over the report from Fort Sam Houston that General Funston had recommended the withdrawal of the American punitive expedition from Mexico. This has been advocated by the Juarez officers for the last two months.

The withdrawal of the troops is a matter for the diplomatic corps of the United States, and I consider it far too delicate for me to make any statement regarding the advisability of taking the troops out of the country," General Gabriel Gavira, Inspector General of the northern troops, said in Juarez today.

"The removal of the American troops from Mexico will dissolve all of the troubles between Mexico and the United States, and a commission will no longer be necessary," General Francisco Gonzalez, commander of the Juarez garrison, said. "Nothing could do more to weld the two republics together in a bond of affection than the ordering out of the troops. I am very much encouraged over the prospects of an early adjustment of our difficult situation."

Rafael Martinez, Federal Judge, Julio Carranza, Customs Collector, a relative of General Carranza, and others, including the Carranza Consul, Andres Garcia, were elated over the report, and there was a general air of rejoicing at the comandancia in Juarez.

Review of General Pershing's veterans of the Mexican campaign when they arrive at this city. The plan is to have a general review of all the militia troops on the border, headed by Pershing's chief of staff, General H. H. Harkness, General C. M. Clement of Pennsylvania, General Bell, and General E. Leroy Sawyer of Massachusetts.

Camp sites are being laid out at Fort Bliss for the punitive expedition.

TELLS BORDER "HARDSHIPS."

Maryland Trooper Looks at Amusements in Spirit of Fun.

New York guardsmen on the border are not the only ones studying the habits of Texas tarantulas and becoming acquainted with the erratic dispositions of Texas cow ponies and, in general, discovering that Sherman's definition of war applies to a considerable extent to service on the Mexican border.

Mr. Augustus Fowke of Baltimore, a member of Maryland's crack cavalry troop A, announces in a letter to his cousin, Miss Julia Mudgett, an artist of this city:

"The romances for years have been telling a glib American public that Mexican soldiers are the most wonderfully beautiful creatures on earth. And so we expected quite a treat. But the Mexican soldiers of the border are not like a bunch of last year's bird nests. Searching parties have been unable to find one that would be reasonably pretty in a meeting of blind men."

"There are a lot of crawling things around camp," the camp of this Maryland troop is at Eagle Pass—"but we are used to them now. In fact, we know nearly all the tarantulas by sight and call the rattlesnakes by their first names in Spanish. At the time we're having the time of our young lives, now that our horses have arrived. The first day with the new horses was a regular picnic. I found that the expression 'swearing like a trooper' is decidedly founded on fact."

"Our Captain was the first to lose his dignity and incidentally his horse. He forgot he was riding the meanest animal on four legs—a Mexican mustang—and the Captain suddenly ascended from his horse and did a graceful pirouette over the coral fence, and landed in an overgrown cactus plant. That Captain had hidden powers in the way of expression that we had never suspected."

"I was no elated over this linguistic

and physical acrobatic exhibition that I forgot I was also on a new horse, and in a split second I was taking a refreshing bath in the cooling waters of the watering trough. From this comfortable point of vantage I witnessed the greatest show on earth and it didn't cost a cent."

When we finally got to camp there wasn't a man in the troop who hadn't been thrown at least four times, and one man insisted that he had hit the ground twenty-four times. Now, however, these horses are getting so they are regular horses with none but orthodox amblings in life."

By the way, I had as bedfellows last night one scorpion and two centipedes. They didn't kick the covers off during the night, and so I want to tell you that I discovered their presence. For a moment after that the whole camp thought the Mexicans had arrived."

TELLS OF WORK ON BORDER.

Y. M. C. A. Publication Says \$500,000 Is Required.

The Army and Navy Department of the Young Men's Christian Association, headquarters of which are at 124 East Twenty-eighth Street, issued yesterday the first number of a little semi-monthly paper called Border Work, which, as the name indicates, is devoted to the interests of the regular and National Guard troops now on duty along the Mexican border. The committee in charge of the association's border activities announced in Border Work that they will necessitate an expenditure of about \$500,000, and that of this amount \$300,000 will be expended in the first six months.

"Thirty-six buildings," the committee says, "have been erected in sixteen camps. Each building has cost from \$2,000 to \$2,500 to build and equip. In addition there have been transportation charges, traveling expenses and salaries of secretaries, and cost of maintenance. In spite of the fact that the border work in Europe, and the midsummer season, a good beginning has been made in financing the work."

The amount of contributions to date is about \$120,000, of which the Rockefeller Foundation donated \$50,000. The committee also lists the names of the donors: Mrs. Helen Gould Shepard, William Sloane, Cleveland H. Dodge and Edward S. Harkness each gave \$10,000. Border Work prints a letter from Colonel Roosevelt to William Sloane, Chairman of the Army and Navy Committee of the association, which praises the work.

Border Work also prints a complete directory of the Y. M. C. A. force at work along the frontier.

Women Organize Auxiliary.

The Woman Auxiliary to the Defense Association, Twenty-second Corps of Engineers, N. G. Y., has been organized to assist the families of members of the Twenty-second Corps serving on the border. There are fifty members, and the officers are: Honorary President, Mrs. Henry Davis; President, Mrs. Regina Demarest; Vice President, Mrs. James R. Silliman; Second Vice President, Mrs. G. F. Potter; Recording Secretary, Mrs. J. J. O'Reilly; and Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Koch.

The chairman of the committee are: Relief, Mrs. Mandell Executive, Mrs. Mary Alice Tirrell; Visiting, Mrs. Newman; Home and Employment, Mrs. Laura E. Benedict; Conference, Mrs. James R. Silliman; Co-operative, Mrs. Dabney.

SENT THREAT TO PRESIDENT

Evangelist Arrested for Letter About Munitions Shipments.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Aug. 19.—The Rev. William B. Mayne, evangelist, was indicted by a grand jury today by Post Office Inspectors, who charged him with sending threatening letters to President Wilson. He was arrested at Ada, W. Va.

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\$500,000 TO REMODEL VANDERBILT'S HOME

Family Mansion to be Ready When Colonel Returns from the Mexican Border.

THIRD CHANGE IN 14 YEARS

House Once Made Over for H. C. Frick—Large Entertainments Expected When Work is Finished.

On his return to New York from the Mexican border, Cornelius Vanderbilt, who is a Lieutenant Colonel in the National Guard, will find his new Fifth Avenue residence ready for his decorations and furnishings. For many years Mr. Vanderbilt's city home has been the big house at 667 Fifth Avenue, between Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth Streets, but within a few months he will move into the old family home built by his uncle, William K. Vanderbilt, on the northwest corner of Fifth Avenue and Fifty-first Street. It is the southernmost of the famous Vanderbilt twin houses. They were erected in 1881 by W. K. Vanderbilt, and he lived in the southern one until his death there on Dec. 8, 1885.

Mr. Vanderbilt left a life interest in the house to his son, George W. Vanderbilt, bequeathing it after the latter's death to the eldest son of his brother, Cornelius. At that time Cornelius, Jr., was regarded as the future head of the Vanderbilt family, but his marriage to Miss Wilson, daughter of the banker, Richard T. Wilson, and the family difficulties that it involved, led the elder Cornelius at his death to leave the bulk of his fortune to Alfred, who became the eldest son of the family.

Since the death of his brother Alfred, who went down with the Lusitania, he has been regarded as the head of the family. It is said that Cornelius Vanderbilt intends to assume the responsibilities of the virtual head of the family, and with that object in view he has had the ancestral home, which he expected to occupy when Mr. and Mrs. Vanderbilt occupy their new home, a number of large entertainments to be given which will restore to the old house the social position which it had during the few years that the late William K. Vanderbilt lived there.

City's Most Expensive Alteration.

In choosing the old family mansion for his permanent home, Cornelius Vanderbilt has done two unusual things in the residential history of New York. The first is that he is moving slightly further downtown, an exceptional step to take in view of the prevailing tendency to go further uptown. The second is that he is spending more than \$500,000 in altering his half of the twin houses for his occupancy. It is known that it is the largest sum ever spent in the city in altering a residence for domestic use. It is estimated that the cost of the alterations will be about \$500,000, which is the average wealthy man would wish for could be built in the most exclusive residence part of the upper east side. The changes to the house have been made under the architectural supervision of Horace Trumbauer, the Philadelphia architect who has built some of the most expensive private homes on Manhattan Island. The alteration plans were filed just a few days ago. The cost was placed at \$240,000. That, of course, did not include the furnishings, and before the house is thoroughly modernized it will probably cost close to \$500,000. The George A. Fuller Company has had charge of the structural work, and it is expected that the alterations will be completed in about four months.

It is the third time in about fourteen years that the big house has undergone a radical transformation. George Vanderbilt in 1908 had plans drawn for a large porte-cochère on the West side. The Building Department issued an order restraining its erection, owing to its encroachment on the sidewalk. Mr. Vanderbilt carried the case into the courts but the Building Bureau was sustained. George Vanderbilt then closed the house and it remained vacant until he leased it in 1905 to Henry C. Frick and spent much money in altering it. His friends were memorable events in the latter years of his life.

Frick Bought Privacy.

He dispensed with the cheerful garden plot in front, which has always been retained in the northerly of the twin houses. He had a high brownstone wall built on the Fifth Avenue side to shut out close inspection. Mr. Frick had a lease of ten years. What he paid was never made public, but it is said to have been between \$50,000 and \$100,000 a year. The lease expired in 1915, a year after George Vanderbilt's death. At that time Mr. Frick's new house on the old Lenox Library block in upper Fifth Avenue was finished, and as soon as Cornelius Vanderbilt got possession of his uncle's home he made preparations to occupy it. He has given a more pleasing appearance to the house than it had during Mr. Frick's occupancy, with its sombre exterior. It is, however, no longer a twin of the northerly house, which remained exactly as built by W. K. Vanderbilt, with the exception that in cutting back the projection on the avenue two years ago, for large piazzas on the garden front and the stone railing were taken away. Mr. Vanderbilt has made a new entrance at the northerly extremity of his half, taking in part of what was originally the deep lawn which ran back to the narrow gateway connecting the two houses.

A touch of family sentiment led Mr. Vanderbilt to spend so large a sum of money upon the house for his permanent home, despite the fact that the blocks immediately below and above are largely given over to business. It was the hope of the late W. K. Vanderbilt that his twin house would always be occupied by some member of the Vanderbilt family. The northerly house, on the Fifty-second Street corner, was built by W. K. Vanderbilt's daughters, Mrs. D. Sloane and Mrs. Elliott F. Shepard. They were so arranged that for big receptions they could be thrown together. After Elliott F. Shepard's death Mrs. Shepard sold her part of the house to Mrs. Sloane, and she and her husband have occupied it ever since.

Houses Cost \$3,000,000.

When these Vanderbilt houses were built, thirty-five years ago, they were the wonder of the city, for nothing so elaborate in the way of private homes had ever been attempted in New York. With the land the two houses, covering the block front on the west side of the avenue from Fifty-first to Fifty-second Streets, are estimated to have cost \$5,000,000. They were elaborately fitted up, and in the southern house, occupied by W. K. Vanderbilt, so that the rooms were alike. The massive double bronze doors cost more than \$25,000, and other bronze decorations in the house cost \$50,000 more. Mr. Vanderbilt's famous collection of paintings was exhibited in the gallery, the largest room in the house, 22 by 45 feet, and two stories in height. The exhibitions which he gave to his friends were memorable events in the latter years of his life.

Cornelius Vanderbilt's decision to keep his house for his family means that about two blocks of Fifth Avenue are fixed for a reasonably permanent time to Vanderbilt homesteads. In the block between the twin houses is the large home of William K. Vanderbilt, on the north-west corner of Fifty-second Street, and the Vanderbilt family. They occupy three-fourths of the block front, the Fifty-third Street corner, formerly the home of a home, having given way in recent years to two six-story commercial buildings.

Opposite Cornelius Vanderbilt's new home is the Union Club, with three fine residences on the upper half of the block, one of which is occupied by William K. Osgood Field, and the corner.

SUE TO KEEP BRONX OFFICES

Test Case Seeks to Establish Four Instead of Three Year Terms.

Bronx County officials have been considering the question of tenure of office, it was apparent yesterday, in a suit before Supreme Court Justice Mulligan to restrain the Board of Elections in the Bronx in the matter of a county officers' election next Fall.

The question is whether Bronx County is to be classed with nearly all the counties of the State in which county officers hold office for three years, or with New York and Kings Counties, in which they hold office for four years. Apparently the point was overlooked when Bronx County came into existence.

MRS. J. B. WALKER A SUICIDE.

Wife of Naval Expert Had Long Been in Ill-Health.

Mrs. John Bernard Walker, wife of a noted naval expert and an editor of The Scientific American, committed suicide by inhaling gas on Friday evening in their new home at twenty-eighth and State Streets, Flushing, L. I. She was 38 years old and had been in ill-health for some time. Six months ago Mrs. Walker left a private sanitarium and Mr. Walker took her to Palm Beach, Fla., while their new home was being built. They had only been in the home for three days and were without servants.

Mrs. Walker returned home on Friday night, after attending to business here in the city. He found the house locked and was forced to cut his way through a screen door. He found his wife, fully dressed, on the kitchen floor with all the burners of the stove turned on, and the house filled with gas.

MRS. BEECHER GETS DIVORCE

Grand-Nephew of Great Preacher Notified of Final Decree.

Robert Livingston Beecher, a grand-nephew of Henry Ward Beecher, was served with papers yesterday notifying him that his wife, Mrs. Annie M. T. Beecher, had received a final decree of divorce from Supreme Court Justice Charles H. Kelby in Brooklyn. The action was tried in the same Court Justice in which the suit of Theodore Tilton for \$100,000 against Henry Ward Beecher for the alleged alienation of the affection of Mrs. Tilton was tried in 1914.

FIVE NEGROES LYNCHED.

Florida Mob Hanged Three Men and Two Women—Another is Killed.

GAINESVILLE, Fla., Aug. 18.—Five negroes—three men and two women—were taken from the jail at Newberry, Fla., early today and hanged by a mob, and another negro was shot and killed by Deputy Sheriffs near Jonesville, Fla., as the result of the killing yesterday of Constable S. G. Wynne and the shooting of Dr. L. G. Harris by Booley Long, a negro.

The lynched negroes were accused of aiding Long to escape. Posses of several hundred men tonight were searching the woods about Newberry, eighteen miles from here, for traces of Long. Further trouble was feared.

Ask Fund for Workshop for Blind.

The Exchange and Training School for the Blind, whose building at 110 Livingston Street, Brooklyn, was destroyed by fire Aug. 3, issued an appeal yesterday for funds to erect a new workshop. Contributions for the work may be sent to the Brooklyn Association for Improving the Condition of the Poor, 104 Livingston Street, under whose auspices the workshop has been maintained.

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MESSRS. AIMONE, having decided to discontinue their Retail business in Antiques, Objects d'Art and high grade Reproductions, are having a Sale of their entire collection now assembled in the Aimone Galleries.

This Stock Positively Must Be Sold

PROTEST BY CHINA ON JAPAN'S TROOPS

Sending of 2,000 Soldiers to Cheng Chiatung Causes Action in Peking.

ENCOUNTER DUE TO BANDITS

Mikado's Subjects Said to Have Ignored Raid Warning and Offered Resistance.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—China has protested to Japan, it was learned today, against the sending of 2,000 troops to Cheng Chiatung in eastern Mongolia, because of a recent disturbance there resulting in a clash between Chinese and Japanese troops.

It is contended by the Peking Government that when the local Chinese Magistrate ordered precautions taken against an expected raid by nomadic bandits who were seizing prominent persons in that region for ransom, some of the Japanese residents refused to obey. The Magistrate attempted to enforce the order by arresting a Japanese, it is said, whereupon Japanese troops armed resistance which resulted in about seventeen deaths on both sides. The Japanese captured the Magistrate and took him away.

The Japanese are said to have requested reinforcements from their garrisons in South Manchuria, and reports from Tokyo say a regiment of cavalry, three battalions of infantry, and a mixed company with machine guns have been dispatched to the city. China at once sent a protest, and the whole situation was discussed Friday by the Japanese Cabinet, which announced that its attitude would depend on the attitude and co-operation of China.

Chinese Legation officials said today they did not expect any serious developments, though the racial hostility between the two lower classes in that district makes such occurrences dangerous. It was recalled that the troubles in Manchuria in 1913 and just outside Peking a little later were satisfactorily adjusted after diplomatic discussion.

State Department officials have not been officially advised of the situation, but are deeply interested in its possible eventualities.

GARBAGE PERMIT REVOKED.

Statements of Company Seeking to Build Plant Called Incorrect.

Raphael Langere, Acting Superintendent of Buildings for the Borough of Richmond, yesterday revoked the permit issued last Sunday to the Metropolitan By-Products Company to erect a garbage disposal plant on Lakes Island. The permit had been granted on a court order from Supreme Court Justice Crane.

The reason assigned for the revocation of the order is that the statements made by the company on which the permit was based were wholly incorrect. The officials of the Bureau of Buildings, acting on the advice of Joseph Nolan, Chief Clerk, now say that boring tests of the ground on which the garbage plant is to be erected must be made before a building permit is granted. The court order called this unnecessary, and declared that the permit was delayed simply to put obstacles in the way of the erection of the plant.

The bureau officials state that with the existing character of the soil on which the foundations must rest, the company's plans for the foundations are wholly inadequate and would sink under the weight of the building only half of the size proposed. They say that if the garbage plant is erected according to the present plan it will collapse completely.

Justice Crane ordered the granting of the permit on Thursday, Aug. 17, on Sunday, feeling that he would be found guilty of contempt of court if the permit remained longer under the hands of the Borough of Richmond. He gave it to an officer of the company without Nolan's knowledge. For a time it was believed to have been stolen. It is not known what further action Justice Crane will take.

HELP FOR \$5,000 GEM THEFT

Former Servant of A. D. Whiteside Accused by Police.

Charged with bringing stolen property into the State, Clarence Duncan, a negro, of 198 Park Avenue, is being held in connection with the alleged theft of two necklaces valued at \$5,000 from the residence of Arthur D. Whiteside, a loan broker of 45 East Seventeenth Street, at Westport, Conn. Louis Savon Gonzalez, a Cuban jeweler, of 73 West 12th Street, and Hans Gorgensen, also a Cuban, of 60 West 14th Street, also are being held in connection with this case, and will have a hearing in the Washington Heights Court today charged with receiving stolen property.

Duncan and his wife, who were employed by Whiteside when he went to Westport for the summer. They remained with him through the month of June and until July 1, when Duncan disappeared. A few days later Mrs. Whiteside discovered the loss of a diamond necklace of thirty-three stones and also a pearl necklace. Detectives Finnan and Riley of the Fourth Branch Detective Bureau, finally found the pearls in the hands of a jeweler whose name has not been disclosed. Information given by the jeweler led to the arrest of Duncan Friday afternoon.

Plain and Fancy Ribbons, 23c Yd.
Plain taffeta with satin edge, moire ribbon and fancy warp prints, 5 1/2 to 6 1/2 inches wide. All desirable shades.

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Satin Taffeta Ribbon, 39c Yd.
High lustre, 3 1/4 inches wide. Suitable for summer girdles and sashes. Pink, blue, white and black.

50 Women's Smart Sport Suits Monday, \$7.50 & \$14.50

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If you can find your size in this lot of suits, you will have found a bigger suit value than you have ever known before. Silk and wool jersey, pongee and heather cloth are the materials, and the models comprise some of the choicest shown this season.

125 Women's Bathing Suits at \$3.95

Formerly priced at \$4.95 and \$7.50

A surprisingly large range of models to select from, fashioned of silk poplin, mohair, taffeta and satin. All sizes. Fourth Floor.

Very Modestly Priced Tomorrow

Women's Serge Dresses for Fall at \$20

Reproductions of Exquisite Foreign Models
Charming Redingote frocks, developed in fine quality serge, showing large circular and square white satin collars. One model is delightfully trimmed with Chinese embroidery—a novelty for the coming season.

Dainty frocks of serge, trimmed with wool embroidery, are also included in this offering tomorrow. Obtainable in navy or black, in sizes from 34 to 44.

Smart Afternoon Dresses for Women, \$25

Selected from designs by "Jenny" and "Rondeau" as being especially suited to the needs of American women.

One model by "Jenny" is tastefully fashioned of satin, in the long straight line effect, with circular skirt and belt embroidered in wool hand embroidery. Collar and vestee are of Georgette crepe. Obtainable in navy, with purple, grey or beige embroidery.

A reproduction of a Model by "Rondeau" is developed in satin. Side-draped tunic skirt and waist are of good quality tulle with tulle and lace. To be had in navy, black, taupe or wistaria. Size 34 to 42.

Of Unusual Importance Tomorrow A Sale of White Washable Kidskin Pumps and Colonials at \$3.95

Reg. stock prices, \$7 and \$8

Illustrated are just two of the attractive models included in this sale. Finer footwear would be hard to find anywhere—and nowhere can such footwear be found at this low price.

The Colonials are made with light welled soles of white leather and Louis XV. heels, while the pumps have hand-turned soles and Louis XV. heels.

Only 500 pairs at this price—each without a flaw of any kind.

None sent C. O. D., exchanged or credited.

Misses' and Girls' Summer Apparel at radical price reductions tomorrow

Misses' Dresses.....were \$9.75.....now \$3.95
Misses' Dresses.....were \$12.50 to \$14.50.....now \$6.95
Misses' Dresses.....were \$18.50 to \$25.00.....now \$14.50
Misses' Coats.....were \$12.50 to \$25.00.....now \$7.50 & \$9.75
Misses' Raincoats.....were \$7.95 to \$18.50.....now \$3.95 & \$5.95
Girls' White and Colored Dresses,
were \$1.50 to \$3.95.....now 75c, \$1 & \$1.50
Girls' Lingerie, Net & Silk Dresses,
were \$5.95 to \$18.50.....now \$2.95 to \$9.75
Girls' Coats.....were \$5.95 to \$12.75.....now \$1.50, \$3 & \$5
Girls' Middy Blouses.....were \$1.50 to \$1.95.....now 75c & 95c

For Tomorrow, Monday, a Sale of House Dresses, \$1 to \$2.98 Formerly \$2 to \$5

Children's Dresses, 75c to \$2
Formerly \$1.50 to \$5
White and colored. Sizes 2 to 6 years.

Children's Summer Hats, 25c to \$1
Sizes 2 to 6 years. Formerly 50c to \$3.

Hair Goods Specials for Monday

From an unusually complete assortment of switches and transformations, we shall feature at special prices tomorrow:

Wavy Hair Switches, all shades but gray.....\$3.45
Wavy Hair Switches, including gray.....\$4.45
Wavy Transformations, including gray.....\$6.45
Real Hair Nets, per dozen.....\$1.00

Important offerings for this week in the Annual August Sale of Furs.

In which exquisite fur coats, scarfs and muffs, for the season 1916-17, are offered at prices which are absolutely the lowest for furs of such rare beauty and dependable quality.



\$224.50

Furs in this sale are not to be confused with garments made especially for sales purposes. Every fur piece included is regular stock merchandise. Absolutely the same furs that will be offered in our fur department at the expiration of this sale, at regular prices.

Hudson Seal Coat, 40 inches long.	August Sale Price	\$77.50
Hudson Seal Coat, 40 inches long, with exceptional flare in skirt.	August Sale Price	\$119.50
Hudson Seal Coat, 45 inches long, with cape collar. Choice quality.	August Sale Price	\$135.00
Hudson Seal Coat, 45 inches long, with Skunk collar and border.	August Sale Price	\$142.50
Mole Coat, with taupe wolf collar, cuffs and border and flare skirt. Very smart model. (Illustrated.)	August Sale Price	\$224.50
Near Seal Coat, 40 inches long. Exceptional flare. Choice skins.	August Sale Price	\$85.00
Skunk Muffs, ball, melon, half round and pillow shape.	August Sale Price	\$19.50
Mole Skin Muff, choice quality.	August Sale Price	\$16.50
Mole Skin Scarfs.	August Sale Price	\$24.50
Hudson Seal Capes.	August Sale Price	\$19.50
Hudson Seal Muffs.	August Sale Price	\$13.50
Black Fox Scarf.	August Sale Price	\$12.50
Black Fox Muffs.	August Sale Price	\$13.50

We will store, free of charge until Nov. 1, 1916, any furs selected in this sale, on receipt of one-third the purchase price. Balance to be paid at time of taking furs from storage.

Women's Coats, Wraps and Skirts at sweeping reductions Monday

Street, dress, travel, evening, and sports coats, in a surprisingly varied assortment of models, fabrics and colorings.

Coats that were \$45 to \$95.	Reduced to	\$25
Coats that were \$25 to \$39.50.	Reduced to	\$15
Coats that were \$19.50 to \$29.50.	Reduced to	\$10
Coats that were \$16.50 to \$22.50.	Reduced to	\$7.50
Coats that were \$12.50 to \$19.50.	Reduced to	\$5
Coats that were \$10 to \$13.50.	Reduced to	\$3.95
Linen Dusters.....Were \$3.95 to \$7.50.....Now	\$2.25 & \$3.95	

Sport and Dress Skirts Reduced to \$5 and \$7.50

Formerly \$9.75 to \$25—Fancy stripes and plaids, pongee, Jersey silk, white serge and flannel skirts of a quality never before known at these modest prices.

Also—Women's Washable Skirts Reduced to \$1.25, \$1.95, \$2.95, \$3.95

Formerly \$2.50 to \$7.50

Comprising the entire balance of our summer stock, in a wonderful range of materials in white and colors.

At Attractive Prices Tomorrow

Women's Delightful Autumn Blouses

Selected from a most attractive group admirably suited to present and early Fall wear.

SMART plaids and stripes, in taffeta blouses, in the new dark colorings, showing flat and convertible collars and mannish cuffs. An unusual assortment to select from. Most reasonably priced at \$3.95, \$5 and \$5.95

New Tailored Crepe de Chine Blouses

\$5.95 In plain and beautifully embroidered models, with clusters of tucks, new collars and cuff effects. White and in flesh color. Monday at these remarkable prices: \$2, \$2.98, \$3.95, \$5, \$5.95

Women's Odd Sweaters Greatly Reduced

In solid colors and stripes

Made of Fibre silk, Shetland wool, worsted, brushed wool and glove silk, with novel belts and pockets, at \$1.95, \$2.95, \$4.95, \$7.95, \$9.95

ADDITIONAL NEWS OF HAPPENINGS IN THE DOMAIN OF SPORTS

JOYANT FINISHES AHEAD OF NAHMA

Newly Rigged Hanan and Childs Yacht Gets Surprise at Stamford Regatta.

MARCONI RIG HAS A TEST

Fifty-three Craft Start in Annual Event of Stamford Yacht Club—A Nursery of Sailors.

Fifty-three yachts started yesterday afternoon in the twenty-sixth annual regatta of the Stamford Yacht Club, and all managed to finish, though it was hard work for the last dozen to do so. The wind, which had been light in force and from the eastward all afternoon, died away to a calm just before sunset, with all the New York Yacht Club thirties left in the doldrums and fighting a strong tide in order to make the finish line. Oke was the first of these to make the drift successfully, thus winning the class trophy for Captain A. G. Hamner, who is with the Seventy-first New York Regiment on the Mexican border.

Topping other features of the regatta was the appearance of the Hanan & Childs Manasheet Day, cup defender Nahma in a new rig which Mr. Hanan had decided would make her speedier. But the sixty-foot mast with its double-spreader, which because of its resemblance to a wireless telegraph mast gave it the name of a Marconi rig, its huge mainmast which runs from the peak of the mast to the end of the boom without the intervention of a gaff, very like a huge leg of mutton sail, didn't work that way yesterday.

As she had a bunch of the best sailing talent aboard with Commodore Childs at the tiller, and Addison G. Hanan, Butler Whiting, and Wilmer Hanan as a crew. The Joyant, with E. Burton Hart sailing her, as usual, took Nahma's measure much more handsily than she did in the one race in which she had previously beaten her during Larchmont race week. At that time Joyant won by two seconds. Yesterday she was less than a minute and a half ahead of Nahma. At the start Joyant got the jump on Nahma and began moving away from her at once, although the latter was in the weather berth.

Aleda was also able to show her heels to the cup defender from her leeward position before a mile of the 13½ mile course had been covered, rather to the surprise of the skipper of the smaller yacht, which was sailing about, waiting to start.

JOYANT FAST AT START.

It seemed as if Joyant had much more speed on the broad reach, which constituted the first leg of the course, for she moved farther and farther from Nahma until she was a good five minutes in the lead when, after sailing across the Sound, the pair turned the first mark. The second leg was a beat up the Sound, and Joyant certainly had nothing on that part of the race. Then came the reach home in a constantly dying breeze, and Joyant's lead was increased as her lead, to win in the end by a trifle over seven minutes.

While the regatta was a very general surprise, as yachtsmen had met agreed that Nahma was a faster boat than Joyant, the latter having been defeated in every race in which they have competed, save one, they were not much surprised to see the smaller boat sailing so well. The wind was light, and Joyant may have had the best of the puffy airs in the reach across the Sound.

Mr. Hanan did not consider it a decisive test, but he certainly was disappointed at Nahma's showing, on the ground that her sails do not fit as well as they should, and that the cup defender is to be subjected to daily trials the coming week, and unless she makes a better showing than the Marconi rig, the old mast will be re-rigged and the old set of sails substituted for the new before the cup races are sailed.

Marconi Rig's First Trial.

This was the first time that the much talked of Marconi rig has ever been used in a race in this country, though it has been used with much success in English waters and is much fancied by yachtsmen of Great Britain. None of the schooners of the New York Yacht Club appeared at the course to answer the signals of the Race Committee. G. G. Dominick, Bartholomew Jacob, and Ernest Draper, the wind was too light and altogether too unpromising for them to make the trip across the Sound from their Glen Cove anchorage. Three of the four were towed to the course, however, and started. Mistral, fresh from the yards at Bristol with a new mast in place of that which was so badly sprung during the New York Yacht Club cruise, was one of them, and thus re-rigged sailing boat race has been yet shown, and much delighted her enthusiastic racing owner, G. M. Pynchon, by defeating her by but nine seconds in a race of ten minutes. Mistral led the fleet all the way on each of the three legs of the triangular course of nearly fourteen miles, which was negotiated in wind that ranged from a fair breeze to a dead calm. Pampero, the only other starter in the class, was beaten a couple of minutes by Rowdy.

Stamford Wins Special Trophy.

Interest of the members of the club centered in the race for a special trophy, the fleet of the Stamford one-design yachts being pitted against that of the Indian Harbor one-design class. Eleven of the Stamford boats and eight of the Indian Harbor class started in what proved to be an overwhelming victory for the Stamford boats over those of the Indian Harbor class. Six of the Stamford yachts finished before the first of the Indian Harbor boats. The first of the Indian Harbor boats to finish was the "Sylph," which defeated Commodore E. Y. Frick, who sailed the "Sylph" with a margin of forty-eight seconds, the pair holding together with remarkable speed by yachtsmen throughout the country, and the reason was shown in yesterday's race when two of the miniature redskins, who were called because of the glaring oriental red of their mainmasts and jibs, went over a short course, the winner sailed by twin sons of Mr. Jacob, who have just passed their tenth birthday, their competitor being sailed by a couple of boys of but twelve years old.

In a special match race between a couple of cat-boats the sailors were pitted against the yachtsmen, two which sailed the winner called the Dead Calm, being accompanied by their mother, as she was called, as her two sons, several of the dinghies and a couple of the Stamford one-design boats were also sailed by yachtsmen throughout the country, and the reason was shown in yesterday's race when two of the miniature redskins, who were called because of the glaring oriental red of their mainmasts and jibs, went over a short course, the winner sailed by twin sons of Mr. Jacob, who have just passed their tenth birthday, their competitor being sailed by a couple of boys of but twelve years old.

by each of the contestants are given in the appended summaries:

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Mistral, R. M. Jacob.	1st	1:01:30
Pampero, Dr. James Bishop.	2nd	1:02:30
Rowdy, H. S. Duell.	3rd	1:03:30

SLOOPS—CLASS P.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Joyant, C. D. Mallory.	1st	2:46:07
Nahma, Childs & Hanan.	2nd	2:53:20
Aleda, J. W. and B. F. Allen.	3rd	3:11:19
Anita, G. P. Grandery.	4th	3:11:19

N. Y. Y. C. THIRTIES.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Alma, J. R. Cutter.	1st	4:03:27
Leamona, G. B. Kulenkampff.	2nd	4:19:50
Justina, J. T. Pratt.	3rd	4:19:50
Oke III, L. G. Hamner.	4th	4:19:50

SLOOPS—SPECIAL CLASS.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Marquette, J. B. Shuman.	1st	4:10:39
Alice, C. B. Keeler.	2nd	4:13:40
Handicap CLASS IN ONE DIVISION.		
Carolina, A. W. Lockwood.	1st	4:47:32
Nadia, W. F. Clarke.	2nd	4:53:30
Robin Hood III, G. E. Hart.	3rd	4:53:30
Land.	4th	4:53:30

INDIAN HARBOR ARROW CLASS.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Comrade, A. G. Hanan.	1st	4:41:38
Jack O' Lantern, H. W. R. 1913.	2nd	4:41:38
Rascal IV, R. C. Hopkins.	3rd	4:41:38
Rail, C. D. Hallory.	4th	4:41:38

INDIAN HARBOR (OLD) CLASS.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Start, 3:15, Course, 7½ Miles.		
Oseco, L. M. Hard.	1st	2:22:56
Yacht, J. M. Hard.	2nd	2:22:56
Wabster, R. Outwater.	3rd	2:22:56

STANFORD ONE-DESIGN CLASS.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Start, 3:15, Course, 7½ Miles.		
Priscilla, E. Y. Weber.	1st	2:10:25
Calista, H. E. Marton.	2nd	2:10:25
Wahnet, R. H. Oddie.	3rd	2:10:25

BUG CLASS.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Start, 3:25, Course, 5½ Miles.		
Wasp, W. J. McHugh.	1st	1:54:27
Flat Calm, Jacob Bros.	2nd	1:54:27

MATCH RACE.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Start, 3:25, Course, 5½ Miles.		
Wasp, W. J. McHugh.	1st	1:54:27
Flat Calm, Jacob Bros.	2nd	1:54:27

GREENWICH DORIES.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Start, 3:25, Course, 5½ Miles.		
Lobster, J. Lucas.	1st	2:23:06
Bonnie, S. O. Bonham.	2nd	2:23:06

RED WINGS.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Start, 3:25, Course, 5½ Miles.		
Ruddy Duck, J. Wallace.	1st	1:46:30
Red Wing, J. Morton.	2nd	1:46:30

AMERICAN YACHT CLUB DORIES.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Start, 3:25, Course, 5½ Miles.		
Yan, A. Vanderlin.	1st	2:04:13
Petrel, E. Lascaris.	2nd	2:11:44

JOY FLEET ON LOWER BAY.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Start, 3:25, Course, 5½ Miles.		
Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.

Leads in First Division Craft in Atlantic Y. C. Regatta.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Start, 3:25, Course, 5½ Miles.		
Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.

Handicap Class, First Division.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Start, 3:25, Course, 5½ Miles.		
Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.

Handicap Class, Second Division.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Start, 3:25, Course, 5½ Miles.		
Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.

Handicap Class, Third Division.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Start, 3:25, Course, 5½ Miles.		
Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.

NEW YORK Y. C. DINGHIES.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Start, 3:25, Course, 5½ Miles.		
Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.

GRUNT LEADS FISH CLASS.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Start, 3:25, Course, 5½ Miles.		
Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.

Wine by Seven Minutes in Race of Seawanhaka Yacht Club.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Start, 3:25, Course, 5½ Miles.		
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Yachtsmen of the Stamford Yacht Club.

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RESTA HURLS CAR OVER LINE IN VAN

Achieves Victory in Grand Prix at Chicago, Driving at 100 Miles an Hour.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Aug. 29.—Dario Resta, driving his Peugeot car, added another spring of laurels to his already large supply here this afternoon by winning the Grand Prix race in easy fashion. Dave Lewis, in a Harkins Special, was second; Busane, in a Dusenbury, third; Galvin, in a Sunbeam, fourth, and D'Alene, in a Dusenbury, fifth. The time for the fifty miles was 29:53.49, an average speed of one hundred miles an hour.

With Resta it was the old story of pronounced superiority. He annexed the first of the twenty-mile heats, necessary to qualify in the main event in the afternoon. He led in twenty-four laps out of the twenty-five in the final, and the only time he was behind was in the eighteenth lap when Lewis sneaked up on Resta in the stretch and had the pleasure of leading for about one second.

Resta was in the lead again before the first turn had been passed and from that time on he increased his advantage with the big blue racing car until he was a good three car lengths ahead. This was the order of the finish, which brought Resta to the top of the list with a \$2,500 to Lewis, \$1,250 to Busane, \$750 to Galvin, and \$500 to D'Alene.

From the start it was evident that Resta was the class of the five starters, although Galvin and Lewis had been in the Italian's heels, making an even better showing than most of the experts expected. Busane also cut loose once or twice and threatened the leaders, but Resta always stepped out when his rivals got frisky and showed that he still had something left for an emergency.

The fact that De Palma and Chevrolet were out of the running because of engine trouble detracted from the interest in the class, for they left little or no competition. The accident, which put De Palma out of the running, occurred in the third lap of the first heat, when, after he had sailed his engine had gone wrong and he was through for the afternoon.

Probably the biggest surprise of the day was the showing of Lewis. He and Resta made what race there was in the final, and only a bad tire prevented the Sunbeam driver from being further up in the standing, for he was forced to stop once and change a tire. The rest of the heats were slow affairs, mainly because none of the first choices were in the line-up. After Galvin had missed out Lewis for first honors in the first place, Dusenbury in the second, and Resta in the third, he was left with little competition easily placed his Harkins in first place. Dusenbury in a Dusenbury, running Christmas off the boards for the rest of the afternoon, and leaving only Galvin and D'Alene, Dusenbury, to fight it out for first place in the final sprint. When Resta's Harkins was in the final, D'Alene was awarded first place in the final class after going around the track twice.

CURLEW SAILS HOME FIRST.

J. Wilson Dayton's Craft Wins in Bird Class at Bayside Regatta.

Only a light breeze was stirring yesterday afternoon, when fourteen yachts, in four different classes, crossed the starting line in the races of the Bayside Yacht Club over the course in Little Neck Bay. After the craft got under way the breeze freshened up, and the little craft especially took advantage of it and, with their sails outstretched to the limit, provided good sport for the skippers.

Charles L. Willard again won in his Curlew, defeating the Skylark, a little craft owned and guided by J. Wilson Dayton and his brother, Walter S. Dayton. The Curlew, which was the first of the four different classes, crossed the starting line in the races of the Bayside Yacht Club over the course in Little Neck Bay. After the craft got under way the breeze freshened up, and the little craft especially took advantage of it and, with their sails outstretched to the limit, provided good sport for the skippers.

Summary of the Races.

Yacht and Owner.	Finish.	Time.
Curlew, C. L. Willard.	1st	5:04:22
Skylark, J. W. and W. S. Dayton.	2nd	5:04:22
Teaser, A. Nabett.	3rd	5:04:22

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NEWPORT POLOISTS LOSE.

Suffer First Defeat of Season at the Hands of Narragansett.

Special to The New York Times. NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 19.—Newport suffered its first setback of the season in polo at the hands of Narragansett, by the score of 10 to 5 goals, in the first round for the gold mallet standing for the championship of Newport, here today. R. G. Shaw played in W. Baldwin's place upon the Narragansett team, while the latter played in Shaw's place for Newport.

Shaw accounted for four of his team's tallies. In the third period he had traversed the length of the field in four shots, and had narrowly missed the shot for the goal when his pony stumbled and fell in his effort to pull him up. The pony fell upon Shaw, and a saddle struck him in the side. A call was sent in for a physician, but Shaw was in the saddle and in the midst of the play upon his arrival.

Newport received one goal by hand, but Cooley of the visitors quickly overcame this and scored in two minutes of play. The home four regained the lead when Strawbridge and Burden each made a tally, while Cooley added another to his average. For the first four periods the game was a close one, but Newport was to have an easy time of it, with the score at 8 to 4 in its favor at half time.

The visitors then took a brace and made four tallies in the fifth and sixth, while Newport plan the eighth. The chucker caused the downfall of the local team, for Cooley, Strawbridge and Burden each scored. Shaw was the only man to tally in the seventh. Burden and Shaw did little in the eighth. The game ended with the Newport team gaining struggling to tie the score. There were several close misses, but the older men of the winning four wisely played to the boards. Cooley, Strawbridge, and Baldwin were mounted upon the ponies which they had won in the first round. Whitney, who mounted Strawbridge, as well as his son, had thirteen well-known ponies upon the field, among which were Siren and Chestnut, both of which have played in the last two international halves.

There will be polo every day this week. On Monday the cups presented by J. A. Burden will be contested. On Tuesday the second round for the gold mallet will be played between Aiken and Lord Judith. On Thursday the final round for the gold mallet will be played on Saturday the contests for the Thorne memorial will begin. On Wednesday and Friday members' games shall be played. The scores:

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REDUCTION AVERAGE

No six furniture or Department
the assortment of beautiful
three stores, and, furthermore

SHIPPING AND MAILS.

Miniature Almanac for Today.
Day the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey.
Sun rises 5:08; Sun sets 6:40; Moon rises 1:31.

Table with shipping schedules for various ports including Liverpool, London, and others.

Arrived—Saturday, Aug. 19.

Table listing arrivals from various ports such as Liverpool, London, and others.

Outgoing Steamships.

Table listing outgoing steamships to various destinations.

Due Tomorrow.

Table listing ships due tomorrow from various ports.

Due Wednesday.

Table listing ships due Wednesday from various ports.

Due Thursday.

Table listing ships due Thursday from various ports.

Outgoing Steamships.

Table listing outgoing steamships to various destinations.

Sail Tomorrow.

Table listing ships sailing tomorrow to various ports.

Sail Tuesday.

Table listing ships sailing Tuesday from various ports.

Sail Wednesday.

Table listing ships sailing Wednesday from various ports.

Sail Thursday.

Table listing ships sailing Thursday from various ports.

Sail Friday.

Table listing ships sailing Friday from various ports.

By Marconi Wireless.

Table listing wireless messages and arrivals.

Transatlantic Parcel Post Mails.

Table listing parcel post mail services.

SCOTLAND LIGHTSHIP.

Table listing Scotland lightship positions.

Transatlantic Parcel Post Mails.

Table listing parcel post mail services.

MAILS FOR SOUTH AMERICA.

Table listing mail services to South America.

BROADWAY BLOCK CLEARED.

Forty-one Quilts Filed in Registrar's Office.

Forty-one quilts were filed in the Registrar's Office last week affecting the block front on the east side of Broadway, between Eighth and Ninth streets.

The property is owned in the possession of one family for over half a century, the latest owners being Anne and Margaret Deane Solange, of New York, who are now in possession of the property.

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**FAVORS FREE TRADE
AS PEACE GUARANTEE**

American League Opens Campaign of Education on Both Sides of the Atlantic.

ASKS INTERNATIONAL SPIRIT

Pears Losses in an Economic Struggle Would Exceed Those Resulting from a Conflict of Arms.

Believing that freedom of trade is an essential factor in obtaining and guaranteeing the continuance of peace for the world, the American Free Trade League has opened a campaign to establish this contention in the minds of peace-loving citizens on both sides of the Atlantic. George Haven Pears, president of the league, said in a statement issued yesterday, and which said in part:

"The nations now engaged in the great European war have put forth certain schemes for new tariff enactments, or for business international boycotts, to be brought into force after the close of the war. These schemes, representing as they do medieval, not to say barbaric, policies, may well arouse criticism and alarm on the part of neutral nations.

"The warring States in question, or at least certain leaders of public opinion in these States, are trying to formulate tariff systems planned to bring about benefits for the one side and punitive results and commercial disaster for the other.

"The economic history of the world has made clear that such punitive boycotting systems, if put into effect, will undoubtedly produce disaster and disaster on the one side and punitive results and commercial disaster for the other.

"We believe that, notwithstanding the international bitterness that is the inevitable result of war, there is an increasing understanding throughout the civilized world that the State can profit by the destruction or by the injury of its neighbor. It is not only more civilized, but it is more profitable, to trade with a neighboring State than to crush the independence of such a State or to take action that would undermine its prosperity. It is our hope that at the close of the present war we may look forward to the evolution of a new international spirit.

"The Governments of the world are increasingly coming under the control of the people. The people of the world are becoming more and more conscious of the fact that their interests are secured only through a civilized international relation. The settlement that will bring about an assurance of peace will be secured through the action of the rulers of 'empire-builders.' It must be the work of representatives of the people, of upholders of democratic principles, of men ready to work for the service of humanity.

"The American Free Trade League proposes to do what may be practicable toward the creation of public opinion in the United States and throughout the world in support of the contention that protection is itself a form of war, that war brings about an extreme application of protection, and that freedom of trade constitutes an essential factor toward securing and maintaining the peace of the world. The members of the league believe that the only way to the settlement that is to follow this war toward breaking down the protective barriers between nations, which do so much to create the prejudices and to bring about the irritations that have too often resulted in war. The work of those who believe in the fullest possible interchange between peoples of the world, not only of goods but of ideas, and of ideals and of human sympathy, constitutes the essential foundation for the world's Federation, the organization of which is the hope of all who are striving for the higher principles of civilization and of humanity.

"The American Free Trade League appeals to the citizens of the Republic to do their part in furthering this great work."

The list of Vice Presidents of the league contains the names of Charles W. Eliot, David Starr Jordan, Thomas M. Osborne, John V. Kern, and a number of other well-known Americans. The list in full follows:

CALIFORNIA, W. G. Hastings, Deane Starr Jordan, W. G. Hastings, NORTH DAKOTA, Francis E. Hill, Edward P. Tilton, CONNECTICUT, John W. Farnham, Henry W. Farnham, NEW HAMPSHIRE, Henry W. Farnham, NEW JERSEY, John W. Farnham, NEW YORK, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, ILLINOIS, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, INDIANA, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, IOWA, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, KANSAS, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, LOUISIANA, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, MAINE, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, MASSACHUSETTS, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, MICHIGAN, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, MINNESOTA, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, MISSOURI, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, NEBRASKA, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, NEVADA, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, NEW HAMPSHIRE, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, NEW JERSEY, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, NEW YORK, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, NORTH DAKOTA, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, NORTH CAROLINA, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, OHIO, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, OKLAHOMA, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, OREGON, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, PENNSYLVANIA, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, RHODE ISLAND, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, SOUTH CAROLINA, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, SOUTH DAKOTA, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, TENNESSEE, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, TEXAS, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, VERMONT, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, VIRGINIA, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, WASHINGTON, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, WISCONSIN, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis, WYOMING, Louis L. Loomis, Louis L. Loomis.

In addition to Mr. Putnam, who is President, the executive officers of the league include Albert S. Parsons, Chairman of the Executive Committee; John Ritchie, Treasurer; and Kenneth B. Eilman, Secretary. The main office of the league is at 6 Beacon Street, Boston.

DIES IN A SIX-STORY JUMP.

Joseph Moran, a Patient at Bellevue, Commits Suicide.

Joseph Moran, 59 years old, a clerk, who had given his address as 31 North William Street, Brooklyn, leaped to death yesterday from a sixth story window of Ward 16 of Bellevue Hospital, where he was a patient.

Moran entered the hospital on July 31, and was operated on a few days later. He had made a fairly rapid recovery, but was despondent because he was out of work and had no funds. Yesterday afternoon he remarked to a nurse that he would have no place to go when discharged from the hospital. The nurse sought to cheer him by the assurance that his case would be looked into. That seemed to make him more hopeful. Moran suddenly left his cot yesterday and reached the ward window before he could be halted by the attendants. He fell into the court, and was dead when Dr. Fornell reached him. Moran was not married, and, so far as the police knew, had no near relatives.

**JEWISH WAR VICTIMS
RECEIVE \$3,891,613**

Of Total Amount Sent Abroad, \$1,800,000 Has Been Forwarded to Russia.

RELATIVES SOUGHT BY MANY

The Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society Makes New List Public.

The Joint Distribution Committee of Funds for Jewish War Sufferers, which is made up of representatives from the American, the Central, and the People's Relief Committees, the three large organizations for distributing America's contribution to Jewish relief, announced yesterday that between Jan. 20 and Aug. 15 it had sent \$3,891,613 abroad.

This money was distributed as follows:

Russia	\$1,800,000
German Poland	1,450,000
Austria-Hungary, including Galicia	1,000,000
Palestine, including "Vulcan"	408,788
Greece and Turkey, other than Palestine	123,325
Alexandria	31,000
Jewish students in Swiss universities	5,000
Tunis, Algiers and Morocco	5,000
Destitute families of Russian Jews in France	5,000

In addition, through the committee's Transmission Bureau, there was forwarded to the war zones \$245,850.71 in 14,047 remittances from relatives and friends. The largest number, 7,278, were sent to Russia, and amounted to \$1,007,931. Germany is next on the list, and to that country were sent 5,522 orders of remittance calling for \$124,171.11. To the Jews in Palestine has been sent by relatives and friends since the first of 1918 year \$2,240.88, distributed in 1,175 remittances, while to Turkey, other than Palestine, was sent \$1,445.

Many inquiries from those abroad for information as to relatives and friends have come to the Hebrew Sheltering and Immigrant Aid Society, 228 E. 12th Street, New York City. The list of those now sought, with the addresses, as given by the inquirers, follows:

NEW YORK CITY.
SIMON YOSSEL GOLOVETSKY, New York.
A. STERN, 1775 Fulton Avenue.
BENZION WEINSTEIN, 37 Chrystie Street.
LEIB PORTNOY, 1,551 Bogart Avenue, Bronx.
CIVIL SCHEINZ, Twenty-sixth Street.
YANKEL & MARTIA VERZAR, 1775 Fulton Avenue.
WOLF COHEN, 255 Madison Street.
MAX ROSENBERG, 712 East Seventeenth Street, Brooklyn.
SH. HECHT (or GECHT), 357-59 Christopher Avenue, Brooklyn.
MORRIS AGINSKY.
BROCHA ALPERT, 130 Noll Street, Brooklyn.
DELA-CIVIE BAR, same address.
SAM KONOWITZ, 107 Second Avenue.
R. FITTERMAN, 26 Norfolk Street.
HIRSH FERMAN.
BER FERMAN.
SHELEVA and NIREL BLOCH, 1,480 Brook Avenue, Bronx.
AARON and FANNY FEINSTEIN.
DAVID and IDA SKLAR.
MORRIS GUTLER, 145 Orchard Street.
ISAAC GOINSKY, 312 East 10th Street.
H. LANDA, 41 Astor Street.
M. GOLDBAER, 540-2 East Fifth Street.
B. GERSHENWITZ, 98 East Fourth Street.
CHATSKELE GREIVER.
FRANK BERKOWITZ, 1,844 Second Avenue.
HARRY BLAWINS.
BROCHA ALPERT, 130 Noll Street, Brooklyn.
MORRIS AGINSKY.
HIRSH DEUTSCH.
AARON DEUTSCH.
MEYER DON and wife.
JACOB COHEN, 328 Henry Street.
L. LIFSHITZ, 1,319 East New York Ave., Brooklyn.
MEYER ZYCHAWITZKY, 331 Graham Ave., Brooklyn.
CHAYA FEIGE SAMELAN, 213 Broome Street.
SAMUEL BERGER, 47-40 West 112th Street.
B. BERGER, 210 East Tenth Street.
YANKEL KATZ, 10 East 100th Street.
ELIE WOREL.
JOSEPH KOTLER, 610 East Ninth Street.
LEIB and FREIDA KISHNER, 209 East Tenth Street.
MAX KOBER.
MORDECH KATZ and SAM WALOWITZ, 231 East Fourth Street.
CHAYA JAFFE, 317 Graham Avenue, Brooklyn.
B. LEVITZ, 1,774 Pitkin Avenue, Brooklyn.
LEISER LUCKER, 1,323 Douglas Street, Brooklyn.
Miss B. SIEGEL, 212 Henry Street.
TOBIAS MAKAREY, 281 East Fourth Street.
ISAAC BAYM, 120 Sutter Ave., Brooklyn.
S. MATLIN, 324 Henry Street.
MR. MILLER, 117 East 100th Street.
LOUIS GOLDINGER.

Outside of New York City.
Mr. WEINER, 182 Paterson Avenue, Perth Amboy, N. J.
SHY BECKER, 15 Speridon Street, Rochester, N. Y.
ABRAHAM BECKER, Rochester, N. Y.
N. Y. ISRAEL, 1 Payne Street, Rochester, N. Y.
ZINA BECKER, East Aurora, N. Y.
A. SERNER, (or HARNER), 333 Monroe Street, Hoboken, N. J.
MORRIS SAMPSON, Helderberg Avenue, Schenectady, N. Y.
LIPMAN SOMMER, Paterson, N. J.
Mr. CALL, Binghamton, N. Y.
In some cases the foregoing addresses have been wrong and have prevented the society from finding those who are being sought.

FORM "THE LITTLE CLUB."

New Organization Has Prominent Men and Women as Members.

"The Little Club" is a new organization of men and women just formed which will be in running order as soon as headquarters have been decided upon. The membership is to be limited to 50. The Directors are Miss Marjorie Curtis, Mrs. Kenneth Frazier, Mrs. C. D. Gibson, Miss Elizabeth Marbury, Miss Anne Morgan, Mrs. John Oakman, Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt, Miss Maude Wetmore, Mrs. H. P. Whitney, Robert Bacon, Magistrate Peter T. Barlow, Dr. Joseph Collins, Kenneth Frazier, Myron T. Herrick, Alexander Keogh, John S. Milburn, Elliot Norton, John Quinn, Theodore Roosevelt, and Forbes Watson. On the Executive Committee, which is issuing the invitations for membership, are Whitney, Mrs. Frazier, Magistrate Barlow, Mr. Keogh, and Mr. Norton.

The aim of the club, the invitation says, is "to get an interesting membership of men and women prominent or interested in active affairs or artistic vocations who feel that there is a place for such a club, to which men and women may both belong."

Well-known persons living in other cities and abroad will be asked to become nonresident members, and efforts will be made to have the club an agreeable stopping-place for them in New York.

The club will be headquartered somewhere between Forty-second and Fifty-fourth Streets and Sixth and Lexington Avenues. The organization, in the words of the charter, will provide a social club for men and women of character, cultivation, distinction, and position, whereby their interest and pleasure in life may be increased.

Seek Aid for Family of Four.

An appeal was issued yesterday by the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities, 90 Schermerhorn Street, for contributions for the support of a grandmother who was left with three grandchildren on her hands.

The two girls, Agnes and Jane, developed tuberculosis, and were sent to a sanatorium, leaving Mrs. Byrnes alone with her grandson Joseph. The girls are now able to return home, but \$100 is needed to obtain the proper care and food for them during the first months after their return. The Bureau acknowledges the following contributions: A. F., \$1; Short, 50 cents; Little Helpers of Flinders, \$1; Anonymous, \$1; For Mrs. K., \$1.

USE GIMBEL MAIL ORDER

A completely equipped Mail Order Organization accommodates GIMBELS patrons out of town or summering at the resorts with accuracy and dispatch. Address M. O. Dept.

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USE GIMBEL TELEPHONES

You can shop at GIMBELS comfortably, quickly and efficiently by telephone. Call Madison Sq. 8200 and simply say: "I want to give an order." The response is instantaneous.

Best Linen and Towel Values of the Year

**"One Finds
Paris Millinery in
GIMBELS French Salon"**



A Louison model in black Lyons velvet, trimmed with a wreath of hand-made silk flowers and leaves, in shades of blues, rose pinks and greens.

A Commentary from Visitors:
"It is gratifying to find one place in America where the Paris Model Hats are in such numbers that an intelligent idea of the season's Foremost Millinery can be obtained."

"It is practically impossible to distinguish the copies from the originals. The materials and the workmanship are identical."

Copies of Paris Model Hats from \$15 to \$28
Original models from Georgette, Caroline Reboux, Maria Guy, Louison, Lewis, Talbot and Madame Vimont. GIMBELS French Salons—Third Floor

Black and Colored Dress Goods

At Special Prices

\$1.50 All-Wool Black
Gabardine; regularly \$2. An exceptionally beautiful quality woven with a fine firm twill. Jet black.

\$2 All-Wool Velours.
Excellent quality, velvety finish. In all the wanted fall colors, including black and navy blue.

GIMBELS—Second Floor

The Young Society Bud Wears Serge Dresses Also—

There can be no doubt that serge dresses or the combination of serge with silk or satin fabrics are to be the leaders of the first fall days of fashion.

The altogether new model pictured is fashioned of navy blue serge combined with side skirt panels, lower sleeves, and wide collar of silk finished messaline. The dropped fullness of the sleeves is particularly new. Soutache braiding is an insistent note in trimming. The surplice crossing of the bodice terminates in sash-ends. 14 to 20 years.



At \$25

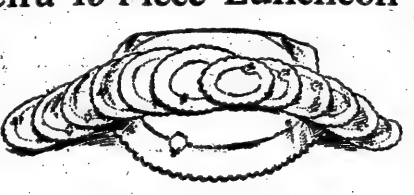
Other Dresses of Serge and Serge Combinations
are found in at least a dozen styles—with more being added each day. One-piece dresses tunic effects, frocks with the waist-line at any of the desired heights—the normal waist-line, the high Empire style and the dropped waist-line. Black, navy blue and other dark colors.

\$10, \$13.50, \$16.75, \$18.50, \$20, \$25, \$32.50
GIMBELS—Third Floor

Sounds like an exaggeration when you think of all the Linen Sales New York has had this year. But it is a fact, for no store has watched the markets more carefully than GIMBELS. Enormous purchases for three GIMBELS Stores has made these offerings possible and you are invited to verify the truth of this statement that these are the "Best Linen and Towel Values of the Year."

\$5.50 Madeira 13-Piece Luncheon Sets, \$3.50

Real Madeira hand-embroidered and hand-scalloped. Several rich and elaborate designs embroidered on fine round thread Irish Linen. Set consists of 1 centerpiece, 24 in.; 6 six and 6 ten-inch doilies. This very unusual offering will prove interesting to thrifty housekeepers. Mail orders filled.



13-Piece Luncheon Set, \$3.50

Filet Lace-trimmed Scarfs and Squares
All pure Irish linen centers, trimmed with 6-inch lace edging scarfs.

18x36 80c each 18x54 \$1 each
18x45 90c each Squares 30x30 \$1 each

\$4.25 Damask Table Cloths \$2.95
All linen bleached damask scalloped cloths. Extra heavy and closely woven in several beautiful new circular designs. Made from pure flax yarns; exceptional values.

Pattern Table Cloths
All linen full bleached satin damask pattern table cloths, with napkins to match, in a good selection of round designs. Size 66x87, \$2.25 each; 66x85, \$3 each. Napkins, 21x21, \$2.75 doz.

Linen Napkins—Very Special
1,000 dozen odd all linen damask napkins; very special values. No cloths to match, hence these very low prices. \$2.50, \$3.50 and \$4.50 dozen; regular prices were \$3.25 to \$6.50 dozen.

Huck Towels, \$1.95 doz.
Heavy and absorbent bleached huck towels. A very interesting offering for proprietors of hotels, boarding houses, yachts, etc. Size 20x42 inches. GIMBELS regular price was \$2.50 dozen; Sale \$1.95 dozen.

GIMBELS—Second Floor

Turkish Bath Towels
Bleached Turkish bath towels, heavy and absorbent. Special \$3, \$3.95 and \$6 dozen.

Crash Roller Toweling 12½c Yd.
All pure Irish linen crash roller toweling, extra heavy and absorbent. The price is below the present wholesale cost. A truly unusual offering, 12½c yd.

Initial Turkish Towels 25c
Extra heavy and absorbent, with three deep blue stripes in borders. Size 22x45-inch, 2½-inch French knot initial. Special price 25c each.

Japanese Bungalow Lunch Cloths
Two-toned lunch cloths in beautiful quaint Oriental designs, with white grounds and blue flowers and Lucky Birds, and deep blue borders. Size 48x48, 50c each. Napkins, 12x12, 45c doz. Size 60x60, 80c each.

Huck Towels \$3 doz.
Bleached hemstitched huck towels, good sturdy quality and very absorbent; generous size; neat key and stripe borders. Special \$3 dozen.

Costume Linen at 58c yard
Oyster, ivory and pure white costume linens that have regularly sold for 75c and \$1 yard. In the very desirable 45-inch width and a beautiful, lustrous satin finish. Special Sale price, 58c yard.

GIMBELS—Second Floor

Imported Silken Lingerie—Hand-Embroidered and Hand-Made

The first Fall shipment from our representative in Japan has arrived. Lingerie in the finer qualities of Habutai and Crepe de Chine. Embroidered with the incomparable silk-thread needlework of the daughters of the Flowery Kingdom.



Nightgowns.
Four models in white, pink or ciel blue. The model illustrated, \$11.50.
The three other styles are produced in both Habutai and Crepe de Chine. Two models in Habutai at \$11.50; in Crepe de Chine at \$15. The fourth model in Habutai at \$10.50; in Crepe de Chine at \$14.

Envelope Chemises (illustrated)
Crepe de Chine at \$11.50.
Habutai Silk—White, pink or blue, at \$9.50.

Regulation Chemises.
Crepe de Chine, \$7.95.
Habutai Silk—White, pink or blue, \$6.50.

Chemi-Pantaloons Combinations.
Two models in Crepe de Chine at \$7.95. White, pink or blue.

GIMBELS—Second Floor

**Two New
Crepe de Chine Blouses**

Fall models are beginning to appear in the blouse-world—and among them are some excellent blouses of very heavy quality Crepe de Chine.



Illustrated is a semi-tailored Crepe de Chine Blouse with yoke from which the full blouse is pleated in narrow loose pleats. Cuffs, collar, and vestee front are trimmed with many rows of black stitching. This model in white or flesh, \$7.95.

The second Blouse of Crepe de Chine in all white has a sailor collar widely pointed over the shoulders, and a panel front fastened with hexagonal pearl buttons. Panel front, collar and cuffs are edged with half-inch pleatings, picot-edged, \$6.95.

Paris-made Blouses
Our own importation of French tailored Blouses. Fashioned of fine batiste, and trimmed with hand-hemstitching and tucks.
\$2, \$2.95, \$3.95 and \$5
GIMBELS—Third Floor

GIMBELS Importations

There is no organization in America that is in closer touch with foreign markets than GIMBEL Brothers. We have our own establishments or representatives in every location that is the source of authentic style, industry, necessity or luxury of the World of Fashion.

Received on the S. S. "Chicago," 14 cases of new merchandise; and on the S. S. "Touraine" 12 cases of merchandise. Containing the newest and most desirable merchandise for almost every department throughout the store.

Manteaux pour Mesdames

Early Fall emphasizes the importance of garments that are neither too heavy nor too light for the changing season, and of colors that are of the correct hues.

The new Bolivia Chinchilla Cloth is the material that promises to give complete satisfaction for this Fall.

Coats of Bolivia
Chinchilla are being exhibited in our Coat Section in two models; one is half-lined and is fashioned on entirely new and smart lines, one of which is illustrated, at \$29.50. The second model, somewhat more severe in silhouette, unlined, \$19.50.

Fur-trimmed Utility Coats made of foreign tweeds, in mixtures of gray and brown tones. Trimmed with Natural Raccoon, Skunk-dyed Opossum, Natural Taupe Coney, and Silvered Coney. Variety of models, \$25.

GIMBELS—Third Floor

Premier Showing of Winter Furs

GIMBELS announce their display of the first exclusive styles in Winter Furs for 1916-17.

Moleskin Coats, plain and trimmed models, in all the new lengths and the most approved fashions.

Hudson Seal Coats (dyed muskrat), new flaring models, in extreme and conservative styles.

Fur Coats, for Motoring, Sports, and Utility Outing Wear, fashioned of Raccoon, Silvered-hair Seal, Natural Gray Squirrel, Civet and Nutria.

Also New Stoles and Echarpes in Moleskin, Hudson Seal (dyed muskrat), Skunk, Kolinsky, etc.

GIMBELS—Third Floor

Beaded Handbags From Paris

Just received—not yet out of their French-labeled boxes, beaded bags made as only the Parisian can combine color and grace of line.

Long pouch-bags, oval-shaped bags, round, and bags of charmingly irregular shapes—some of silk with intricate designs beaded in relief—but most of them are all beaded.

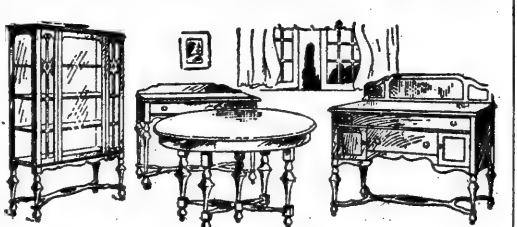
Silver and gold beads so cunningly wrought that they appear to be a wonderful pliable fabric—designs in old tapestry colorings; dull, opalescent effects; and color-combinations of Assyria and old Pompeii.

From \$15 to \$50
GIMBELS—Main Floor

GIMBELS AUGUST FURNITURE SALE "With Initiative"

Never before have New Yorkers displayed so much interest in furniture during the month of August as they have these past three weeks. It now seems as if interest was beginning to run higher than ever. In the face of enormous advances in manufacturers' costs, GIMBELS resources permit the offering of furniture of the same fine quality at prices lower than ever before.

For example: Just 25 Suites of William and Mary Dining-Room Furniture, as illustrated. Nothing better has ever been made to sell at a price so low.



\$150 William and Mary Dining-Room 4-pc. Oak Suite, \$35. Dining Chairs to match, \$5; Arm Chair, \$8.



\$180 Ivory Enamel or Black Lacquer 4-pc. Suite, \$120.

SUITES FOR THE BEDROOM

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GIMBELS—Sixth Floor

SUNDAY, AUGUST 20, 1916.

ARE WE READY FOR A COMMERCIAL WAR?

Our Lack of International Banks with Which to Encourage Trade—Great Britain's Preparedness.

By the Editor of The New York Times.

Washington, Aug. 5, 1916.

PROBABLY within a year or two, certainly before the present decade ends, the principal nations of the world, including the United States, will be engaged in a commercial struggle as fierce, and as far-reaching as the physical war now being waged in Europe.

Although the outcome of that struggle may involve no actual bloodshed, it cannot fail to have a very material effect upon our own future welfare, as well as that of our posterity. Upon it will depend absolutely our future rank among the commercial nations of the earth, and, it may be, very much more than that. It is indeed, in a far-fetched idea that, in view of the orbit into which that contest may move and the vast populations likely to be involved, it will settle that vitally momentous question, where the world's future balance of power shall lie. If this view is correct, we shall not be able, as a country, to continue to live only to ourselves, as we have done in the past.

In the future commercial battles of the world we must interest ourselves vigorously as other first-class nations do. The force of our unequalled wealth and energies, aided by the generous support of our Government, must be felt under this new commercial regime. This, much, at least, we owe, not to ourselves only, but to the world at large. Considered, however, only from a selfish point of view, we can no longer fall to recognize that if our people are to have an equal chance in the markets of the world with the people of other countries our Government must stand behind them in the same way that other Governments stand behind their people. If this cannot be assured, then it will be small wonder that our bankers if so handicapped they continue to refuse to send their funds thousands of miles away from home and outside the protection and support of their own Government. As to just what this reluctance means, some very surprising figures are available.

The aphorism that "banking is the handmaid of commerce" has a wider acceptance in this country than anywhere else in the world, and nowhere else is commerce served so sumptuously. That is, as long as the margin relates to domestic business. In our eyes, however, it appears to have no scope away from home. Compare, for instance, the figures of Great Britain's international banking with our own. That country possesses fifty-three overseas banks, with a multitude of branches. These banks have a total capital and reserve amounting, at the current rate of exchange, to \$544,483,370, a sum which, if we exclude the figures of the Bank of England, exceeds by 5 per cent. the total capital and reserves of all the fifty-six incorporated domestic banks of the United Kingdom, with their 8,000 branches.

Turning to the figures of our own banks, we are brought face to face with an amazing contrast. With a total domestic banking wealth equal to that of all the rest of the world combined, this country possesses just one incorporated international bank to look after and promote its foreign business. It is true that of late one of our large banks has opened branches in South America, also that we have certain very powerful and wealthy private banking houses capable of handling large international loans. The fact remains, however, that we have just one incorporated international bank as compared with Great Britain's fifty-three, a condition which is aggravated by the comparative smallness of our one bank, as compared with the average size of its British rivals. The capital and surplus of our bank amounts to \$8,500,000, as compared with \$10,000,000, the average of each of the English foreign banks. Expressed somewhat differently, the figures of our single international bank amount to a fraction over 1 per cent. of the capital and surplus of the British international banking capital. Carrying the comparison a point further, our international banking capital and surplus of \$8,500,000 compares with \$3,401,822,000, the capital and surplus of our national and State banks, and of our loan and trust companies. That is, our overseas banking capital compares with our domestic capital, as one dollar does to five hundred dollars; whereas in Great Britain, the overseas banking capital actually exceeds the domestic banking capital!

This preponderance of foreign international banks over our own is not a recent thing. For the most part, it has existed for half a century. It shows, however, an amazing disparity between the practice or policy of the two countries, that the matter calls for very careful investigation. To the casual observer it will undoubtedly appear as if, intoxicated by our wonderful home opportunities, and discouraged by the lack of governmental sympathy and support for outside investment, we had overlooked entirely those tempting foreign fields until the only one in the field, had seized the opportunities we have so persistently ignored.

Under ordinary circumstances our opportunity to secure a reasonable share in the world's foreign business would have been lost to us by this time through our negligence or misfortune, call it what you will. As it is, the war in Europe and the worldwide destruction of wealth have brought foreign countries to us for capital, and so opportunity knocks at our door once more, at a time, too, when we have the capital and the amended banking laws to encourage us to send our money abroad. If we cannot lend money to foreign countries we cannot get their trade. If the neglect of our Government discourages our bankers from lending their capital in foreign countries and loans are not made, then the loss of the commerce resulting from this policy is directly chargeable to the Government. If this country's foreign banking power was equal to that of England or Germany our foreign trade, large as it is, would be doubled, no doubt is the influence of banking on trade. What we want, therefore, is more

By J. SELWIN TAIT.

foreign banks—large banks. We can no more win a commercial war with one bank against fifty than we can win a naval battle with one ship or one gun against fifty.

In plain language, the contrast between our showing in foreign banking and that of England and Germany is unimpeachably discreditable to us as a nation. While this country has operating money our capitalists should be encouraged in every way to invest their money in the establishment of foreign banks. They are profitable institutions—among the most profitable, indeed, in the world—but the actual percentage returned by the investment is the smallest part of the profit derivable from it. Banking capital is seed sown from which the country itself secures in remunerative commerce a far greater profit than the capitalist obtains on his investment.

The establishment of such a foreign banking business requires the utmost

care in order to make sure of a suitable equipment to handle it adequately, and this would call for a certain moderation in dealing with these new organizations. There is, however, to regard it merely as an objective point at which to aim—a good field in the world for the investment of \$250,000,000 of American capital in international banking, that is, in banks operating under a domestic charter but engaged in business in foreign lands. Even then we would have less than one-half of England's investment in foreign and colonial banks.

In whatever is done the Government of this country must assuredly do its part. Capital is timid, especially when urged to go abroad. Every wealthy country, but our own has recognized this, and for scores of years has encouraged its capital in every way possible to enter the foreign banking field. To attain a like success we must follow in their steps.

BAR HARBOR'S GAYEST WEEK

Pageant to Aid American Ambulance in France a Brilliant Success.

BAR HARBOR, Me., Aug. 19.—With entertainments crowding each other, the past week has been the gayest of the season.

On Thursday evening the pageant "Ternaphore," for the benefit of the American Ambulance Corps in France, proved a brilliant event, bringing out a full contingent from the various colonies that packed the improvised amphitheatre on the tennis courts of the Swimming Club. Under the direction of John Murray Anderson about seventy members of the younger society element formed the four groups of dancers, illustrating the history of the art in antiquity, the Middle Ages, the Renaissance and the nineteenth century. There were musical interpolations by George Harris and a prologue by John Kendrick Bangs.

Among those occupying boxes were Mrs. Frederick Vanderbilt, Mrs. Joseph Pulitzer, Mrs. A. B. Cox, Mrs. Thomas De Witt Cuyler, Mrs. Arthur Ryle, Mrs. Henry Tilford, Mrs. Ernesto Fabbrì, Mrs. Ludwig Ellinger, and Mrs. Sullivan Carhart.

Tuesday, perhaps, was the busiest day. The annual aquatic sports came in the morning, preceded by a large luncheon party at which Miss Helen Draper was hostess. In the evening there was the Vanity Fair ball, with a fashion pageant given by the members of the Summer Cabaret Club. Miss Anita Sturge assumed the rôle of Madam Vogue, with a retinue composed of the Misses Frances Bradley, Louise Delano, Frances Sullivan, K. B. Price Collier, Lela Sullivan, Laura Delano, Laura Wurtz, Mildred Dennis, and S. R. Price Collier.

Every one is interested in the photo melodrama to be presented for the benefit of the Bar Harbor Hospital at the Casino Wednesday evening, Aug. 30. Mrs. Leonard Thomson and Walter Phelps are the principals. Others in the cast are Miss Theresa Fabbrì, Whitney Wright, Watson Emmett, Henry Taylor, Paul Draper, and Charles Cushing. The scenario was written by Mrs. Gouverneur Morris, who is keeping the title a secret until the performance. Mrs. Edgar Scott of Philadelphia, who has already taken an interest in the welfare of the hospital, has the affair in charge.

Among the important musical events which will close the season at the Building of Arts will be a recital by Mme. Margarete Matzenauer, prima donna of the Metropolitan company, with Roger de Bruyn, tenor, to take place on the afternoon of Aug. 30. There will also be a violin recital by Fritz Kreisler Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 23.

Miss Alice Bowler distinguished herself as a marksman in the rifle tournament this week by setting up a record of 201 out of 250 shots. Second place

was taken by Miss Josephine Gibson. The trapshooting event honors went to R. G. Fell.

Maury H. B. Paul and J. Thes Mund of New York are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman B. Kendall. Mrs. Thomas Bloodgood Pack is expected to join the party next week.

Mrs. G. Gordon King and Miss King are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis B. McCarg at the Woodlands. Edgar Scott and C. R. Frelinghuysen defeated Richard D. Sears, Jr., and H. K. Kiesel in the men's doubles of the tennis fixtures. Mr. Scott has several times before captured laurels with the racket in the Bar Harbor tournaments, and last season, with Mrs. William K. Dick, was winner in the mixed doubles.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Draper entertained with a dinner dance Wednesday evening at Guy Cliff in honor of their daughter, Miss Helen Draper. Mrs. Josika Herzig and her niece, Mrs. Edmund Ferguson of New York, accompanied by Miss Edith Gracie of Washington, arrived this week for the remainder of the season. Miss Gracie is the daughter of Archibald Gracie, who lost his life in the Titanic disaster. Mrs. Hennen Coddington had as dinner guests at the Kebu Valley Club the Misses Jeannie and Marie Morris, Allen Gouverneur Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Frelinghuysen, Campbell Stewart, and Jack McInture.

Mrs. William Rice gave a tea at her cottage for Mrs. J. Pierpont Morgan. Mrs. William Elmer Hamilton and Mrs. Hamilton are visiting Mrs. J. Pierpont Morgan and Mrs. Herbert Lee Satterlee.

Mrs. Francis Burton Harrison, who has been spending the season at the Greenway Court, will leave for Paris the first week in September to place her two daughters in school. Her cottage has been leased to Mr. and Mrs. Warner Mirfin Leeds, who on account of their children expect to remain late until the infantile paralysis epidemic has subsided. At present they are occupying one of the Vanderbilt cottages.

Walter S. Gurnee was host at a luncheon party given at the Pot and Kettle Club Thursday. It was one of a series of four being given by the members. Allen Gouverneur Wellman won the stroke competition on the Kebu Valley links in the weekly tournaments with a score of 74. Dr. R. H. Fowler and S. W. Bates tied for second honors.

Quentin Roosevelt is visiting at the cottage of Dr. R. H. Fowler and S. W. Bates. J. Pierpont Morgan arrived on his yacht, the Corsair, this week to visit his mother. Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Gould and Frank Gould will conclude their stay with Mr. and Mrs. Deane Hennen Morris this week.

There were over sixty entries in the ladies' singles and mixed doubles putting competition at the Kebu Valley Club links this week. Miss Christine Biddle was winner in the singles and the doubles were won by Mrs. Gouverneur Morris and George T. Brokaw. The entries in the singles included Miss Katherine Stewart, Miss Dorothy Sturges, Miss Katherine Force, Miss Mildred McCormick, Miss Katherine Rush, and Mrs. E. B. Meurs. In the mixed class were Miss Jeannie Emmett, Whitney Wright, Miss Katherine Stewart, Watson Emmett, Miss Dorothy Sturges, Victor Cushman, Miss Dorothy Biegelow, Newell W. Tilton, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ketterlinus, Miss Mary Cass Canfield, and T. C. Richardson, Jr.



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Truly, a pleasant paradox—in this season of soaring costs.

Yet it is an actual condition, as the new merchandise comes in for our Autumn business. For the prices are the old low prices, in a great many cases—though of course not all. Take, for example, the

Rugs and Carpets in the Annual Autumn Display and Sale which we announce at length elsewhere today.

They afford the most brilliant instances of NEW goods at OLD prices that can well be desired. Here is a single case in point—

Out of 100 patterns in a single size of Wilton Rugs that are now being shown, first appearance in fifty are now making their first public appearance. The other 50 patterns are so good that they are being continued.

But PRICES, on the whole 100 designs, are based on our having bought a huge quantity in April of this year, since when there have been no less than three advances in price.

And, as with Rugs and Carpets, so with much other new merchandise:

Keep a close eye on Abraham and Straus prices during the coming months, in contrast with what other stores will have to ask for merchandise equally new, equally desirable, in equally rich assortments.

It is this Store's happy faculty of

Looking Ahead and of backing up its foresightedness by liberal buying that make it possible to offer these low prices, not as the exception, but as the rule, and to maintain its policy of always affording to its customers

Style at a Price Exemplified in dozens of ways by the new fashions which are bursting forth all over the Store.

Monday will be intensely interesting to all those people who are busily engaged at this time in the absorbing occupation of spreading the butter of family funds over the greatest possible area of the bread of family and household needs.

Read the following announcements critically—they will repay you.

Women's Handkerchiefs

24c. Colored Sheer Lawn Handkerchiefs, 12½c. Colors are torn dyed and absolutely fast. Printed Japanese Silk Handkerchiefs, 15c. In a large variety of designs.

"Landscape" Handkerchiefs, 15c. A washable colored silk in pink, blue, cream, navy, lavender and gray.

Street floor, center, Central Building.

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At Hoyt Street is quickly reached by Brooklyn Express, as follows:
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WEATHER FORECAST.
Fair tomorrow, somewhat warmer; light variable winds.

Last Opportunity to Buy at Low Summer Prices Women's Fashionable FUR COATS

In Authentic Styles for the Coming Winter
Skins Selected Before Recent Rise in Prices

Everything that clever planning and large, early buying could accomplish to bring prices down on these superb Fur Coats has been done.

We bought the fine pelts from which the Coats are to be made months ago, when lower prices prevailed. The designs are chosen from those which Fashion has declared to be desirable this coming season, and there is an abundant choice among them. We will take your order for any of these models, while you can still have the advantage of low Summer prices for labor, providing you make up your mind now.

IT WILL BE IMPOSSIBLE FOR US TO DUPLICATE THESE LOW PRICES A LITTLE LATER IN THE FALL.

Every Coat Bought Now Will Be Stored Without Charge Until Desired Later On.

The model Coats may be bought, or duplicated, in sizes 34 to 42. Prices are as follows:

Hudson Seal (Dyed Muskrat) Coats
At \$80—40-in.; collar and cuffs of Hudson Seal.
At \$85—45-in.; collar and cuffs of Hudson Seal.
At \$95—45-in.; skunk collar.
At \$110—42-in.; two styles.
At \$120—42-in.; deep skunk collar.

Three Especially Fine Models in Hudson Seal Coats

At \$375.00 48 in. long; large Kolinsky collar and cuffs. Semi-loose model, with sweep of 2½ yards.
At \$395.00 50 in. long, with collar, cuffs and 13-inch border of Kolinsky; superb model.
At \$395.00 Large collar of skunk, wide cuffs, and deep border of the same beautiful fur.

Persian Lamb Coats
At \$160—36-in. At \$190—40-in.

(Near seal) Rabbit Skin Coats
At \$65—40-in.; deep collar & cuffs of nearseal.

Mole Coats
At \$195—48-in.; deep collar, cuffs and border of Hudson Seal.
At \$325—45-in.; with deep collar and cuffs of taupe fox.

Second floor, Central Building.

Suggestions from the Furniture Sale Which Will Save You Money

The August Furniture Sale is full up and over with helpful, money-in-your-pocket hints which, besides helping you in your desire to be economical, make it possible for you to secure splendid, handsome pieces of Furniture for any part of the house—Furniture that you have long wanted for some one particular spot in your home, but have never had called to your attention before this.

In the appended list are Living Room, Dining Room and Bedroom Suites, Odd Chairs, Chiffoniers, Buffets, Beds, etc., all at special prices considerably less than their regular markings. The savings are so conspicuous and easily arrived at that you can see what we mean by money-in-your-pocket hints.

\$30.00 Dining Room Chair, \$24.00
Golden oak, brown Spanish leather seat, banister back.
\$50.00 Arm Chair to Match, \$44.00
\$55.00 Chiffonier, \$39.95
Golden oak, 5 large drawers, wood gallery back.
\$85.00 Bureau, \$75.00
Golden oak, 3 large drawers, 12x20 mirror.
\$180.00 Parlor Rocker, \$104.00
Mahogany, cane back and seat, with loose cushion covered with fancy denim.
\$130.00 Arm Chair to Match, \$104.00
\$140.00 White Enameled Iron Bed, \$110.00
Square design, 2-inch post, 1½-in. top and bottom rail, five 1-in. fillers; all sizes.
\$220.00 Buffet, \$180.00
Golden oak, Colonial design, mirror back; 1 large linen drawer and 3 smaller top drawer compartments; large cupboard.
\$42.50 Dining Room Extension Table, \$29.00
Golden oak, massive, carved pedestal base, claw feet, 48-in. top; 6 feet extension.
\$45.00 Living Room Suites, \$40.50
3 pieces, sofa, arm chair and rocker; mahogany finish, cane backs; spring seats upholstered in tapestry; William and Mary Period.
\$87.75 Dining Room Suite, \$79.00
Jacobean oak; 10 pieces, buffet, china closet, 6-foot extension table, 48-in. diameter; 6 side chairs, upholstered in brown Spanish leather.
\$102.00 Bedroom Suite, \$81.50
Mahogany finish; 4 pieces, bureau, full size bed, chiffonier and triplicate mirror dressing table; Adam design.
Dining Room Suite, \$90.00
4 pieces, buffet, china closet, side table and 44-in. extension table; Jacobean oak; Adam design.
Fourth floor, East and Central Buildings.

Women's New Fall Suits At Two Popular Prices, \$16.50 and \$22.50

These have the new and sure-to-be-favored 36-inch coats, trimmed with novelty and self belts and buttons—while the skirts are with full flare, shirred top and half belt. The materials are

Gabardine, Serge, Poplin and Mannish Mixtures

A Complete Stock of New Fall Suits

At \$14.75, \$18.75, \$24.75, \$29.75 Up to \$72.50

In the materials that will be in favor this Fall—broadcloths, gabardines, whipcords, wool velours in solid colors as well as checks and plaids. Colors are black, navy, tobacco, brown, bottle green, olive, burgundy and hairline stripes.

Many are fur-trimmed with Hudson seal, mole skin, beaver and skunk.

Second floor, Central Building.

Women's New Fall Coats Extremely Reasonable at \$14.95 and \$17.95

Most moderately priced—everything considered—the excellent grade of material, the well-tailored lines, the handsome styles. Women will derive much pleasure from wearing them, as they will be quite suited for motor or travel wear during the cool, crisp days to come.

One model is velour cloth and is cut full sweep and lined throughout in the best grade of peau de cygne. The other, also of velour cloth, has collar of beaver plush and may be had in the following colors:

Tobacco Brown Olive Bottle Green
Navy Blue and Burgundy

Second floor, East Building.

The Autumn Sale and Display of the New Rugs, Carpets and Linoleums

Present Over 840 Distinct Patterns in Floor-Coverings at Prices That Are Unmatchably Low

Undoubtedly the best way to impress upon you the extraordinary preparation we have made for this Fall Opening of our Floor-covering Store is to quote examples.

In the favorite 9x12 ft. Rugs alone we show: 65 Patterns of Axminster—All Seamless; 45 Patterns of Velvet—All Seamless; 50 Patterns of Tapestry Brussels—All Seamless; 150 Patterns of Wiltons.

(And, be it noted, it is for seamless Rugs that the demand is greatest nowadays.)

In the Carpets we display 125 Patterns in Hall and Stair Carpets.

While among the Linoleums there are 150 Patterns in Tile and Wood Effect.

So much for variety in the aggregate. To take individual instances:

In 9x12 Ft. Wool Wilton Rugs at \$35		In 9x12 Ft. Fine Worsted Wilton Rugs at \$50 and \$60		In Wool Velvet Carpets At \$1.35 and \$1.50 Yard	
(And they are the best of their kind.) There are 35 patterns to choose from. These Rugs should normally sell for \$10 more.		There are 47 beautiful patterns at your disposal. Rugs of a grade that should be \$10 and \$15 more today than we have priced them.		There are 50 separate Hall and Stair designs and colorings; from the best carpet mills—Hartford, Smith, Roxbury and Sanford.	
THE RUGS		Seamless Wilton Velvet Rugs		Seamless Axminster Rugs	
Seamless Tapestry Brussels Rugs		Body Brussels Rugs		Seamless Yonkers Axminster Rugs	
Seamless Colonial Velvet Rugs		A beautiful close pile Rug in exquisite designs and colorings.		THE CARPETS	
6 x 9 ft. \$11.25 8 x 10 ft. \$13.50 9 x 12 ft. \$15.50		27x36 in. \$5.95 4½ x 6 ft. \$8.50 6 x 9 ft. \$10.50 8 x 10 ft. \$12.50 9 x 12 ft. \$14.50		22x36 in. \$1.85 27x36 in. \$2.85 36x72 in. \$4.85 48x72 in. \$6.50	
27 x 36 in. \$2.50 36 x 48 in. \$3.50 48 x 60 in. \$4.50 60 x 72 in. \$5.50 72 x 84 in. \$6.50		4½ x 7½ ft. \$9.50 and \$11.50 6 x 9 ft. \$15.00 and \$19.50 8 x 10½ ft. \$25.00 and \$29.50 9 x 12 ft. \$35.00 and \$39.50		12x18 in. \$1.35 18x27 in. \$1.50 24x36 in. \$1.75 36x48 in. \$1.95 48x60 in. \$2.15	
10½ x 13½ ft. \$49.50		Third floor, East Building.		THE LINOLEUMS	
New Process Linoleums.....\$2c. to \$5c. sq. yd. Printed Cork Linoleums.....\$3c. to \$5c. sq. yd. Inlaid Linoleum.....\$5c. to \$15.00 sq. yd.		At \$1.35 and \$1.50 yard. From the Smith-Hartford, Roxbury and Sanford Mills. Some 50 patterns.		Extra Quality Smith Wilton Velvet	
All in hall and stair designs.		Hartford, Smith and Sanford make.		All in hall and stair designs.	
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FRANCE'S PROTEST IN BEHALF OF HER PEOPLE IN GERMAN HANDS

(Continued from preceding page.)

I do not say that in order that we should be pitied but to show you that even physically we are not sustained for the moral tortures which we undergo, deprived of all encouragement, of all news of you.

"Hence mortality increases in a frightful way. Forty-five per cent. of the population reduced to half. Cases of madness are numerous in certain regions; that does not astonish us. We are at the end of our strength. It is necessary to be constantly on the watch to defend and sustain the poor. We are supporting ourselves only by a constant tension of soul and strength. For me, until now I have written every week. I am discouraged about it and I think I am going to resign myself to await a reply.

"Please communicate also this little paper to every one.

"Signed: D."

Fifteen letters follow, written by residents of the cities affected, substantially to the same effect. Exhibit 10 states that in Lille alone, 2,000 young girls and women were carried away each night during the period covered by these operations. Exhibit 23 quotes the answer of the German General commanding at Lille to the Bishop of the city who came to protest against these proceedings. It is as follows: "You, Bishop of Lille, begone!" The same letter mentions that several German officers and soldiers were being confined in the fortress for refusing to take part in such outrages. The chapter concludes with a communication to M. Poincaré subscribed by the heads of four charitable societies organized to succor the sufferers from the invaded districts of the north. It is dated June 15, 1916, and states that some 30,000 persons have been virtually enslaved by the measures described. It lays stress on the need of action by neutrals in the premises. (Exhibit 32.)

Section B of the record consists of depositions taken by magistrates in all parts of France where refugees from the invaded districts were returned, which were taken in answer to a set form of interrogatories such as: "Has the witness been subjected to good or bad treatment?" and "give any general information of whatever nature in the premises." These depositions are stated to be on file at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. For obvious reasons the names of the witnesses, many of whom refer to their having left relatives behind them and the places in the invaded districts where their homes are located, are not given in the book.

Part I, concerning the means of constraint employed, consists of thirty-two depositions, (Exhibits 33-64) incl. Exhibit 38 is a deposition by a woman working from the Department of Ardennes. She states:

"The Germans came to us at B. on Aug. 28, 1914; until the month of April we lived under their threats. But at that time by husband, having been ordered by them to requisition different goods, declined to obey them and he was shot where they had led him. All I was imprisoned for two days. Then they let me go."

Exhibit 36 is the deposition of a farmhand, 50 years old, from B., in the Ardennes. He states that from Oct. 1, 1914, to the following March all the men were imprisoned and forced to labor for the Germans. He adds:

"I saw the Mayor of B., aged 68 years, handled roughly because he would not work, in fact, he could not. A few days later the poor man became paralyzed."

Exhibit 37 is a deposition by Mme. X., a paper-bag maker from B., in the Ardennes. She testifies to the use by a German named Franz of a cat-o'-nine-tails upon the women of the place, all of whom were compelled to labor, if they did not new 25 bags per day. She mentions that one young girl was whipped with the cat, and had a water pitcher broken upon her head because she asked for food; and that another was so badly beaten that she had to be taken to the hospital, and was not seen thereafter.

Exhibit 38 is the deposition of a working woman from B., in the Somme, who tells of the death of her eldest son, aged 19 years, on February 9th, 1915, from shock after he had been terrorized by death threats; and tells that her younger son, aged 16 years, had been struck by the Germans with sticks, and also kicked and cuffed because he would not labor for them.

Exhibit 40 is the deposition of a farmhand from N., in the Aisne, who testifies as follows:

"The Germans, upon their arrival, arrested all of the men of the village in good health, including the mayor, Aldermen, and notables, and held them prisoners in a house in the village; they kept them for five months making them do road work under the guard of soldiers. A farmer, Mr. D., because he would not labor for the Germans, was stripped by them and set loose in the fields with eyes weighted, and with a stick in his hand, and he was killed by his hands tied; he was able to rejoin his farm, however, due to his knowledge of the ground. Despite the supplications of his family he had been kept thus under the fire of shells and bullets for one day. Then he was sent to Germany where, at the end of his journey, he was very ill by reason of the treatment inflicted upon him."

"All the people of the place witnessed this crime. Mr. D. was robbed and his house completely ravaged and looted." (Several other depositions to the same effect are on file.)

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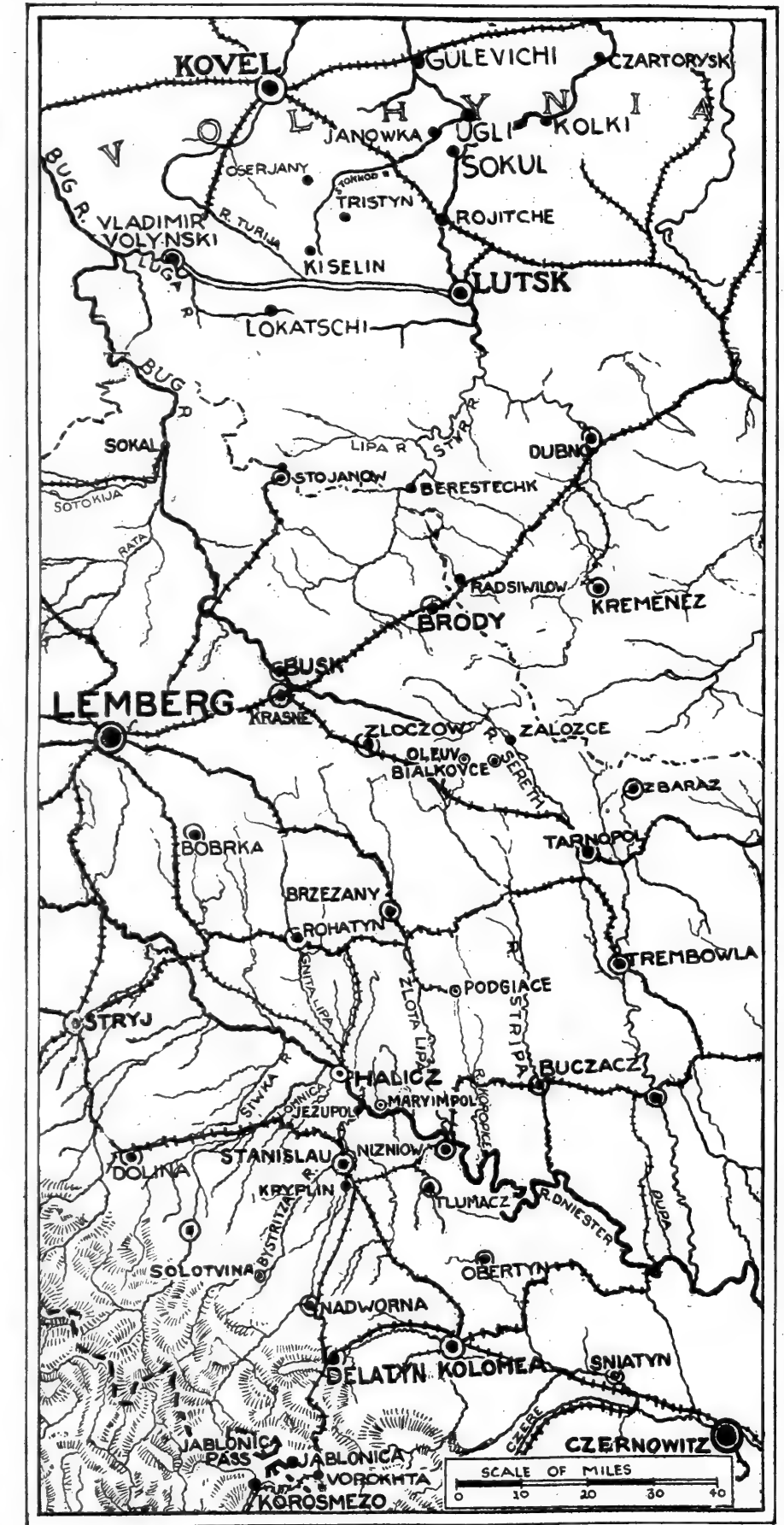
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a good line of supplies. Consequently, in order to prevent the Russians from advancing along this river and thus cutting in back of their main line along the Stripa, the Austrians held on to the upper Sereth and fortified it as strongly as any point in their line. The country was exceedingly favorable to such an operation. Immediately back of the Sereth are high hills which slope rather steeply toward the floor of the valley of the river. On these hills the Austrian position was constructed. Immediately after the fall of Brody the Russians began their operations to force the Austrians from the heights. Could they break the line here, the entire Austrian position along the Stripa would be in danger and heavily embarrassed by the inability of the Austrians to use the railroad from Krasne. In fact, the Russians might be able even to get in behind the Austrian force and roll it up before it had an opportunity to fall back. But the Sereth line held and Russia was unable to advance. Finally, the Russians succeeded in taking several heights, and then, by means of flanking operations, the entire series fell into their hands. Almost at the same time

the Southern Zlota Lipa had been passed and the Koropiec forced. This brought under Russian control the lower ten miles of the Zlota Lipa, and to this extent impaired its value as a defensive screen behind which the Austrians could seek safety. Had the Austrians been present in greater force, or had they retired to this line earlier, it is possible that they might have held the line a great deal longer. The Zlota Lipa is an easy river to defend. The banks are high and steep, the river itself flowing rapidly through deep cuts in the clay. There is a great deal of water in it, particularly at this time of the year, when practically all the rivers of Galicia are in flood. It would have seemed, therefore, that the Austrians should have taken advantage of these conditions before they had passed. But they held to the Stripa so long that the Zlota Lipa was also involved. The day the Russians crossed it in force they turned the position, and its greatest value disappeared. The Austrian position would have been so distinctly favorable, it is difficult to understand why they let the opportunity pass. Not only would they

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On the western front slow but steady progress is being made. The offense has not halted nor can it be yet called a failure any more than it can be called successful. It is entirely impossible to draw any parallel from Verdun. There are points of similarity, largely because the guiding rules of strategy are always the same. Tactics change with the advance in science and invention, in improvements in means of transportation, and in the range and effectiveness of fire arms. Strategy is always the same, has been the same since the days of Caesar and Alexander. But this is the limit of comparative values. In Verdun the entire situation has revolved about the ridges of Lovement on the east bank of the river, and of Charney on the west bank; on the natural strength of the key positions of Hill 304 and Le Mort Homme. On the Somme front there are no such key positions. In fact, there is not a single topographical feature which stands out to the extent that it can be correctly said to give this or that power any decided advantage. The Somme country is always open, gently rolling, with occasional hills and plateaus which we would never notice twice unless our attention were called to them. Whatever advantages in position exist at present are in favor of the British and French. The Plateau of

Bapaume has been reached and the southern edge is firmly in British hands. And more than this; the British have been pushing a wedge northwest of Pozieres in between the village and Thiepval until little by little the latter town is being encircled. It will be remembered, the British met with a severe repulse in the early days of the fighting. The British attempted to take a short cut to Bapaume by striking east from Thiepval and cutting the Bapaume road at a point north of Fosières. This wedge, have pinched out a great part of the German salient and made unnecessary all of the fighting of the past six weeks. Checked here, there was nothing to do but win their ground foot by foot by fighting their way up from the south.

The greatest gain of the week has been made south of Hardscourt, near where the French and British lines join. Between Guillemont and Maurepas, and between Maurepas and Clercy, the French have made a decided advance. They have thrown almost the complete ring about Clercy, have taken the greater part of the village of Maurepas, and have cast a similar

circle about Guillemont. The next great thrust against Guillemont and Clercy will in all probability see these towns fall into the hands of the Allies. The fighting during the week has been characterized by the failure of the Germans to counterattack immediately after the Allies have gained a success. They have been most audaciously attacking the British. In fact, it might truly be said that for the time being the initiative has passed into the hands of the Germans on this narrow section of the front. On the French front south of the Somme, however, the Germans have not been showing the same readiness to dispute any new advance.

As an illustration, when the French made their largest advance, which was between the villages of Maurepas and Clercy, the Germans waited more than twenty-four hours before launching a counterstroke. Its value had by that time largely passed, for the French had had time to reverse the trenches, thoroughly strengthen the new positions, and consolidate them with the old lines.

In judging of the situation on the Somme front, little attention can be paid to reports which emanate from an entirely partisan source. Such reports are naturally prepared to show the home consumption. The best of the Somme is, at least by the non-combatant population of the warring countries, regarded as the deciding battle of the war. Whichever way the Somme goes, so, it is considered, the war will go. Therefore, as both sides have this feeling, it is readily understood why, for political reasons, the leaders on both sides feel it incumbent upon themselves to show on the one side why England and France can never break through or force the German lines back to a danger point, or, on the other side, to show that it is impossible for the Germans to continue to successfully resist the brunt of the allied attack.

On the Italian front the Italian campaign is being slowly developed, but sufficient has been done to show how the Italian fight will be waged. The whole operation now centers on the Carso, the hairpin-shaped plateau that extends from the Valigge Valley to the southeast beyond Sesana. This plateau covers Trieste completely, and any campaign which has Trieste as its objective is doomed to failure at the outset unless the Carso can be taken.

The Italian campaign, as stated last Sunday, is in its general features, to flank the Austrian positions along the Isonzo south of Tolmino—to take Tolmino from the south and utilize it as a point on which to rest the left flank. Pivoting on Tolmino the Italians would then sweep eastward, overrun the Carso, and, with their right resting on the Gulf of Trieste, clear out all of Istria. The first step in such a campaign is naturally to clear out the country in the bends of the Isonzo and to take Tolmino. But while this is going on there is no necessity for the Italians to have any other sections to remain idle. While one army is working northward, a second is moving eastward against the western edge of the Carso, and a third is working its way south along the coast. Although to a certain extent they are at present working independently, the co-operation will become evident when the immediate object of each of these forces has been attained.

Present indications are that the long expected offensive from Saloniki is about to begin. Some preparatory work has been done by the French. The railroad station at Delran has been seized and several towns to the north of the railroad have been taken. It is too early to comment on that situation. But the hope many days have passed it seems probable that this theatre will have some very interesting news to report.

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SMART CLOTHES DESIGNED FOR AMERICAN MOTORISTS

Americans have remained in America this summer and taken their pleasure in motoring. There never has been a season since this horseless car was invented when the roads from Colorado Beach to Bar Harbor have been so alive with the presence of men and women on wheels.

It is not only that during this month of August the world of vacationists is touring the country as a means of sightseeing, but those who own cars and who have hitherto taken trains to their destination have adopted the European spirit of using the motor instead.

A vast number of midsummer wardrobes has been designed solely to cover these excursions on roads where there is no Pullman car and no dining car, and where one must depend upon reaching an inn for a night's sleep and a restaurant for food.

Whoever wants to pay a week-end visit packs his clothes into a motor and goes rolling away for a hundred miles or more without thinking of a railroad ticket.

Because there are no pleasure trips to Europe this year, the smart women of every class—and surely, you know by this time, that extra smart women are not herded together in what is known as the moneyed or fashionable set—have taken every kind of domicile throughout the country, from a bungalow to a palace, from which they motor in and out of the city to which they are attached.

The mobilization of the National Guard and the fact that it will probably be kept on the border for some time, have caused the migration of hundreds of families to the Southwest, and along with them have gone the motor cars—a string of them which, if placed end to end, would be an im-

Demand for Comfortable and Attractive Garments for Those Who Use Automobiles Instead of Trains Has Been Met in a Practical Way

bookstores fairly sprout books and magazines on this subject.

Two or three women have gone from New York to California, others have tested the merits of the Lincoln Highway. These delightful Walter Hales have taken us with them through the delightful bits of scenic life on this planet; have left the battlefields of Europe and dipped down to the Old Dominion, giving us, with their true journalistic spirit, a glimpse of Frederick, Md., with a true story of Barbara Fritchie infusing into the scene the warlike spirit that is today in every heart.

They also go to Gattysburg and find their way into those parts of Virginia which were once marked with blood and passion and sudden death at a time when the air was filled with shot and shells. In the same world-old battle that has torn us asunder again in this generation.

With the Hales and Mrs. Price Post leading the way in motor travel work, other people are sending in all kinds of experiences in unknown spots, of little inns, of rare, good roads, and of places in which to see the sunrise and the sunset, with pictures of people met on the lanes and byways of this continent.

Oh, yes, we're quite motor mad, both as individuals and as a nation. Those of us who have usually gone to Europe in the Summer are quite used to that type of madness that spreads from Moscow to the Lido, but in this country, the motor has been so much a means of speedy transportation and the pleasures of it so closely affiliated with reckless, death-giving joyrides, and so much of our country is lack-



A MILITARY MOTOR HAT.

It is of black silk plush with a visor of black chiffon and a chin band of velvet ribbon.

posing sight, one that might make the Mexicans think they were there for war and not for pleasure.

Added to these facts concerning motor cars and Summer days, there is the impetus given by literature to all kinds of excursions on wheels. The

ing in good roads and in comfortable hotels, that we have somehow associated the actual joy of traveling by motor with Europe, and not with the United States.

No one is more delighted over this turn of affairs than the dressmaker.



NEW FUR ON MOTOR COAT. MOTOR COAT OF ALPACA.

It is in large black and white checks and is used on a dark green velour coat with a patent leather belt. It hangs loosely from the shoulders, has a hood-shaped collar and a patent leather belt that only confines the front.

These motor excursions have telescoped into each other since the last of May, will reach their height in another week, for September and October beckon to the open as the Summer never can.

From Canada to Florida, the call goes out for new kinds of coats and hats and frocks that can be put into dress suit cases and stowed away into motor spaces.

The subject of motor clothes wherever bronched among women is, sure to create a discussion that is most exciting. Each woman has a new idea as to what kind of a hat or veil to wear, and each argues the glory and comfort of her own coat and shoes, which are presentable for dinner at a smart hotel at 8, and which can be worn in the motor through the day.

And so it goes. One would think that the railroads were deserted, but what bare they, with their stupendous freightage of battle commodities.

The universality of motoring among all classes—those to whom a French car and chauffeur mean nothing and those to whom a hired car for a week means the savings of a year—seems

to infer that the American people have shrugged their shoulders at the trains puffing under their weight of steel bars, copper, shells, and rifles, and said: "Take your hideous freight and be content; as for us, we take the broad highway."

That Touch of Fur.

No matter how sensitive a woman may be about wearing great bands of fur, ermine capes, and foxes strung about the neck on midsummer days, she may throw her sensitiveness to the winds when it comes to motoring.

Here she may glory in all the peltry that she wishes. Her sport suits of Jersey, woolen rather than silk, may be banded with fur from the knees down and the shoulders up, and she may wear fur hats as well, if she wishes.

Her motor coat may be copied after one of the smart new models, which is of olive green velour, with a cape collar, immense cuffs, and a straight panel from neck to hem of black and white fur laid out in broad checks.

France is wearing fur on all her August hats from San Sebastian to Rhone Valley, and America is wear-

ing it on her motor hats throughout every State in the Union. She has unearthed or else bought a topcoat of soft fur which she uses on cold nights, and she has even taken her muff out of camp, sunned it a bit, and included it in her motor wardrobe.

She is ready for whatever comes in the way of weather, for the shops have provided for her usage in case of rain a London coat made of transparent oilskin, in colors plain or iridescent.

This, with a hood to match, can be rolled up in a tiny case and stowed away as easily as a box of biscuits. It is the raincoat de luxe for motoring, and it has solved the problem for the woman who can stand anything but getting wet.

It is so thin, this English coat, that a woman finds it admirable on dust-covered roads. It protects without discomfort.

The Hat Is Important.

The hat's the thing in motoring. "No matter what kind you choose, you wish you had chosen another," is the universal comment.

Curlier of Paris has probably led the world in the comfort and originality of motor hats. This house really invented the shapes that bring comfort in motoring. Years ago, when French women took up the automobile as a means of pleasurable transportation, Carlier immediately saw a strong channel of commerce in the hat designed purely for this pastime, and his foresight has brought money to him and to hundreds of other milliners.

In America there existed for years after the motoring craze began, and still exists, unfortunately, in far too many circles, a hideous conglomeration of clothes which are called motor costumes, and chief among them are an ugly hat, a pair of goggles, and a huge, brown veil.

France would never tolerate ugliness under any condition if it is possible to obliterate it, so the French women instantly observed to the world that it was not necessary to be disgraced because one liked the notion of a motor.

They adopted small hats that remained on the head, and such small hats! They not only were incomparably chic for the motor, but they

flooded the world of fashion for use in all kinds of pursuits.

Today, the better dressed women have determined to look as well in the motor as they do on the street, in the restaurant, and on the piazzas of country clubs. And in consequence of this insistence upon art and comfort combined, there are many excessively good looking small hats that are held under the chin with straps of satin or velvet, so that one need not have the torture of the hatpin pushing against the head when one drives against the wind.

Other Kinds of New Hats.

It is not a far cry from motor fashions to other fashions, and so many of the new hats for Autumn have arrived and been seen on the heads of forehanded women, that a word about them may prove interesting.

An industrial item connected with them, which has a fascinating sound, is the announcement by the United States Fisheries Bureau that the milliners are calling for sea moss to use in trimming hats.

This was hitherto imported from Europe. Those who are not in the secret may be informed that this moss takes upon itself all kinds of shapes and colors while passing through the millinery workrooms.

In one year alone, says the bureau, 300,000 pounds have been gathered, which are valued at \$50,000. It is to Chesapeake Bay that the milliners and the fisheries look for their present production of this peculiar ornamentation.

Second Empire Hats, First Empire Frocks.

Another interesting fact is that Second Empire hats are coming out with First Empire frocks. What's history between milliners and dressmakers? They have no more hesitancy in mingling the eleventh with the twentieth century, the Renaissance with the great war, and 1800 with 1812, than the hostess of a fancy dress ball.

The new Second Empire hats are made after the shape that the Empress Eugénie loved. The milliners often call them shepherdess hats. They are made of a soft quality of velvet, the edge bound with ribbed ribbon.

The French draped hats are here in quantities, especially in a brilliant Vatican purple and a petunia reddish purple, but so far the American women seem to prefer the stiff shapes which have only a bow of ribbon or a buckle for trimming.

At Deauville, although there is no fashion exhibit there but merely a foregathering of fashionable people who go to the shore for comfort during August, I am told that purple hats rule. There is a sad suggestion in the fact that purple is the color of second mourning, but even under this shadow the fashionable folk who have no war to throw them into mourning are taking up purple as the first color.

Whatever fashions there were this

Summer in Europe were gathered at Deauville, as well as at San Sebastian, where the Grand Prix was run on the new racetrack under the influence of the King, his English Queen, and his Spanish suite. On this Spanish race course by the sea the women wore velvet tams, the crowns arranged in any kind of rakish manner, with their smartest afternoon apparel.

In this country we relegated the tam two months ago to the country and seashore, mixing it with sweaters and Jersey sport suits. Possibly, when Autumn comes and we realize how the French have raised it to a high pinnacle, we may go back to a sport hat that we have discarded and give it first place.

We have a trick of doing that, and it isn't only through slavish imitation of France. Second thoughts are often best.

As far as the new fashions are concerned, the French hats have ornaments in all colors, made of feathers. None of this plumage is prohibited in America, for the French have learned that they cannot sell American milliners any ornaments that will keep a hat from this shore, and our bird laws are stringent.

However, we have let up a bit recently, and the new law allows certain birds which have been raised in domesticity, such as pheasants and ducks.

There are several varieties of ducks which produce exquisite plumage, and the French milliners have learned to twist these gayly colored feathers into odd forms and figures and shapes that are quite alluring.

Paris now asks America to allow the guinea hen to be used on hats and to come into this country. Neither the French nor the American milliners can see why this domestic fowl is banned.



VOILE DINNER FROCK.

It is of pale smoke gray, made over a slip of gray satin and is trimmed with bands of sky-blue ribbon.

ODDS AND ENDS OF MID-SUMMER FASHIONS

BARGAINS, bargains everywhere! Such is the outlook in August.

But wait till September. Everything from soup to nuts, from beads for slippers to amber hairpins is going up. Well may we indulge in August bargains, for dark days are coming when we shall have to double our dress allowance or lessen our wardrobe.

Suits are going to be much, much dearer. Skilled labor has soared, for various reasons that would take a college economics professor to explain. Dyes are almost impossible to get, wool is scarce, silk with which to line the suits is fast becoming one of the prohibitive luxuries, and even buttons are hard to find.

Meantime, while materials are becoming dearer, fashions are becoming more material. Fabrics are to be soft and supple, so that many yards may be employed for each garment. Fur bandings are to be wider and trimmings are to be lavish.

The most fashionable jewelry of the moment is the so-called costume jewelry, and while jewelers report a falling off in the demand for high-priced pearls and rubies, emeralds and sapphires, the cheaper stones, like the peridot, aquamarine, and tourmalines, are in the first favor.

Of course, we expected it would be hard to get black and dark colored stockings. We have all heard enough about the dye troubles not to wonder at that, but when we find ourselves unable to buy white stockings we are indeed surprised. But the upset condition in chemicals has caused a shortage of bleaches as well as of dyes, and, added to this an ever-increasing vogue for white stockings, especially for children, and the result is not hard to guess. If you can manage to find any good lilac or silk white stockings, lay hold on them. The situation may be worse before it is better.

But the stocking manufacturers are not the only folk who are having troubles. Dame Fashion suddenly decided that bead slippers became her saintly too and high arched instep,

and, while the slippermaker is scrambling to satisfy her latest whim, the fact develops that beads with which to adorn the slippers are scarce. Why? Simply because beads come from Austria. They seem simple enough, but we Americans have never found out how to make them, at least cheaply enough to make it worth while to compete with Austria. So if millinery wears beaded slippers, the beads will have to be few or she will have to pay more than she expected.

Ball fringe is used as an edging for skirts and tunics, usually in the same color as the material of the frock.

Some of the new coats for motoring are made with several lines of shirring to mark the waist line.

From present indications two kinds of fur will be combined in many of the coats next Winter. So if you have an old fur coat in fair condition or a collar or muff, save it and see what your furrier can do in using the good parts of the old garments for trimming a new fur coat.

Silk jersey banded with fur is still in high favor.

Wouldn't it be strange, if at this late date, women should evolve a really interesting reformed dress? There has been talk of dress reform for women for years and years, but never have any results at all permanent or far-reaching been attained.

Now the talk has come up again, and Portland, Ore., is planning a big meeting to discuss the matter of divided skirts or some similar skirt substitute for women. Certainly women would accept some sort of trouser, bloomer, or divided skirt with a better grace now than they could have accepted it twenty years ago, when Mrs. Bloomer came out of Kansas. Sports have made women less sensitive about skirts, and the custom of riding cross saddle has also had its influence. Many of the Southern hunting clubs won't allow women to use side saddles on their horses—and that is only an instance of the change that has occurred in a comparatively short time. Probably woman's innate love for changing fashion would make her

refuse to accept a bifurcated substitute for the skirt, unless, indeed, it could be ruffled and tucked and shirred and puffed, made of chiffon, velvet, tulle, or lace, trimmed with buttons and flowers and spangles—and then what would be the use of it at all? We like changing fashions, and we shall probably cling to a garment that encourages them.

Wool stockings are not a will-o'-the-wisp any more. The indications point strongly to their use next Winter. Already they are worn on the golf links, often in bright colors. And if skating is as popular next Winter as it was last—there are indications that it will, indeed, be more popular—then it seems quite probable that woolen stockings will be widely worn by skaters. Certainly they would be far more comfortable than were thin silk stockings, which were for the most part worn by skaters last year. Moreover, they would look the part; they would be called on to play, and that is something worth while considering.

Talking of skating, those who know say that fur caps and hats are to be much worn for that sport next Winter.

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One reason that it is difficult to un-

TWO BRAVE WOMEN

Mrs. T. came to us this Summer asking if we would help her "put away" three or four of her children. We found that there was an invalid husband at home and after a hard struggle Mrs. T. had felt that she must part from three or four of her seven children. These children are better at home with their good mother, and we want to keep them there. We must be assured of \$75 right now in order to do this.

The four little C's are just as badly off as if they had no father. We left them and their mother two years ago and no one has heard of him since. Brave Mrs. T. was desperate at first, but new she has taken up the burden of life again and realizes that she must be cheerful for the sake of the four lively youngsters. We must help her bring up the three little boys and their baby sister. We need \$100 to use for this purpose.

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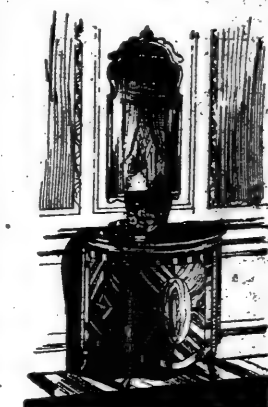
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A PAGE FROM THE PLAYGOER'S PROGRAM

SECOND THOUGHTS
ON FIRST NIGHTSA Little Star-Gazing—The Way of a Play
with a Specialty

WHENEVER the annals of our stage run short of copy, they are more than likely to take a little fling at the star system. From time to time they deplore the artificial creation of stars. Now, this latter protest must be from sheer force of habit, because, while such artificial creation (being impossible) never did matter much, anyway, the attempts at it have been conspicuously infrequent during the last few years. It would be easy to count the stars who have risen at all in the theatrical heavens in the last five seasons, and certainly you could count on the fingers of one hand those that have been successfully established as such in that period. A patient search of the memory fails to yield the names of more than four or five—Laurette Taylor, Doris Keane, Leo Ditrichstein, George Arliss, and—possibly—Ruth Chatterton. John Barrymore is shining as an unstarred star, and so is Emily Stevens. Madge Kennedy and Emma Dunn—to mention only two of several interesting possibilities—may lack only the capital letters to take their places among the real stars of the American stage.

And what is a real star? A real star, as distinguished from a meteor, a comet, a satellite, or an electric light, may be defined as a player who can so dominate and sustain a play as to make even an indifferent manuscript—such as "Grumpy" or "Erstwhile Susan"—rich entertainment for the discriminating, and who also has won such a host of friends among the playgoers of the country that the mere name over the door is a potent attraction. More briefly, a star is a player who can have no understudy.

Now, with such a definition, it is obvious that no player can be transplanted into a star by the mere wave of a wand, nor can the thing be done by electricity. Although Ann Murdock has done some good work here, blazoning her name over the door of the Lyceum scarcely makes her a star. Such a process can only help her in that direction, and then only if she is the direction in which she is destined to advance. To doubt its aid would be to doubt the value of advertising, and that were heresy. Besides, we all remember how Grace George and Eleanor Robson were starred before their due time, but came to earn their honors richly. Doubtless their somewhat premature glorification did help them on their way—but not much.

Nor is Marjorie Rambeau a star in our corner of the world, although there are some of us who think that only the finding of some good rôle in a fine play stands between her and coast-to-coast recognition as one of the best we have. An actress may be a genius, but a good many people must recognize the fact before a name over the theatre door becomes an imperious summons to its box office. Miss Rambeau is known in this neighborhood only to a few, for she has played here less than a half season, all told. Wide recognition is an essential of real stardom, and it comes quickest by means of a play that has pleased

"His Bridal Night."

THOSE who were entrusted with the task of preparing a play to exhibit the peculiar and somewhat limited talents of the Sisters Dolly must have had a rather amusing time of it. Obviously it was in the specifications that there should be two heroines looking exactly alike, neither favored nor emphasized above the other and each allowed to appear in a rapid assortment of dainty gowns. Neither should be expected to act much or well, and, whatever might befall the

many. Grace George has advanced to her high position in the American theatre without the aid of a "Little Minister" or a "Peg-o'-My-Heart," but she is an exception. Miss Rambeau is now in "Cheating Cheaters," a highly entertaining new piece, but most of us have the feeling that she is made for loftier endeavors. She has been finer far than any of the material she has touched in New York. Suppose you had never seen Ethel Barrymore in anything save "Our Mrs. McChesney," which, as some one observed, was a little like meeting her at dinner in a sailor's boarding house.

So Marjorie Rambeau is a star-to-be. It has long been the fashion to deprecate the star system, and even our managers have been discouraging it. In a spirit of thrift, it is not easy, you see, to send out ten duplicate companies of a New York success if, in its first year, it has become closely identified with a single name. But the provinces have been resisting and making this process less thrifty than it used to be. For the hinterland playgoer a star is at least one factor in an approaching entertainment to which he can pin his faith. When merely "The Girl in the Gown" comes to his town, he has his doubts and stays away. If Maude Adams is announced, he at least knows he will not see Bertha Bounie. Otherwise it is hard for him to tell.

Chicago, for instance, must be a little puzzled just now by having "Fair and Warmer" presented there "with the New York cast" when an examination of the New York amusement lists shows that a fairly important member of that cast—Madge Kennedy—is still with the play at the Harris. And how are Bostonians, often cruelly treated, to be convinced now that "Very Good Eddie" they have—so they certainly have most of the principal players who were with that entertainment earlier in its career on Broadway? A widespread distrust of the starless play doubtless explains why it has been those Belasco productions in which Mr. Warfield and Miss Starr appeared that have prospered on the road. Really, it should begin to dawn on complacent Broadway that the surprising success in the provinces of such stuff as "The Road to Happiness," "A Perfect Lady," and "A Mix-Up" may be largely attributable to a comparative confidence in William Hodge, Rose Stahl, and Marie Dressler. It may not be because Boston and Chicago have low tastes, but because they have grave doubts.



Forrest Wiant and Ruth Chester in "Turn to the Right," the New Play Which Has Scored So Emphatically at the Gaiety.



Frances White, the Newcomer Who Has Made Such a Hit in the Follies

TYPES

THEY've got me down for a hick, bo, Sam Harris says I'm the best boob in the biz. And that no manager will cast me for anything else. Curses on my hit in "Way Down East." That handcuffs me forever to yokels. And me a better character actor than Corse Payton! That's how it is, they're stuck on types. And the wise guy who plays anything isn't given a look-in. Listen to me, young feller, and don't ever let 'em tab you for keeps as a type. It's curtains for a career as sure as you're born. Why, there's actors sentenced to comedy dog parts. To Chinks, to Wops, to Frenchmen and fluffs. There ain't no release for them. The producers and managers can see only one angle. And you maybe a Mansfield or Sothorn. It's outrageous, that's what it is, that make-up and character acting should be thrown in the discard. You can sit in an agent's office for months before a part comes along that you fit without fixin'. This natural stuff puts the kibosh on art. And a stock training ain't what it used to be. Say, if ever I rise to be hind legs of a camel Or a bloodhound chasing Eliza, I'll kick or I'll bite The type-choosing manager.

WALTER J. KINGSLEY.

REGINALD BARLOW, ROOKIE

A T-EN-TION, Company! This is First Lieutenant Reginald Barlow, Company B. Seventh Regiment of Rookies, Plattsburg Campment. Lieutenant Barlow was laid away his suit of gray (with dust) khaki to wear a suit of Actors' Union blue, and already he has written a playlet, called "After Seven Years," which will be produced this week at the New Brighton Theatre.



Mr. Barlow was one of a number of actors who spent July at Plattsburg. He was in Canada when the Boer war broke out, and although he was an American, he joined a Canadian contingent and went to South Africa on the prospect of a lark. He got it, and, incidentally, a knowledge of soldiering that made him a valuable member of the Summer training camp and soon earned him a commission. For there is a heap of knowledge not to be found in tactical books that only experience can teach a man, and a lot of this Barlow knew. So it was Barlow this and Barlow that, Barlow here and Barlow there, till all the camp knew Barlow, and whenever there was a practical problem to be solved he was called upon. Once when the laundry problem flapped and struck Company B in the face it was Lieutenant Barlow who solved it. He went to town and brought back numerous scrubbing boards and pans, and Company B's clean clothes problem was solved. Then there was difficulty in keeping water cool enough to drink after drills and hikes, and along came Lieutenant Barlow with the double boiler. He got a whiskey barrel, buried it in the ground with a packing of straw, contracted for chunks of ice to be delivered at regular intervals through the day, and the thirst of Company B was quenched. The fact that

WHAT NEWS
ON THE RIALTO?

THESE are interesting nights on the Rialto. Players are hurrying back from their holidays to assume rôles, that are realities or are still in the realm of things hoped for, and consequently every first performance looks like a professional one, so thickly are the audiences packed with Thespians. Actors, more than any other class, not excepting newspaper men, love to talk shop, and the entr'actes and sidewalks are filled with talk of great properties and fat rôles.

Wherever one looks are actors and actresses one has often applauded on the other side of the footlights—George Arliss, monochrome in eye and conspicuous by his gentle modesty; Otis Skinner, still wearing his holiday flannels and sunburn; Willard Mack, surveying patronizingly from a box the audience laughing at the humor of speeches made metrelaying by their rendition by Blanche Ring; Joe Weber tucked away in the corner of another box, and in the stalls Louis Mann and Sam Bernard neutralizing the monochrome atmosphere with their Teutonic accents; Oscar Hammerstein, greatest actor of them all, whose hat is still in the ring although he limps with the foot that made him cease for the moment building opera houses; Valdemar Buratt covered with pearls of great price; Walko Edinger, breaking the monotony of his endless engagement in "The Boomerang" with a brief vacation and spending it as did the bus driver who rode on the box on

THE FIRST-NIGHT CALENDAR.

"THE HAPPY ENDING"—A fantasy by the Macphersons, tomorrow night at the Shubert.
"SOMEBODY'S LUGGAGE"—A comedy by Mark Swan, based on a novel of that title by J. F. Randall, Tuesday night at the Forty-eighth Street Theatre.

AFTER last week's orgy of new plays there will be a comparatively dull this week. Two new productions are scheduled, both for the first half of the week.

The first offering will be a fantasy, entitled "The Happy Ending," which will be presented tomorrow night in the Shubert Theatre under the patronage of Arthur Hopkins. Mr. Hopkins, who is one of the younger school of producers, has a penchant for the fanciful and the novel. It was Mr. Hopkins who produced Eleanor Gates' "The Poor Little Rich Girl," and it was he who recognized the value inherent in the novel construction of Elmer Reizenstein's "On Trial."

Last season Mr. Hopkins produced a dramatization of Maxwell's novel, "The Devil's Garden," and for it he commissioned Robert Edmond Jones to design the settings. Mr. Jones will be recalled as the young American artist whose decorations for Granville Barker's production of "The Man Who Married a Dumb Wife" at Wallack's two years ago immediately placed him in the front rank of stage decorators. Mr. Jones was assigned the task of designing the background for this comedy of the "Here and Hereafter," as it is described by its authors, Miss La Macpherson and Jean Macpherson.

Jean Macpherson is a Lieutenant in the Royal Field Artillery and is, no doubt, assisting in the "big push." The play was written by him and his sister more than a year ago in England. In their play this life and the one beyond intermingled and met on most friendly terms. The hereafter they picture is not the old theological one, but a more modern conception albed by the psychology of the day.

Mr. Ziegfeld's "Follies" will play the longest Manhattan engagement in their ten years of life this season. They will conclude their stay at the New Amsterdam Sept. 16, which will be the end of their fourteenth week. The season thus far has been the most lucrative the revue has yet enjoyed, which is to say that there are standees at nearly every night performance, and that the only time there are ever vacant seats is at matinees and sometimes in gallery and balcony at nights.

The Washington Square Players will begin their third season in the Comedy, their new home, a week from August 1st day night. Instead of presenting new playlets they have decided to revive four of their Broadway repertoire, thus giving their new public an opportunity of seeing some of their earlier work before essaying anything new. The bill will comprise "The Miracle," "The Miracle of St. Anthony," "The Bear," "Schmitzer's," "Literature," and "Edward Goodman's 'Eugenically Speaking.'" A number of new players will make their appearance with the organization in this program.

When the Knickerbocker is reopened in October a new theatre will be added to Manhattan's constantly expanding list of handsome playhouses. Workmen are busy remodeling the interior, and when they have finished nothing of the old Knickerbocker will remain to remind its audiences of the scenes of many gala first nights.

Only the old walls have been left standing. A cantilever balcony will replace the one supported by iron posts, one of which was always sure to obstruct the lower end of the scene, where boxes and stalls will be different, the decorations, of course, will all be new, and even new plumbing will be installed. The stage will be made modern in every particular.

The Knickerbocker has always been a prosperous theatre, largely because of its place in Broadway's incandescent sun, and, more than that, New York theatres, it has built up a clientele.

Otis Skinner considers his rôle in "Mister Antonio," the new drama written for him by Booth Tarkington, in which he is now rehearsing, one of the most promising in his career. It is that of a swarthy, organ-grinder son of Italy, who pursues the Buffalo nickel and Lincoln penny through these United States in a donkey cart. The play opens at the lower end of the scene, where lives Mister Antonio. One of those coincidences that happen in real life as well as on the stage, if not as often, gives the organ grinder a chance of helping the Mayor of a small Western town who has lost his money and come to grief in the metropolis. The fact that once in his peregrinations the same Mayor had been less hospitable to the wandering one and had forbidden him to play in his balliwick made his act as the heaping of coals of fire.

The character is in the romantic vein in which Mr. Skinner has so often been seen. One can visualize the picturesque make-up Mr. Skinner will give the character and can hear the rich voice of Skinner accenting the cajoleries of the organ grinder.

A week from tomorrow night one of Broadway's most sacred traditions will be broken. On that night "Sybil" will be presented in the Empire Theatre, which will be the first time a musical play has ever been given in that sacred shrine of Frohman's stage. In more than twenty years the Empire's walls have never been profaned by the adonoidal voices of a chorus. So few American theatres have any traditions that it seems a pity the playhouse richest in traditions should violate one its founder nourished so carefully.

When Alice Duer Miller's charming little story, "Come Out of the Kitchen," was first published there was a scramble for the dramatic rights. Henry Miller was the successful bidder and he immediately commissioned A. E. Thomas, who wrote "The Rainbow" for him several years ago, to dramatize the story.

Klaw & Erlanger received word last week from San Francisco, where Mr. Miller is presenting a repertoire of plays in the Columbia Theatre with a company he took to California some weeks ago, that the Miller-Thomas comedy scored a big hit when it was produced last Monday night, and that the theatre had been sold out at every performance since. The play will be presented here this season with Ruth Chatterton in the rôle of the little Southern girl, who did not come out of the kitchen when the piddlingest was rented to a wealthy Northern family, luckily for herself and the story.

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Play	Playhouse	Premiere
The Boomerang	Belasco	Aug. 10, 1915
Fair and Warmer	Harris	Nov. 8
Very Good Eddie	Casino	Dec. 24
Civilization (film)	Criterion	June 2, 1916
Ziegfeld Follies	New Amsterdam	June 12
The Passing Show	Winter Garden	June 22
Coat-Tails	Cort	July 31
Seven Chances	Cohan	Aug. 8
Cheating Cheaters	Eltinge	Aug. 9
The Silent Witness	Longacre	Aug. 10
Katinka	Lyric	Aug. 14
Please Help Emily	Lyceum	Aug. 14
Broadway and Buttermilk	Maxine Elliott	Aug. 15
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CAN SCHOOLS GIVE PROPER MILITARY TRAINING?

THE TIMES presents herewith the third weekly installment of communications from the heads of secondary schools expressing their opinions of the value of preparedness instruction in the military sense, in schools of this class.

The series will be temporarily interrupted next Sunday to give place to an article by the Rev. Joseph A. Mulry, S. J., President of Fordham University, Fordham, New York City, on the functions of the Catholic schools and their place in the general educational systems of the United States.

The series of communications dealing with preparedness instruction will be resumed on the first Sunday in September, and will be continued on succeeding Sundays throughout the month.

Winter or Summer Drill.
To the Editor of The New York Times:
If every boy must have military training clearly every school must provide military instruction. Until such a sweeping plan be adopted we must test various and opposite methods of increasing the "military obligation of citizenship." "Introduce military drill as part of the curriculum of all sorts of schools," says the snap-judgment reformer. And not a few agree. Put it into every school everywhere. But is there not a better way?

To succeed in secondary schools military training must have a scope and a setting which few institutions can provide. Time can be found—there is no denying that. The question still remains: Can an ordinary school produce interest in military affairs without a military experience and a soldierly atmosphere?

Those who have watched the experiment at Fort Terry, Plum Island, where 1,200 boys from many schools have for the last five weeks received real military training, will say that the question whether such an experience will not win better results than can drill in a scholastic course. To be sure, such Summer military camps will reach only volunteers, whereas drill in schools can catch every boy. The Summer training, however, is at a real army post; the Winter drill may be an unreal bit of drudgery.

At Fort Terry these 1,200 volunteer

Rector of St. Paul's Says That Few Institutions Can Provide the Necessary Setting—Other Headmasters Point Out Advantages to Students Which Preparedness Instruction Will Bring About.

schoolboys got a valid military education. A boarding school, for example, equipped for quite different ends than a fortification, cannot provide this. Mortars, disappearing guns, Colonels, sentries, and tents—these are not found in academic shades! Is it not true that more sense of the "military obligation" will fructify in the rising generation through those who volunteer in Summer army encampments than could be engendered by adding a retired officer and some old rifles to our schools as they now exist?

The spirit of patriotic obligation should be more amply urged than ever before in our schools; but the experience of military service can be adequately taught only where the routine and background are wholly military.

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Concord, N. H.

A Nation of Good Physiques.
To the Editor of The New York Times:
I am a staunch believer in the value and practicability of preparedness instruction in our secondary schools. Of the many citable reasons supporting the conviction I adduce a half dozen.

In the second place, this instruction will mean better health, physical and moral, for the schools. The dissipated boy will become more virile and the delicate, anaemic youth more robust. The nonathletic fellow, who for lack of special strength or skill seldom takes other exercise than that of walking, will get in the daily drill a form of recreation having unquestioned value. As manners tend to pass over into the realm of morals, this toning up of the body will inevitably superinduce a finer moral fibre, a desideratum of secondary school life in America devoutly coveted by teachers.

In the second place, this instruction will mean ultimately a nation of good physiques, not an untrained horde of

puny, frail ultra-pacifists minimizing the body and glorifying excessively the soul. I hold with Browning that soul helps body not more than body helps soul. Our national aspirations are doomed if ever a semi-academic ideal of life with its contempt of the body and its spurning of physical strength becomes dominant.

In the third place, preparedness instruction in our secondary schools is a guarantee of future stability, of a more responsible and responsive citizenship. By reason of the fact that war may come common sense dictates such preparedness instruction as will give us in time of need a body of well-trained citizen soldiers. The robber seldom comes when aware that his coming is expected. The wolf always prowls when and where he apprehends no opposition. Surely no nation will dare attack us without gross provocation from which only may the Lord protect us—so long as we can mobilize with readiness an army of a million or more young men trained to bear arms.

First—There is ample time for preparedness instruction in our secondary schools without sacrificing legitimate school interests. An hour a day devoted to this end would, in the course of four years, give our nation an immense body of men from which to draw recruits in case of a call to arms. True, these recruits would not be finished soldiers, but to transform such potential energy as they would bring into real fighting strength would be an easy task for our officers. Among what other group of men, young or mature, is the question of time for preparedness instruction so readily answered?

Second—The expense of such instruction is not prohibitive. The individual need be asked to contribute nothing but his uniform, and, as this can be worn daily, the annual outlay for clothing will not be increased. To schools where no army officer is detailed the community, in most cases,

can furnish some man capable of giving the desired instruction, often without expense. So far as equipment is concerned, the War Department may be held responsible.

Third—The secondary school boy will take eagerly to preparedness instruction. For him it will be no dull classroom grind, but something of profound interest. Plastic and responsive by nature, he will revel in the regular military drill; glory in target practice; enjoy hilariously the hikes and Summer encampments. Where instruction is assimilated unforced, where the pedagogic "doctrine of interest" can be realized to the full, where psychology with magisterial authority in delight must acquiesce, surely the best and most economic results are forthcoming.

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Fits Boys to be Leaders.
To the Editor of The New York Times:
So long as human nature remains what it has been, is, and doubtless, always will be, there is sure to arise human passions, which, when injected into governmental affairs, may eventuate in war. The question of preparedness, therefore, is a constant one, which recent events have served merely to emphasize. For this reason there can be, it seems to me, no question as to the value of the right sort of preparation—not for war, but against it. That being the case, it follows that a system of preparedness which includes the secondary schools will be of great value.

In the first place, setting-up exercises, marching drill, the manual of arms and other military movements are nearly all given in some form by every competent instructor in gymnastics. In the second place, habits of obedience, of deference, of attention to detail, of care of the health are valuable ones to cultivate in every boy. In the third place, boys

at the secondary school age are most susceptible to the benefits to be derived from military training and most apt in appropriating them.

Whatever is true of boys in general in secondary schools is peculiarly true of those who are in boarding, or preparatory, schools. Here the boys spend together not only the hours of study and recitation, but all their time, twenty-four hours in the day, seven days of the week. Military training can, therefore, be made effective, not only on the parade ground, but in every phase of student life.

This advantage is intensified when we consider that the boys of any one of our best preparatory schools represent many parts of the country, so that any benefits which may come to them will be widely distributed geographically. Since boys from our best preparatory schools naturally become leaders in the business and professional world, their knowledge of military matters would at once fit them to become effective as drillmasters and officers in case of national necessity.

It should be added that such proper attention to military preparedness does not by any means imply that all of our schools should become military schools. All the instruction needed to fit a boy to take his place efficiently as a member of the "Continental Army" can be given him in any good school without material interference with the time needed for study or for play, and without the expensive trappings insisted upon in most military schools.

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Dianorous to Postpone It.
To the Editor of The New York Times:
The natural place for preparedness instruction is in the secondary schools. Here are gathered together thousands of youths, five days a week, several

hours a day, for a term of years, for the purpose of learning something. At this time of life they learn most readily and retain most easily. Here is the obvious and practical opportunity to add preparedness instruction to the existing curriculum progressively, for a period of from four to six years. To postpone this until manhood days, or until necessity compels, is to invite disturbance, dislocation of normal activities, and confusion. Experience shows that the average boy enjoys this study. Probably boys in general enjoy it more than any other one subject. Given the youths when it is their only business to learn, and given the desire to learn, it should be the part of practical wisdom to devise a plan to use this opportunity.

To be of value preparedness instruction must take its place in school hours with other school subjects. If it is given as an extra, then boys soon look upon it as an extra, and in their eyes it loses its dignity and importance. On the other hand, it must not be overemphasized so that it obtrudes itself all the time and dominates the whole school. It is not militarism that we wish, but preparedness. There are other schools for specialists, such as West Point. Again, such instruction demands a supply of trained officers who are experts and skilled in handling boys. No others need be used, unless we want the tin soldier farce as a result. Preparedness instruction is a highly specialized science, and it must be in charge of men who know that, in all probability, men trained by the United States Government.

If for any reason the country should come under the yoke of a foreign power and bloodshed and death would be at hand a huge number of young men who have had from four to six years of thorough training in preparedness. It would mean a saving of time, money, and precious life, with the surer hope of success, all accomplished with little expense, at the natural time, without jingoism, the rattle of sabres and the noise of guns. The necessary preparedness would be a constantly increasing force, with all the objectionable features eliminated. No plan of preparedness instruction can this use of the opportunity created by the secondary schools could help the country more.

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NOVEL CASES IN THE COURTS

In State versus Jamison, 166 S. W. 972, decided by Missouri Supreme Court, the facts show a prosecution for larceny in obtaining by false pretenses money from another by representing to him that he could procure title to land under Federal homestead laws and not be required to live on the land, mere filing being sufficient and the proof of residence to be taken care of by others.

Apart from the fact, that such a scheme ought to constitute conspiracy under Federal statute, the court considers the question whether such a pretense amounts to anything as a false pretense. It said:

We are impelled to hold that no felony can be committed in this State by falsely or mistakenly representing the domestic law to be what it is not. It does not greatly matter in so holding whether this view is reached on the theory of that fictional presumption for procedural convenience that ignorance of the law excuses no one and that therefore all men are presumed to know the law, or whether it is based upon the view that no criminal false pretense may be bottomed upon a misrepresentation wherein the ascertainment of the truth or falsity of the fact asserted is as open to him to whom the representation is made as it is to him who makes it.

The court goes on to say:

This conclusion is in line with the rule in other jurisdictions, even in civil cases, wherein the rule against false pretenses of the sort here under discussion ought to be more strictly construed against the tortfeasor than in a criminal case. Nevertheless, the rule is that in a civil case a man will not be heard to contend that he was misled by a false representation of the domestic law of a given state or matter. Since it is among the canons of the criminal law that a rule of law out of tenderness and regard for life and liberty is to be construed more strictly in a criminal case than in a civil one, we are not hesitating in holding that there can be no conviction for falsely representing the domestic law to be that which it is not.

Commenting on this ruling The Central Law Journal says:

We fail to gather anything from this

reasoning but a total misapplication of fundamental principles. A shorter way of disposing of the case would be to regard promisor and promisee as engaged in a fraud in violation of Federal law—the law of the State of Missouri. The law of the State of Missouri is not required to live on the land, mere filing being sufficient and the proof of residence to be taken care of by others.

"Extreme cruelty" is not confined to physical violence, and any such continued course of conduct as, without fault of the wife, results in making the marriage unbearable and in driving her from her husband's home, is extreme cruelty.—McCue v. McCue, Mich., 137 N. W. 339.

Where chauffeur used employer's automobile to visit his wife, held, that incidental purpose to test the car did not impose liability on his employer, though accident occurred as he was returning to the garage.—Schoenherr v. Hartford, N. Y., Sup., 138 N. Y. Sup. 388.

An action for divorce or annulment may be maintained against an insane defendant where the acts constituting the grounds were committed by defendant prior to his becoming insane.—Lewis v. Lewis, Okla., 166 Pac. 628.

A ruling that a confession obtained from a prisoner by "awakening" is not admissible in evidence is made by the Missouri Supreme Court in State vs. Powell, 166 Southwestern Reporter, 851.

While confessedly it is a very human failing, superinduced doubtless by constant dealings with the hardened criminal classes, which induces police officers and detectives to follow the popular attitude and presume the guilt of the accused person, rather than his innocence, which latter presumption the law enjoins upon the courts, nevertheless this popular presumption of guilt and the court-ruled and legal presumption of innocence cause trouble and misunderstanding in the administration of justice when they clash. This case proves the rule; for, while defendant may be guilty, there is

such grave doubt of it, and the fact of guilt rests upon so thin a point as to give us pause in so ruling, out of hand. His confession absent, he is, upon the facts shown, as innocent as the unborn babe.

Contractually, a wrong ruling as to a guilty person does not harm society, and but aids in doing justice upon him who deserves punishment; but such a ruling tends to be a precedent for the hurt and harm of the innocent, and so our duty is to write the law by which both the guilty and the innocent may be safely tried. A rule of law fit only to try the guilty is no better than Lynch law. It results that for the error noted this case must be reversed and remanded for a new trial.

Condemnation of Western divorces obtained by residents of Eastern States is set forth in the opinion of the New Jersey Court of Chancery in Lister vs. Lister in which, the Court said:

It has become a common practice in the Eastern States, among incompatible spouses, to arrange for a divorce without scandal, taking advantage of the laws of some of the Western States, which seem to foster the divorce industry for the benefit of their legal practitioners. The scheme is a very simple one. One spouse goes to a Western State, Nevada, for instance, stays six months at a hotel, perhaps making frequent visits back to the East, and then institutes a suit for divorce in Nevada. The other spouse, the defendant, making no pretense of changing his or her domicile from the Eastern State, retains a local lawyer, who enters an appearance and files an answer, and thus makes a show of defense. The trial is a sham. The divorce is granted. The plaintiff spouse returns immediately to his or her Eastern domicile, and both spouses, the mock combatants, assume that under the full faith and credit of their respective states as husband and wife in their Eastern domicile have been abolished. In my judgment the State of New Jersey will not recognize such a proceeding as having any validity in her territory where one of her residents, subject to her power and governed by her laws, is one of the spouses in the affair.

The ingredients of sausage were subjected to judicial inspection in State vs. Dehn, 153 Northwestern Reporter 744, in which Justice Moore of the Supreme Court of Michigan held that while it is proper to feed grain and cereals to hogs, the use of such material as a weight is highly improper to feed them to sausage for the same purpose. The court in affirming a conviction of selling adulterated food said:

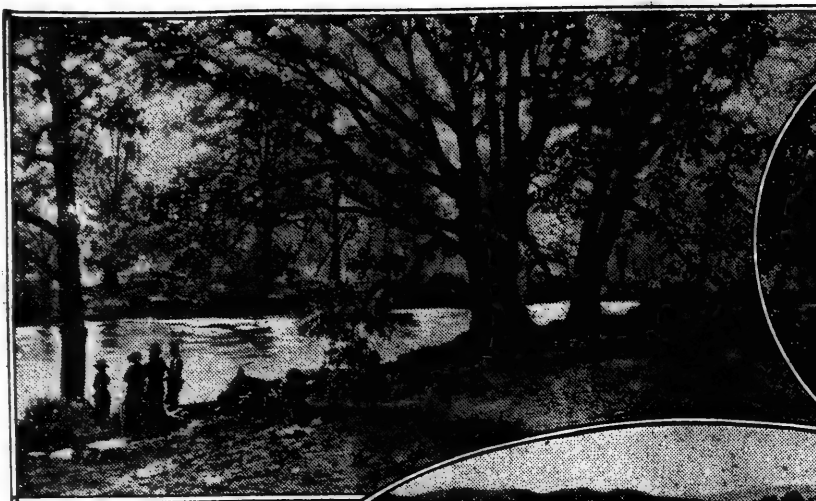
The record discloses that the sausage was sold in this instance for 15 cents a pound, and that both the meat and the fat were of a grade of 3/4 of a cent a pound, and that a pound of cereal usually absorbed from 1-1/2 to 2-1/2 pounds of water. It is evident that if the respondent may legally use 6 per cent of cereal, he may use 10 or 20 per cent, or any proportion which, in his judgment, can be mixed with the other ingredients without destroying the demand for his product. It is not claimed by the people that the cereal added to the meat was of a grade of 3/4 of a cent a pound, but that it does lower the value of the sausage, and that to avoid such a result the State has in the exercise of police power right to fix food standards, and that in the passage of the pure food law it is well within its rights.

Where a young child, accompanied by its parents, was killed in a passenger elevator it was not negligence that both parents did not guard it.—Howard v. Scarritt Estate Co., Mo., 184 S. W. 1144.

In a recent English decision the court passed on the following facts:

When a passenger in a public motor omnibus was injured by the skidding of the vehicle against an electric light standard, and there was no claim of negligence on the part of the driver, it was held that the accident was due to any defect or insufficiency in the standard, and that the claim being that the omnibus company was negligent in sending out a vehicle likely to skid, and that the mere fact of the accident being due to the skidding of the vehicle, it was held that the accident was due to any defect or insufficiency in the standard, and that the claim being that the omnibus company was negligent in sending out a vehicle likely to skid, and that the mere fact of the accident being due to the skidding of the vehicle, it was held that the accident was due to any defect or insufficiency in the standard, and that the claim being that the omnibus company was negligent in sending out a vehicle likely to skid, and that the mere fact of the accident being due to the skidding of the 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THE ODYSSEY OF A CANOE



The First Carry to the Canal on the bank of the Passaic River

A Day's Journey Into the Wilderness of New Jersey But a Few Short Miles from the Metropolis.

By Albert Handy.

THE day was Sunday, the hour was 9 in the morning, the place was Singac, a small hamlet on the Passaic River to the southwest of Paterson. The canoe had been christened "Some Little Girl," and the canoe occupies the most important place—almost—in this narrative; incidentally, there was a live flesh-and-blood girl, too.

We had risen with the milkman and the early worm that we might take an 8 o'clock train—8 o'clock from Jersey City, be it understood, the passenger agent of the Erie having seen fit in his wisdom to omit Singac as a point of call for the 9:15. It was one of those occasional days, however, which may bequeath to midsummer, when the world is very fair and optimism pervades the earth. So, being in an optimistic frame of mind, we found good even in this early departure, as we arrived before the Sunday excursionists from Paterson.

The little girl—not the canoe, of course—is staying in town this Summer. One evening I found her poring over a magazine, but it wasn't a story she was reading. It was an advertisement, it was a call to the Maine woods inserted by some enterprising railway man.

"Wilderness canoe trips," I read looking over her shoulder, "the finest vacations for city-dwelling people." That advertising man was a genius; I know, for I saw the wistful look in her eyes. He had made us both hear the echoes of the call of the wild.

For a moment I was thoughtful, then I said: "Come, we will go on a wilderness canoe trip."

"Shall we start now?" she queried mockingly.

"I mean it," I replied. Perhaps my tone of voice carried conviction.

"Don't be foolish," she said. "Of course, I couldn't go without a chaperon; and, anyway, you can't get away from business."

"We shall go on Sunday, and be back on Sunday evening," I replied.

"You can't do it," she replied, in a tone of finality; "there is no wilderness near New York; there's nothing but rows and rows of stone and brick houses, and miles and miles of stone and asphalt paving, and the parks full of horrid people, and Long Beach full of horrid people, too."

"Wait," I said, "and see."

Now you have the genesis of this Odyssey.

Singac does not possess a railway station. You alight from the train—when you are fortunate enough to find a train that stops on the main street; just beyond the street is the river, and across the river is the boat-house. We did not select the canoe because we liked her name, but because we liked her lines. She seemed only recently to have fallen from a higher estate. She had once, we imagined, been the treasured possession of some proud owner, and we wondered vaguely why he had allowed her to descend to the level of a livery canoe. She was light and graceful, an aristocrat among canoes, and she was ours for the present—ours to bear us away from the land of every day to the hoped-for wilderness.

We launched. The little girl allowed her eyes to wander from the steel bridge over which we had just crossed the river to the steel railway bridge below, and then to the row of shanties on the opposite bank, bathhouses boasting no aristocratic canoes, bathing houses, and places where one might purchase soft drinks and gasoline. She looked at me reproachfully.

"But where's the wilderness?" she inquired.

"Wait!" I said, as we dropped down stream.

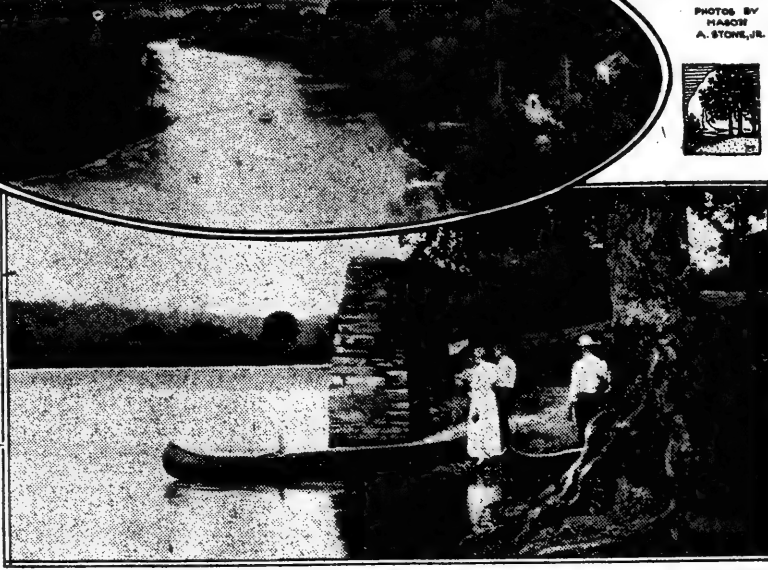
Soon the bridges and the shanties passed from view; in midstream was a wooded island, which concealed the bank where "civilization" obtruded itself unpleasantly; through the north channel we drifted. On either side were the overhanging trees, and overhead was the blue sky and to the southeast was the morning sun.

We had entered the gateway to the wilderness. I heard a little sigh of satisfaction. It meant, "This is better." But there was no word spoken.

Three-quarters of a mile beyond Singac the island came to an end; just

Looking Down the Passaic River—Second Mountain View—Distance

The Last Carry—Falls on the Passaic River—Two Miles Below the Lake



below was a factory at Little Falls, also the dam and the waterfall which gives the town its name. I brought the canoe sharply around and ran ashore, on the north bank.

"This is the first carry," I remarked in explanation. "We cross over here into the Morris Canal."

I wanted to distract her attention from the factory on the south shore. She didn't say anything, but at the sound of the word "canal" there was a tossing of the head—skepticism had been registered. Another canoeist, the only man in sight, helped to carry our canoe over the 150 feet of rough woodland in return for a like courtesy on my part. Sometimes it is helpful to meet people even when one goes in quest of the wilderness.

I didn't blame the girl for being skeptical. Somehow, a canal does not seem a promising byway over which to travel to the wilderness. But many decades have passed since the fleets of commerce floated upon the surface of this particular canal, and for years it has borne no more valuable cargo than the equipment of canoeists voyaging, like ourselves, to the wilderness, while the towpath has been long since overgrown with grass.

Once within the last couple of years the oldest inhabitant was awakened from his almost perpetual nap by the sound of a great noise. He hobbled out on his porch and saw canal boats drawn up and down the stream by horses on the towpath, and signs of activity such as had not existed since the Morris & Essex Railroad sent all its freight into New York from Philadelphia through this waterway.

He rubbed his eyes; the surprise of Rip Van Winkle was as nothing compared with his surprise. One might sleep fifty years, but how could one go back fifty years? Then the camera of the moving picture man began to click, and another romance of the eighteenth century was transferred to the film.

And the next day the horses had gone, and the canal boats had gone, and the actors had gone, and the director had gone, and there remained only the quiet canal and the old man babbling tales of the old time to the great-grandchildren, gathered around his knees.

"It's early," I remarked. "We'll have time to look at the falls."

We headed south, and paddled out on the viaduct on which the canal crosses the valley of the Passaic. Midway we stopped to watch the sheets of water coming over the dam and dashing themselves into the pool below. For a few moments our paddles remained motionless; then we turned and proceeded up the canal. At first we encountered an occasional house; then we passed a grove of trees, then an iron bridge, then some more trees and some ploughed fields, from which a scarecrow looked solemnly down upon us.

A little turn to the west, and suddenly the girl exclaimed. I followed her gaze. Before us was a narrow waterway overhung on each side with leafy trees, with a narrow strip of blue sky between, and far beyond rose the mountains. She turned to speak, and behind us she perceived another mountain.

"Oh," she whispered softly, "I begin to see."

"They are not mountains, they are only hills," I remarked. "Not one of them is a thousand feet above sea level. But the people call them mountains, and they are not tagged with their height as they are on the Geological Survey maps, and they serve pretty well for mountains in the nearer wilderness. Those behind us are called the Watchung Mountains and over to the right is the Packanack range, and those are as good Indian names as Ne-ha-sa-ne and Katahdin."

"Yes," she said, "and don't you remember that Flona Macleod wrote somewhere that it is what we bring to the enchantment that matters more than what the enchantment may disclose?"

You see the spell of the wilderness was upon her, too.

Three and a half miles paddling brought us to Mountain View, another small village. Here the canal widens out into a sort of bay in front of a country hotel, doubtless to afford a harbor for those canoeists who have a tender regard for their appetites.

Here, too, we reached a parting of the ways. From the north comes the feeder, leading down from Pompton Lake, at the edge of the Ramapo; to the west the canal winds on through the hills until it arrives at the Delaware River. The feeder runs by a wood-yard and other evidences of commercialism, but the little girl had ceased to doubt. "Let's go up the feeder," she said.

We carried again, over the tracks of the Lackawanna, and hastened our paddling for the next mile or two, beside a dusty road largely given over to motorists, past uninteresting fields and under prosaic bridges; until the village of Wayne had been left behind.

Then we plunged into the forest once more. There were a few camps on the east bank, and now and then another canoe floated past us, but these were unobtrusive and harmonized with the landscape.

Then a long stretch where we saw neither canoe nor camp; nothing but the water and the trees and little flecks of blue sky and sunlight. From the bushes to our left came a winged flash of red. We tried to follow it with our eyes, but it was gone. It may have been a scarlet tanager. When the girl asked questions I said that I thought that it was.

The sun was high in the heavens, which indicated that it was lunch time.

"Up at Pompton Lake," I remarked casually, "is an oasis in a desert of blue law, a road house owned by a man who is a Christian. He keeps his side door open on the Sabbath Day, and feeds the hungry, which is legal according to the statute, and giveth drink to them that are athirst—all for a consideration, of course. Shall we cook our lunch here or wait until we get to the lake?"

"When we are camping in the Adirondacks we don't go to a hotel when we are hungry," the girl retorted scornfully. "We'll land right here and start our fire."

Our camping place was well chosen. North and east and west were the purple mountains, and between lay the woods and at our feet was the stream, and there were no man-made noises and no signs of man-made handiwork except such as we were guilty of having brought with us.

Camping, in our case, consisted of building a fireplace, lighting a fire, and making two seats of boughs upon which to recline. Of course, it rarely happens in the nearer wilderness that you can have your fish fresh from the water, wrapped in leaves and baked in clay, the way the guides do it, but at least lunch was not the ordinary picnic repast of cakes, olives and sandwiches. And even without the fish it was a fairly satisfactory camp meal.

When lunch was over we burned the debris, and lounged around watching the lengthening shadows.

Finally I glanced at the sun. "It's time to go, it's almost four," I muttered apologetically.

"I hate to leave, it's lovely here," the girl responded.

Nevertheless we went. Another quarter of a mile brought us to a dam and lock. The pool just below the dam was found to be a popular bathing place, but popular bathing resorts did not interest us, and we carried over

into the Pompton River on the last stage of our journey to the lake. The canal and the feeder had been left behind, the river was wider and swifter, with a current increasing in force with every quarter of a mile until on the last lap we were carried back one foot for every three which we advanced. We didn't pay much attention to the scenery; we were too busy paddling. At last we reached the end of our course, pulled the canoe ashore, and left it to its fate, while we clambered up the bank, crossed the road and went up the hill to the lake.

Answering the girl's unspoken question I said: "It's three miles to the head of the lake where the Ramapo River comes down from the hills to the north and empties, but I promised to take you home tonight and we can't make it."

"It looks wonderful up beyond the hills," she said, "but I suppose we haven't time."

"Beyond the Alps lies Italy," she corrected.

We returned to the canoe and began our homeward voyage. The canoe Mardel hailed us. "How far," queried the Captain in the stern, "is Pompton Lake?"

"That depends; going up the stream it's all of two miles from here, but coming down it's less than half a mile."

He looked puzzled; then the crew in the bow said something, and a great light dawned upon him; they thanked us and proceeded. We did that two miles from the head of the river to the lock in about a quarter of the time it had taken us to go in the opposite direction. At the lock we again carried, for the last time, but instead of going back by the feeder we turned into the river called variously Pompton and Pequannock, running swiftly between shelving banks on either side.

It was after 6. The canoe glided rapidly down the river; the thicket of trees on the east formed a great dark curtain, beyond which might be anything or nothing; through the thicket of trees on the other bank we had constantly recurring glimpses, as we shot by, of a magnificent curtain of red splashed with gold hanging low in the Western sky.

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For the next two or three miles the river winds tortuously; in our course were sandbars and jagged rocks and snags.

Then we made a discovery. We were not in New Jersey; not in America even. We were in the Never-Never Land. Ahead and to each side of us the water was falling away in torrential rapids. The fall was only a few feet off, but we never reached it. The trees and the sky were reflected in the river. There were islands ahead of us which no mortal eye had ever seen, and lagoons and channels through which man-built boats might never pass; when we reached the place where we had seen them they were not there.

It was weird, strange, uncanny—but it was wonderful. We felt our way carefully. From behind came another canoe fitted with a searchlight. We followed it.

Presently lights, the lights of camps and bungalows, began to appear on the banks; across the water came the sound of a phonograph.

Another two miles and lights innumerable, began to flicker on the west bank of the river—which, incidentally, became the Passaic just below Mountain View—these were lights from the shanties which had offended our gaze in the morning, but which now appeared picturesque additions to the scene; up and down the widening stream also bobbed the lights of motor boats and canoes. In another five minutes we had docked and drawn our canoe up on the floor.

And thus the Odyssey came to an end. But as we crossed the bridge on the way to the railway station I heard the girl humming. The tune was "The End of a Perfect Day."

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COSMETICS WIDELY USED

Metropolitan Museum Expert Finds Fashions Changed Often in Nile's Highest Civilization.

The high waist-line in women's clothes, the fashion for the Summer of 1916, was fairly popular in Egypt about the year 2500 B. C., a time when slight mustaches were the rage among the young men, according to researches made by Miss B. M. Ariand of the Metropolitan Museum of Art. She discovered that cosmetics were much used by the women favorites of the Pharaohs, and also found that the men were not averse to toning up their complexions when courts were held along the Nile of the Middle Kingdoms.

In the monthly Bulletin of the Museum, just issued, Miss Ariand has described the clothes of fashionable society of the Egypt of long ago. Her descriptions were taken from exhibits in the Old Kingdom, 2800-2475 B. C., she says:

"The conventional sheathlike garment worn by all women was of plain unpleated stuff, that hung from the breast to the ankles, so scant that it clung to the figure and clearly showed the form, fastened by straps over one or both shoulders or merely held up by a belt. It was often pure white, but sometimes it had a narrow sash around the top, a fringe on the bottom, and braces that were parti-colored. In the tomb of Pharaoh at Thebes there is a scene of offering bearers representing estates, where the dresses are alternately red and dark green. These women, according to custom, were adorned with necklaces, bracelets, and anklets of blue and green beads.

"Aside from white, green seems to have been the color most worn, although yellow and red are mentioned in yellow dresses as well. The fashions for women were simpler and less varied than those for men, with slight deviations from the conventional attire, such as a short skirt worn at times by servants. The attire of dancing girls varied from the regular long costume to a short skirt, or in a later period to a giraffe of brightly colored beads.

"Most women wore wigs or dressed their own hair long. It fell to the shoulders or to the waist in the back in a large mass, with a side-lock hanging on either side of the face. Sometimes a colored ribbon was tied around the brow like a fillet, and often a circlet of real flowers was worn.

"We know that cosmetics and ornaments were used by both men and women, and in this connection it is interesting to note a statuette in the first Egyptian room, the eyes of which are outlined with a green band. Green malachite was used for this, whether purely for adornment or for medicinal purposes. The use of eye paint was a reason we do not know, and rouge and black paint were also employed as part of the make-up.

"Dress in ancient Egypt, as in every civilized country, shows diversity according to the class or occupation of the individual and variety dependent upon the fashion of the day, or the taste and his courtiers set the styles, which were soon assumed by subordinate officials until they forced their superior to adopt new modes. The fluctuations of fashion would be difficult to follow, although there was a steady tendency toward elaboration and luxury; but let us consider the most distinct changes in the Old Kingdom (2800-2475 B. C.), the Middle Kingdom (2100-1780 B. C.), and the Empire (1580-945 B. C.), as shown in our Egyptian galleries.

"In the tomb of Perneb we have costumes which are typical of the Old Kingdom. Humble people were satisfied with a belt, tied around the waist with the ends hanging down in front, a skirt of linen fastened loosely around the loins, or rarely they contrived a skirt that may have been made out of rush matting. Even then, at times, were laid aside, and the men appeared nude when engaged in strenuous exercise. The offering bearers in the tomb chamber wore the short white skirt, the most common article of clothing. It was a straight piece of white linen cloth wrapped about her hips like a kilt, the ends being knotted in front or being passed under a girdle, and sticking up above the waist-line.

"Men in the Old Kingdom almost invariably clipped their hair close and shaved their faces, although up to the fifth dynasty they sometimes wore slight mustaches. The Egyptian occasionally allowed their hair to grow, a custom generally considered unclean. The upper classes wore wigs of two kinds—either short and close-fitting, with light little curls in horizontal rows, or long and bushy. Old King in the middle and falling well over the shoulders. Such wigs were probably made of sheep's wool and animal specimens have been found. When a man wished to assume his full dignity, he attached a false beard of plaited hair to his chin by means of straps. Sandals, which were made of reeds or leather with a strap over the instep, were connected with another strap which passed between the toes, were worn irrespective of class, except in the case of the superiors, but the Egyptian commonly preferred to go barefoot.

"By the time of the Middle Kingdom ordinary individuals had adopted the pleated kilt, which for a time, at least in the Old Kingdom, had been the peculiar property of the elite. However, it is doubtful if the people ever wore it of gold. On a wooden statuette of Senusert, a king of the Eighteenth Egyptian Dynasty, this kilt is represented as pleated all around, the two ends curving symmetrically in front up to the girdle. The King also wears the red crown symbol of lower Egypt, while the mate to this statuette, which is in the Cairo Museum, wears the white crown of Upper Egypt.

"Other statuettes, in the Sixth Egyptian Room, show what a variety of skirts existed at the time. The old form continued, although there was a tendency toward a narrower, longer skirt. The triangular projection, so fashionable in the first dynasty, became subdued until it was quite modest. The long kilt which has been described as typical of this time often had a high waist-line. It was at this time that clothing for the upper part of the body first appeared, and a close case was sometimes pinned around the shoulders. A heavy cloak or shawl, probably of wool, worn in the Old Kingdom as an outer garment by both men and women, now became common.

"Changes in the costumes of women from the Old to the Middle Kingdom were slight, but there were a few innovations. The tendency toward elaboration toward a plain white tunic was sometimes covered with a network of brightly colored beads in diamond pattern with a bead fringe at the bottom. A similar dress, exceptionally in color, dates from the sixth dynasty. One statuette from Assut shows a white tunic with a wide border on the bottom representing bird's wings or a leaf pattern, the latter more likely, since it is painted in green."

"Smells Like a Fire Sale. The odor of a fire sale clings to the home of a Fulton man whose wife went visiting after he had been pressing up a few things with her electric iron. When she returned the iron had burned through the table, carpet, and floor. The damage was not great when measured by actual loss, but everything in the house smells as if it had been bought at about 50 cents on the dollar.—Kansas City Times.

HAWAIIANS LIKE MOVIES.

Theatres in the Islands Are Up to Date and Costly.

Negotiations are now under way for the establishment of a moving-picture colony in the Hawaiian Islands, according to A. P. Taylor, a correspondent of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce. They follow an investigation of the merits of the cinema and scenery as a foundation on which to build up such a colony. At least \$50,000 of local capital will be invested, Mr. Taylor reports, the remainder coming from the mainland. An expert from New York has stated that while the islands are admirably suited to the filming of South Sea scenes, they are also adapted for a New York setting.

In addition to this, Mr. Taylor writes that no larger than the patronage of the "movies" grown in the islands that a theatre in Honolulu has installed a \$10,000 pipe organ of a well-known make. The transportation charges from the factory to the city of Honolulu added fully \$1,000 to the price of the instrument.

"Motion picture theatres" he goes on, "were first established here about ten years ago, and were then merely 'holes in the wall.' With the rapid development of the artistic side of motion-picture filming, the class of theatres in Honolulu has been raised, until at present the city has several first-class houses. The largest has a seating capacity of 1,800. The architectural of this place of amusement is suited to the climate; plenty of ventilation is afforded through rows of shutter windows.

Ten years ago the highest price paid for admission to motion picture theatres was 15 cents, ranging from that figure down to 5 cents. Today the standard high price is 30 cents for reserved seats, with a fifty-cent charge for box and loge seats. The Honolulu Hotel, with its large theatre, the population, demands the best pictures, and the leading theatres are now on the circuits of the foremost producers of New York and California.

"The exchange system permits the same pictures to be sent to the outlying islands, so that even in small plantation towns on the island of Kauai, the westernmost of the Hawaiian group, 2,400 miles from San Francisco, the pictures that are produced in the leading theatres of Honolulu are given before an audience composed principally of Japanese, Chinese, Koreans, Filipinos, Porto Ricans, Spaniards, and Siberians. Wherever these theatres have been built, in some of the outlying districts, enterprising motion picture managers have large tents of the circus type erected. By a system of rotation a tent is seen in a village about every two weeks."

His First Big Game.

That he feels like a real sportsman is the confession of a Marcelline man, a member of the local gun club, who has just paid his part of the damage for the loss of a farmer's bull. The gun club organized last Fall and had dug a sink hole at a shooting ground near Yellow Creek. The other day a fine bull lost its life in the sink hole and the owner of the animal immediately put out some of the members of the club. "It is the first big game I ever helped kill," adds the Marcelline sportsman.—Kansas City Times.

When you drive to Seneca.

When you drive to Seneca, says The Sabatha Herald, observe the row of peach trees extending for two miles to the city limits. The trees were planted from stones by the primary pupils in Mrs. Emily Collins's school room. Every Spring for ten years Mrs. Collins has taken her pupils to the orchard and have large tents of the circus type erected. By a system of rotation a tent is seen in a village about every two weeks.

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THE CARE OF THE INSANE.

Experiments Show There is no Economy in Neglecting Them.

Commenting on mistaken economy in relation to the treatment of the chronic insane, The Journal of the American Medical Association says: "One hindrance to the adoption of improved methods in the care of the insane not infrequently is a mistaken idea of economy in the governing bodies of institutions. An average layman's idea of the economic principle underlying the care of the chronic insane probably is (at least, unless he has a personal interest in some member of this unfortunate class) that, within limits of decency, the less spent the better.

"Of course, for sheer humanity's sake, the insane must have food, clothing, and adequate housing accommodations; they must be restrained from doing violence to themselves or to others, must receive necessary personal attention, and must not be subjected to abuse. But, since the hopelessly insane are a total loss to themselves and to society, why spend money in any further attempt to improve their condition? Such, it is not unfair to surmise, is the unmotivated feeling which puts obstacles in the way of individualized work with deteriorated patients.

"Dr. E. A. Foley, in the Institution Quarterly, reports the results of experiments which indicate that, quite apart from the humanitarian aspect, such work is worth while from the purely economic point of view. Two of the apparently most hopeless patients in the Jacksonville (Fla.) State Hospital were selected for experiment. Both had records of destructiveness, filthiness, and most violent impulses; both had been expensive patients on account of the amount of clothing, bedding, furniture, etc., which they destroyed, and both were deteriorating. The patients were placed in charge of an especially patient and careful attendant. At first hydrotherapy was employed; then the patients' interest was aroused by means of games and light work.

"Destructiveness and filthiness diminished; the patients became less vulgar and abusive; they became friendly to physicians and nurses. Of course, cures are out of the question, but the contentment and well-being of the patients have been greatly enhanced. From the financial point of view there is a double gain. Not only are the patients no longer destroying property; they are no longer derelict producers. So far as this experiment goes, such work appears to be of value from all points of view."

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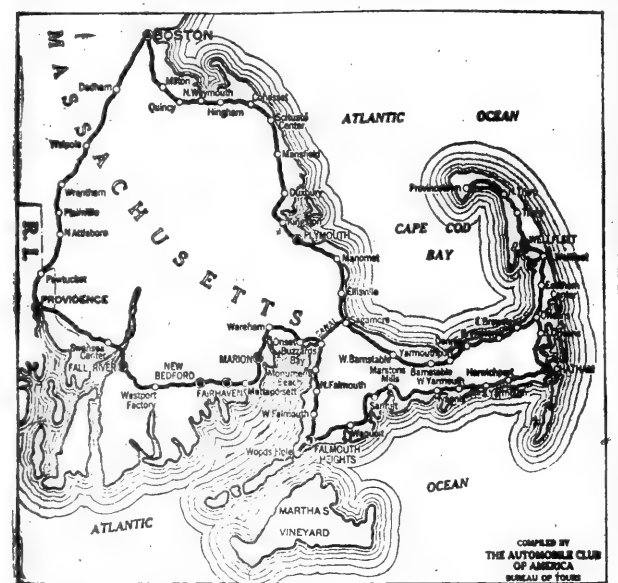
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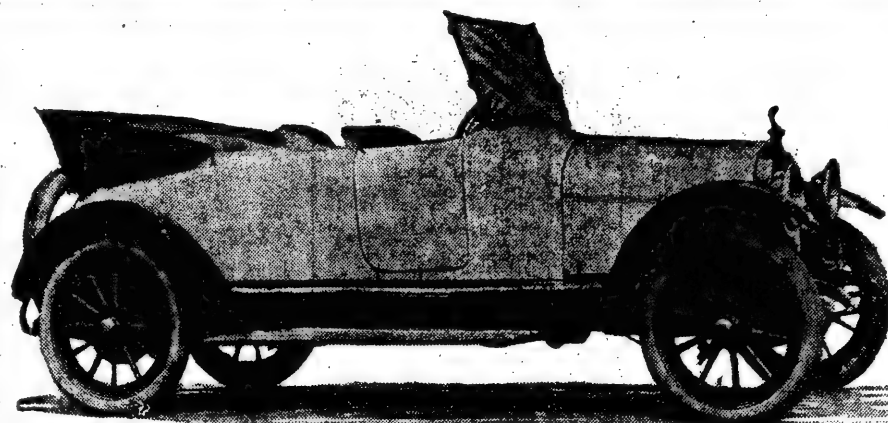


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Exports of motor vehicles alone exceeded by \$15,000,000 the combined exports of steam and electric railway locomotives and cars, wagons, carriages, bicycles, and motor cycles. The automobile export trade ranks very near the top of the list, exceeding the exports of chemicals, drugs, and dyes, exports of manufactured cotton goods, of wheat flour, and doubling the combined exports of agricultural and electrical machinery for the year. The following figures from the Department of Commerce show value of cars exported in last three years:

Year	Value	Number
1914	\$1,181,611	325,392
1915	\$9,140,652	21,118,953
1916	\$6,805,548	40,684,893

Passenger car exports for the last fiscal year increased more than 135 per cent. in number and 92 per cent. in value over the previous fiscal year, and the exports of trucks increased 52 per cent. in number and 42 per cent. in value in the year. Considerably more than one-half of the exports during the last year went to England, France, and Russia.

MOST DRIVERS' LICENSES LOST BY INTOXICATION

Sixty-one Per Cent. of Those Set Down This Year Guilty of Driving a Car While Intoxicated—Speeding Next.

By FRANCIS M. HUGO, Secretary of State.

The great increase in the motor traffic of the Empire State has presented grave problems for New York to solve. Chief among them is the regulation of the operators of motor vehicles. On Aug. 1, the Secretary of State had licensed 235,954 cars and 57,891 paid operators. It is a conservative estimate that at least 500,000 persons are driving automobiles upon the public highways of this Commonwealth. More than one-half of these pursue their way through the congested section, where the dangers attending such operation require peculiar skill. If accidents, often fatal, are to be avoided, the operator must be able to control the car with a minimum of error. On the other hand, the country turns pikes over to the public for the use of the average motorist to resist. When the speedometer registers more than thirty miles per hour, our tourists forget that presumptively, at least in this State, they are no longer driving in a careful and prudent manner. Here is where carelessness creeps in. The Secretary of State, though given the authority to register and license this vast army of owners and paid operators, has but few regulative powers, when it comes to curbing the reckless and wanton abuse of the privileges granted. Power and responsibility have not gone hand in hand. The right of revocation, accorded this State official by law, is dependent upon the recommendation of the trial court only after a conviction for any one of three offenses. These are intoxication, running away from an accident after causing injury without first leaving name and address, and a third and subsequent conviction of a paid operator for speeding.

Since the first day of January the present Secretary of State has revoked the licenses of thirty-six operators of automobiles. This is thirteen more than the total number revoked during all of last year. It is, perhaps, interesting to observe that of these thirty-six cases, 22, or 61 per cent., were convictions for operating cars while intoxicated. This

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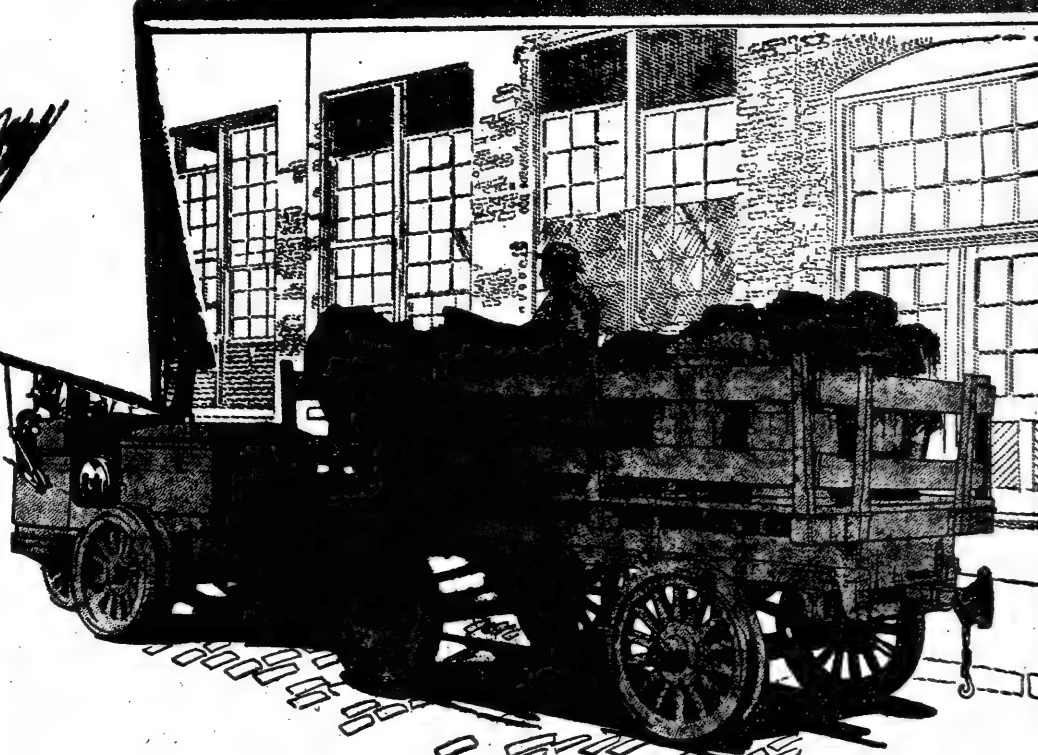
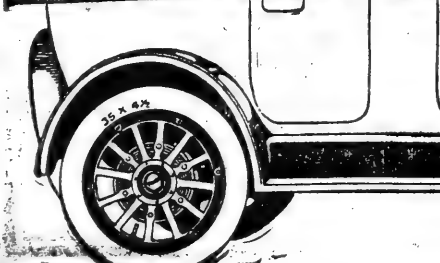
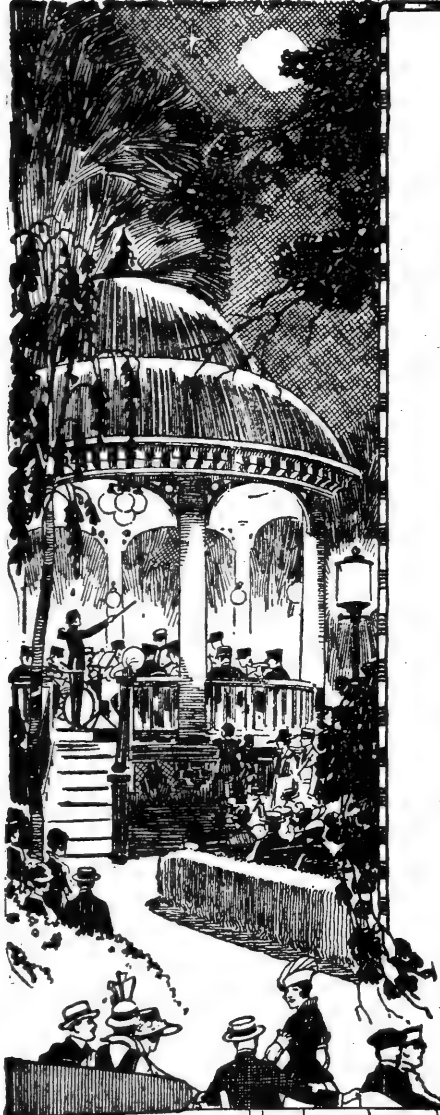
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QUERIES FROM TIMES READERS AND ANSWERS TO THEM

Readers of The Times are particularly requested to read the following before sending queries to the Query Department:

To receive attention every question must bear the name and address of the person sending it. This does not necessarily mean that the name will be published when the question is answered; only the initials will be used if the questioner so desires. No attention will be paid to queries to which the name and address of the sender are not appended. Hundreds of letters are received by this department, so that it is obviously impossible to answer all of them immediately. In many cases there must be a certain amount of unavoidable delay.

Sale of Heron Plumes.—Kindly publish a list of the States in which it is unlawful to sell heron plumes, known as aligrettes.

The matter is much complicated by variety of regulations. The States that have some legislation are as follows:

Alabama,	New Jersey,
California,	New York,
Colorado,	North Dakota,
Connecticut,	Ohio,
Delaware,	Oklahoma,
Florida,	Oregon,
Iowa,	Pennsylvania,
Kansas,	Rhode Island,
Kentucky,	South Carolina,
Louisiana,	South Dakota,
Maine,	Tennessee,
Maryland,	Texas,
Massachusetts,	Vermont,
Michigan,	Virginia,
Minnesota,	Washington,
Mississippi,	West Virginia,
Missouri,	Wisconsin,
New Hampshire,	

The laws in these States differ somewhat and fall into three main groups:

1. Statutes like those of New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and Vermont, which cover not only the plumage of all native birds, but also that of foreign species belonging to the same families as the birds native to the State.
2. Statutes like those of Massachusetts, Rhode Island, and Michigan, which protect herons and egrets, and prohibit the sale of all wild birds or their plumage. Several States that have Audubon laws are not included in the above list. The reason for this omission is that these statutes do not specifically cover the sale of plumage, or have some clause which would probably permit the sale of aligrettes. None of these laws affects the sale of heron plumes.

First Steamship Lines.—In 1819, the American vessel Savannah crossed from Savannah to Liverpool in 20 days, 11 hours, partly under steam, but mainly under sail. The Royal William, of 1830 tons, built in Canada, made the first trans-Atlantic voyage entirely under steam in 1833.

Japan and Mexico.—Has there ever been any proof that Japan or Japanese citizens instigated or caused the

present trouble between the United States and Mexico?

Concerning the Plant Woad.—BUNCE.—English history records that the early inhabitants of the British Isles, stained, painted, or decorated their bodies with the juice of a plant called woad. Is it known here? What name is it known by now? Report says it is a very common, every-day roadside plant. Possibly so, but that does not help.

Woad is a biennial plant, indigenous in Europe, which has been employed from the times of the Romans for dyeing blue. It is cultivated in France and Germany. The leaves possess a pungent odor and an acrid taste. These are simply dried and sent to market, and by grinding are made into a paste, which is then prepared into balls and allowed to undergo fermentation, after which it is dried. At present woad is chiefly used for reduction of indigo in the wool trade, but is seldom employed by itself for dyeing purposes.

Preparatory Schools.—N. LEWIS and MAURICE J. MCCARTHY.—Suggest that you communicate with the Commissioner of Education for the State of New York, at Albany.

Which Is Correct.—An interesting point is raised in the following letter from Mr. McBride:

In Mr. Joyce Kilmer's timely contribution entitled "James Whitcomb Riley as a Poet Knew Him," in your Magazine Section of the July 30 issue, he quotes Bliss Carman as saying: "I remember with what enthusiasm he (Mr. Riley) used to read that demagogic ballad of Longfellow's which begins, 'Simon Dance has been home again.'" Doubtless Mr. Kilmer's very interesting article sent many readers besides myself to their copies of Longfellow and Swinburne, to find the quotation, apparently incorrect, and to meet with some puzzling discrepancies about the old, retired buccaner.

In the Houghton Mifflin copy of Longfellow (1883) the first line of "A Dutch Picture" reads: "Simon Dance has come home again"—a difference of name as well as of verb.

But the tenth stanza seems to complicate matters still further, for it reads: "Voices mysterious far and near, Sound of the wind and sound of the sea, Are calling and whispering in his ear, Simon Dance, 'Why stayest thou here? Come forth and follow me!'" Which is correct?

Brandon Tynan.—A constant reader of THE TIMES would like to know what plays Bran-

don Tynan has performed since the "Melody of Youth" at the Criterion, concluded last May.

In a one-act play called "The Irish Volunteer."

Colonel Green's Address.—E. STEIB.—Referring to your article about Colonel Edward H. R. Green in THE NEW YORK TIMES Magazine of July 9, 1916, please send me the Colonel's present New York address, as I need it for business purposes, for which I thank you very much.

No. 111 Broadway, New York City.

Stephen Phillips.—E. H. SMITH.—Will you please give me the columns of your valuable paper a short biography of "Stephen Phillips," the poet and writer who died last year? That is, his birthplace, age, where he died and when, and a list of his books or writings, and whatever other information you can give regarding him.

Stephen Phillips died at Deal, England, in December, 1915. He is remembered chiefly for his "Paolo and Francesca," which, shortly after it was published, was said to have brought him undying fame. He was born in Somerton, near Oxford, and was in his forty-eighth year when he died. He has often been called "the English Shakespeare," and his poetry, which he wrote in a simple, direct, and powerful style, has been widely known.

Mr. Phillips was "coached" for the civil service, but decided that his chances were slim, and joined a theatrical company. For ten years he played on tour. He entered journalism and published a collection of his poems, "Christ in Hades," in 1890, and immediately became widely known. His next volume, which was published in the following year, contained "The Woman with the Dead Soul," "To Milton, Blind," and "Marpessa," the last of which William Watson said contained "the finest lines of modern treatment in the classic myth." This volume earned for the author a price of \$500 and greatly enhanced his reputation as a poet. There followed among others, "Hered," "Lysias," "The Sin of David," and "Nero."

United States Senate.—D. E. BOULTON.—Being an old subscriber to your valued paper, I am going to ask you a favor to the following questions, viz: (1) Is the United States Senate a continuing body? If so, in what way? (2) How many members constitute the President's Cabinet? And the names of the present Cabinet.

(1) Article 17 of the Constitution of the United States says: "The Senate of the United States shall be composed of two Senators from each State, elected by the people thereof, for six years; and each Senator shall have one vote. The electors in each State shall have the qualifications requisite for electors of the most numerous branch of the State Legislature."

When vacancies happen in the representation of any State in the Senate, the executive authority of such State

shall issue writs of election to fill such vacancies: Provided, that the Legislature of any State may empower the executive thereof to make temporary appointments until the people fill the vacancies by election as the Legislature may direct.

This amendment shall not be so construed as to affect the election or term of any Senator chosen before it becomes valid as part of the Constitution.

(2) President Wilson's Cabinet is composed of the following: Secretary of War, Newton D. Baker of Ohio; Attorney General, Thomas Watt Gregory of Texas; Postmaster General, Albert Sidney Burleson of Texas; Secretary of Navy, Josephus Daniels of North Carolina; Secretary of Interior, David Franklin Houston of Missouri; Secretary of Commerce, William C. Redfield of New York; Secretary of Labor, William Bauchop Wilson of Pennsylvania.

No National Holidays.—E. J. STRONG.—Please answer, through your valuable paper, the following questions: How many national holidays are there in the United States? Is Fourth of July a national holiday?

There is no national holiday, not even the Fourth of July. Congress has at various times appointed special holidays. In the second session of the Fifty-third Congress it passed an act making Labor Day a public holiday in the District of Columbia, and it has recognized the existence of certain days as holidays for commercial purposes, but with the exception named there is no general statute on the subject. The proclamation of the President designating a day of Thanksgiving only makes it a legal holiday in the District of Columbia and the Territories. There are over fifty legal holidays observed in the various States and Territories.

Russian Newspapers in New York.—WILLIAM JOHN LINDSEY.—Will you kindly tell me if there is any paper published in Russian in New York City. I am interested in a Russian paper in New York and anxious to procure Russian papers for him, if possible.

The Russian World, 31 East Seventh Street, and Russian America, 231 East Seventeenth Street, this city, are daily newspapers printed in Russian language.

First Aid in Tropics.—WALTER L. HERVEY.—I should be grateful for your assistance in the following matter:

The German prisoners of war whom, as the representative of the International Committee of the Young Men's Christian Association, I am trying to help here this Summer, have asked me for something suitable for them to study in connection with "First Aid," regarding methods of avoiding disease in tropical countries. Now, I remember a letter from a doctor published by you some three or four weeks ago—on your editorial

page—which covered the ground admirably. Will you be so kind as to let me know the date it appeared. I will have it translated into German, and it will be studied by hundreds.

The letter to which you probably refer was written by Dr. Charles S. Braddock, Jr., late Lieutenant United States Navy, and late Medical Inspector of the Royal Siamese Government, and appeared in THE TIMES on July 1st last.

McAllen and Oublain.—C. R. G.—Will you kindly answer the following questions in your Query column:

(1) Where in Texas is McAllen located? Is it an old or newly established place and name, and is it a concentration camp only?

(2) What does "Cubist," as pertaining to art, mean?

(1) McAllen has a population of 30 in 1910. It is situated in the extreme southern part of Texas, near the mouth of the Rio Grande. Small as a concentration of men by European standards, it is, nevertheless, large in American experience. There are 10,000 men in the headquarters camp at McAllen.

(2) Post impressionism, Cubism, and Futurism embrace three latter-day art movements which, to some extent, represent the barbaric in artistic expression. The Post impressionists regard drawing as secondary to beauty of paint and leave the artist to scatter his colors as may best convey his impression. The Cubists and Futurists go still further, and aim at realizing, by a series of chaotically placed colors, the pictorial idea in the mind of the artist. While to the lay onlooker all three movements signify little that is understandable, to their devotees they indicate a healthy desire to break away from old conventions.

Benevolent Societies.—A. F.—Kindly state the names and addresses of several fraternal organizations offering sick and burial benefits to their members. Also please state the benefits to be derived from membership in an order like the Masons.

To name a few among many: The Royal Arcanum, Samuel N. Hoag, Supreme Regent, Mount Vernon, N. Y.; Knights of Pythias, Brig. S. Young, Supreme Chancellor, Ada, Ohio; Loyal Americans of the Republic, E. J. Dunn, Supreme President, Chicago; Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, 110 West Forty-third Street, New York City.

Suggest you obtain information on your list of the writer from E. M. L. Ehlers, Masonic Temple, West Twenty-third Street and Sixth Avenue, New York City.

Advertising Taught in Schools.—W. T. KELLY.—Please inform me through the query column of your paper whether there is a public school, day or evening, in Greater New York that teaches a course in advertising.

Last year advertising and salesmanship were taught in the Harlem Evening High School for men and the New Lots Public School 149, Sutter Ave.

nue and Vermont Street, Brooklyn. We suggest that you communicate with the Secretary of the Board of Education, Park Avenue at Fifty-ninth Street, this city, for information as to in just what schools will be held similar classes this year.

Pronunciation of Names and Places.—Kindly send me the pronunciation of the following words:

Federweil—Fai-de-vel's-ke.
Minuet—Minuet, (accent on last).
Pavlova—Pavlova.
Bakst—Broad s like sh.
Villu—Vee-ya in Castilian Spanish; Vee-yah, as spoken in Mexico.

Versailles—Vair-sigh.
Farrar—Farrar.
Nasimova—Nah-seh-mova.
Kalech—Kaleh.
Finale—Fee-nah-leh.
Lapokowa—Lapokowa.
Karl Much—Mock.
Nijinsky—Nee-zhin-sky.
Rheims—Ranna.
Petrograd—Pet-roh-grad.
Dvorak—Dvor-shak.
Chopin—Shoo-pin.
Drdla—Pronounced as if there were an "i" between the "d" and "r."

The Rev. Dr. Jowett's Citizenship.—MRS. A. J. SHARPE.—Has the Rev. Dr. Jowett, pastor of Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church, who is now spending his vacation in England, ever become a naturalized American citizen?

Dr. Jowett is not a naturalized American citizen.

Chemical Engineering.—K. Y.—Kindly answer me the following questions in the Sunday query column of THE TIMES:

1. Is the demand for chemists in America just as great as for electrical or civil engineers?

2. What is the average pay of the above professions?

3. Which of these three professions would you advise a young man to study in the evening?

There are so many questions involved in a subject of this sort that we suggest you communicate with the American Chemical Society, 42 West Thirty-ninth Street, this city, for such data as you will need as a basis of further study.

Marriage License in Manhattan.—BANFF.—Would you be kind enough to give the writer information to the following questions through the medium of the excellent Query Column of your Sunday edition:

1. May a marriage be solemnized in the City of New York between two contracting parties, neither of whom is resident there?

2. If not, what length of residence is required to meet the law? My fiancée arrives from Europe in September and we are desirous of being married immediately on arrival.

If New York does not permit this can you inform me as to the nearest point that does?

3. May the marriage be performed the same day as the license for same is issued?

1. Yes.
2. In the case of two persons who are of age and when neither has been divorced, no requirement is made as to residence in Manhattan.
3. Yes.

New Express Service on "L."—W. T. B.—Will you please tell me (1) what increase, if any in the number of passengers carried has been shown as a result of the express service on the new third tracks, and (2) to what account did the operating company charge the money expended in building the new tracks? (3) Did the express service on the "L" take from subway traffic?

Express service on the new third tracks on the elevated was established on Jan. 17, 1916. The number of passengers carried for six years prior to that time was 284,000,000 in 1910, 301,000,000 in 1911, 304,000,000 in 1912, 307,000,000 in 1913, 311,000,000 in 1914, and 302,000,000 in the year ending June 30, 1915, an average of 306,000,000 a year.

In February, 1916—the first full month the new elevated lines were in operation—there was an immediate jump in traffic, which resulted in an increase in passenger receipts over February, 1915, of 7.98 per cent., March had an increase of 8.75 per cent., April 8.23 per cent., May 10.36 per cent., and June 7.04 per cent.

2. Interest on the cost of the new lines was charged to construction until they were put into operation; after that time was charged to operating expenses. The amount of the company's 5 per cent. bonds issued to provide for the third-tracking improvements prior to Jan. 17 and the interest on the same was \$1,738,000, the interest on which is \$49,871 per month.

The increase in operating revenue for February, 1916, was \$128,330; March, \$132,418; April, \$141,338; May, \$165,022; and June, \$111,897.

3. The significant feature of this increase in traffic on the "L" is that it was not taken from the subway. For the year ended on June 30—during five and one-half months of which the new service was in operation—passenger earnings of the elevated increased \$231,325, or 34 per cent. over the previous year, while the subway showed an income of \$1,233,576, or approximately 7 1/2 per cent.

Salary in Parliament.—M. CARPENTER.—Kindly let me know through the query column of your Sunday edition whether the position of member of the British Parliament is a salaried one or not, or is it a fact that, instead of a salary, a

fund for indigent members exists, from which each member of Parliament is privileged to draw to a limited extent if he so desires? If such a fund exists, is it maintained by the Government or by the constituents of the members?

The House of Lords consists of peers who hold their seats (1) by hereditary right, (2) by creation of the sovereign, (3) by virtue of the office—Law Lords and English Archbishops and Bishops, (4) by election for life—Irish peers, (5) by election for duration of Parliament—Scottish peers. The House of Commons consists of members representing county, borough, and university constituencies in the three divisions of the United Kingdom. In August, 1911, by resolution of the House of Commons, provision was first made for the payment of a salary of £400 per year to members, other than those already in receipt of salaries as officers of the House, as Ministers, or as officers of His Majesty's household. Payment began from April 1, 1911. This provision does not extend to the House of Lords.

Societies and Our Presidents.—G. W. E.—Will you be so kind as to answer, if possible, the following questions in your department:

1. To what lodges or societies of prominence do the Republican and Democratic candidates for President belong?

2. Which, if any, of our Presidents have been Masons or Odd Fellows?

(1) It is not shown that either Mr. Wilson or Mr. Hughes belongs to any lodge or similar society.

2. The following Presidents of the United States have been Masons: George Washington, Andrew Jackson, James K. Polk, James Buchanan, Andrew Johnson, James A. Garfield, William McKinley, Theodore Roosevelt, William H. Taft. Neither Mr. Hughes nor Mr. Wilson is a Mason.

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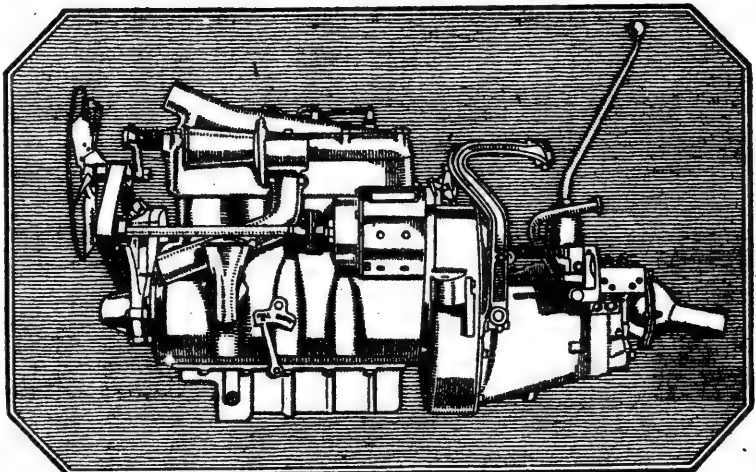
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THE DUKE OF CONNAUGHT, RETIRING GOVERNOR GENERAL OF CANADA, WITH THE DUCHESS, AND THE PRINCESS PATRICIA, ON THEIR OFFICIAL FAREWELL VISIT TO WESTERN CANADA.
In the Group, in Front of Carey Castle, Residence of Lieutenant Governor Barnard at Victoria, B. C., Are, Left to Right: Mr. Barnard, the Duchess of Connaught, the Duke of Connaught, Mrs. Barnard, and the Princess Patricia. Behind Are Aides, Ladies-in-Waiting, and the Secretary to the Royal Party.



ENGLISH GIRL WHO, WITH MANY OTHERS, HAS DONNED TROUSERS AND BECOME A WORKER IN ONE OF THE WAKEFIELD FLOUR MILLS.
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WOUNDED BRITISH SOLDIERS CONVALESCING AT A SEASHORE RESORT ON THE SOUTH COAST OF ENGLAND.

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MISS HELEN TOBIN, A Debutante at Newport, Where She Was Presented by Mrs. James J. Brown.
(Photo by Count Jean de Sirelockt.)



MRS. HENRY CRAIG YEISER, JR., Formerly Miss Louise Henriette Fleischmann, Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Fleischmann, of Cincinnati.
(Photo by Mr. and Mrs. Braden.)

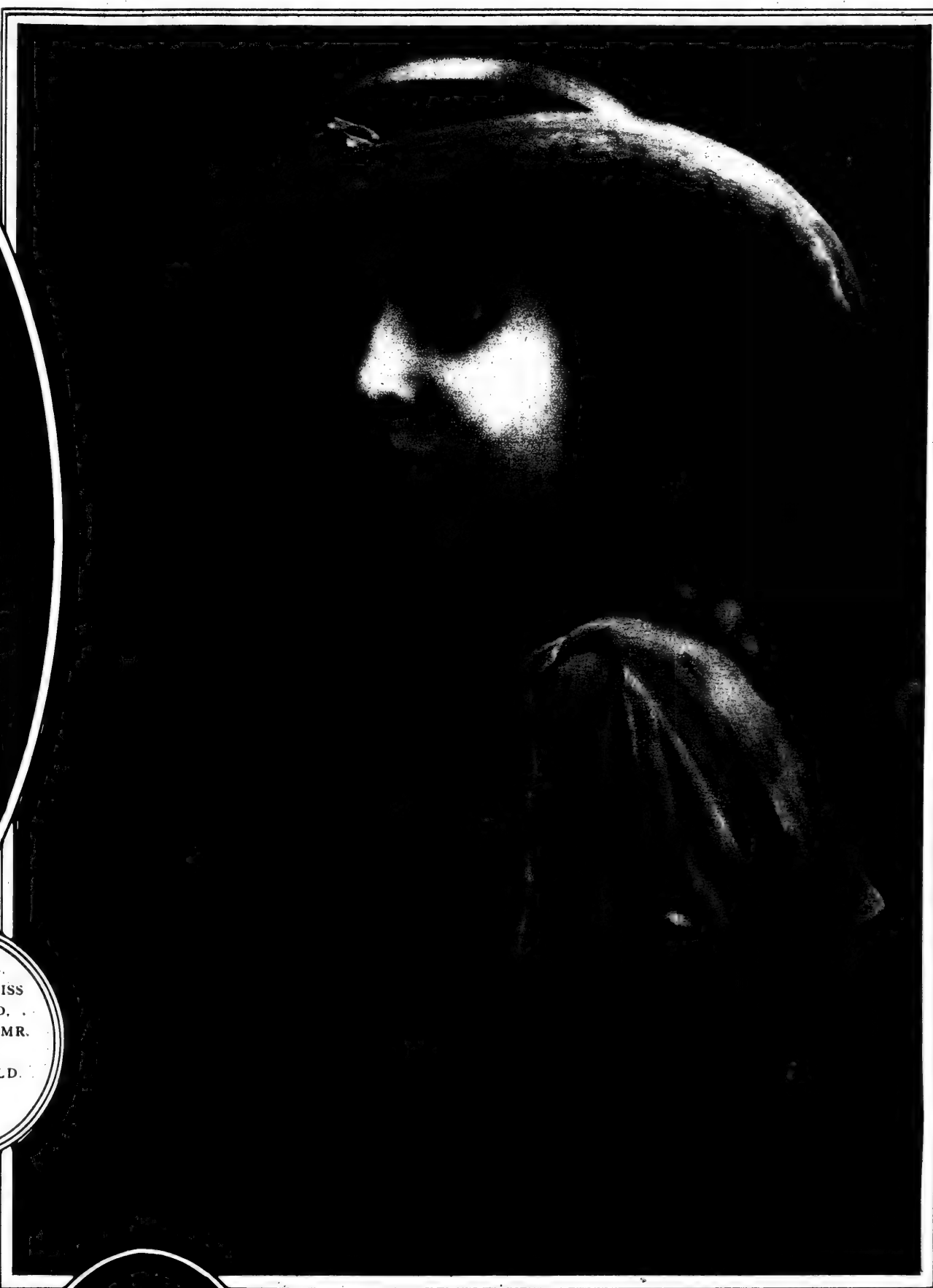


CAPTAIN MALCOLM BELL-IRVING, Grandson of the Late Sir Henry Irving, Actor, and Aviator in the British Army, Who Has Just Received the Military Cross for Heroism in Battle Where He Was Severely Wounded.
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EDITH GOULD.
DAUGHTERS OF MR.
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Be Held in
Atlantic City
Early in
September.

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GENERAL JOHN J. PERSHING AND STAFF
Chatting With Bishop J. C. Bentley, of the Mormon Church of Mexico,
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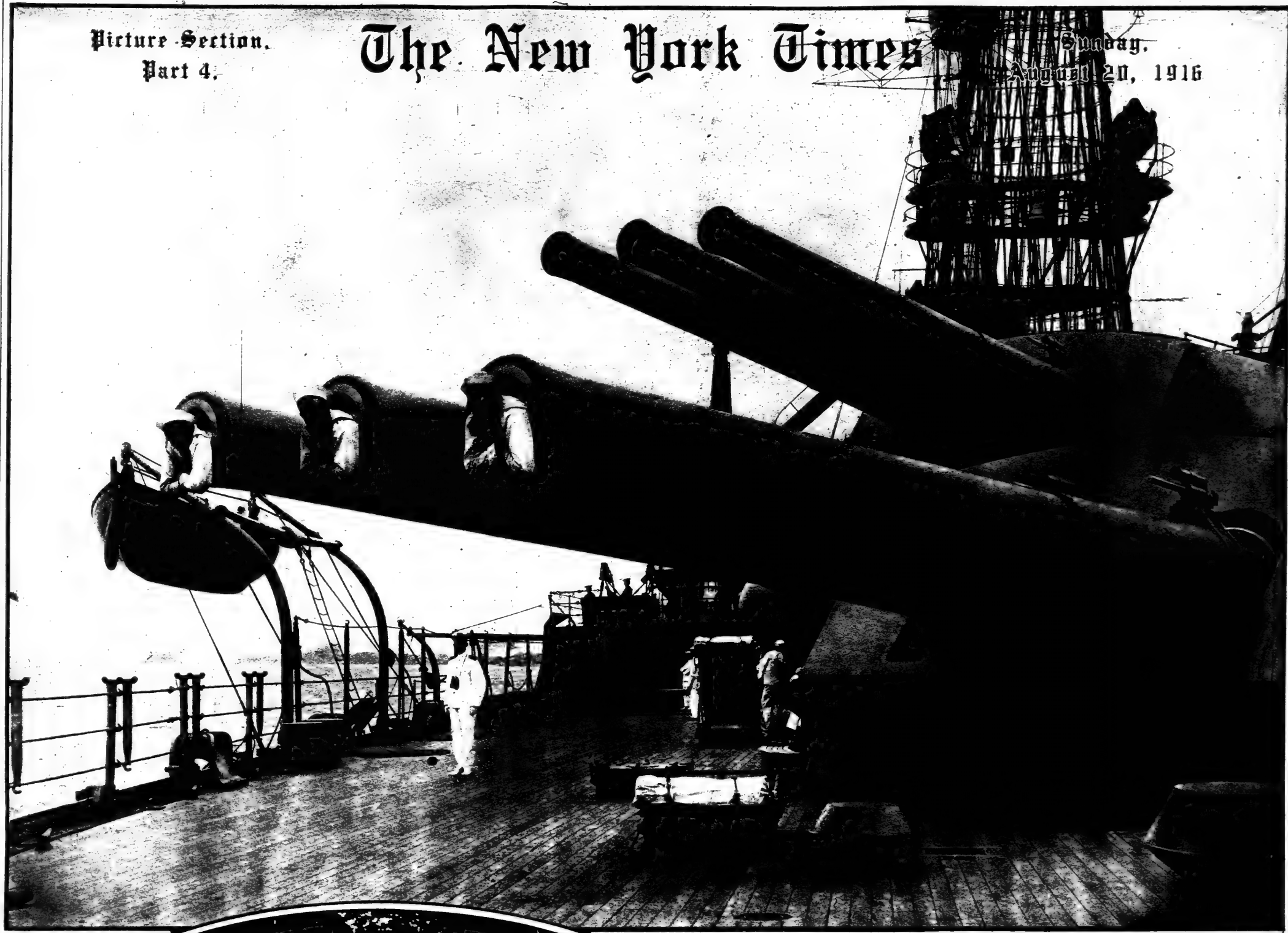
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ITALIAN CARBINEERS OF THE CYCLE CORPS, OPERATING IN THE TRENTINO, BRINGING IN AUSTRIAN PRISONERS. (Photo by Universal Press Syndicate.)

PRINCE ALBERT, NOW A SUB-LIEUTENANT IN THE BRITISH NAVY, SALUTING HIS FATHER, KING GEORGE V.

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MRS. W. H. CARNEGIE, Formerly Mrs. Joseph Chamberlain, Who Recently Wedded the Canon of Westminster and Chaplain of the House of Commons. From a new photograph which has just reached this country.

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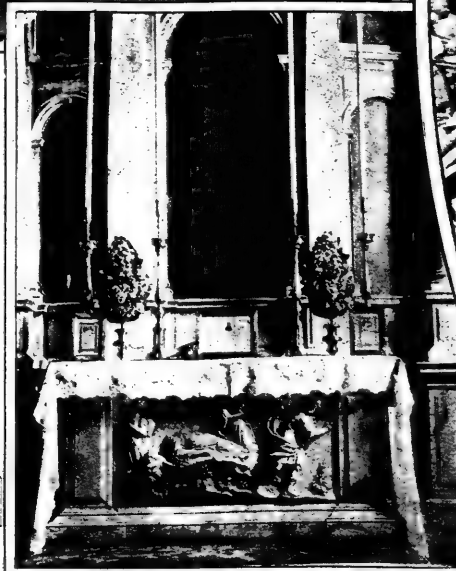
GERMAN HAND GRENADE EXPLODING IN A TRENCH ON THE BRITISH WEST FRONT IN FRANCE.
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RUSSIAN SOLDIERS ON THE FRENCH FRONT IN CHAMPAGNE ASSISTING A WOUNDED GERMAN PRISONER TO THE NEAREST RED CROSS STATION.
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WOUNDED RUSSIAN SOLDIER IN FRANCE SINGING AND DANCING FOR THE AMUSEMENT OF HIS COMRADES.
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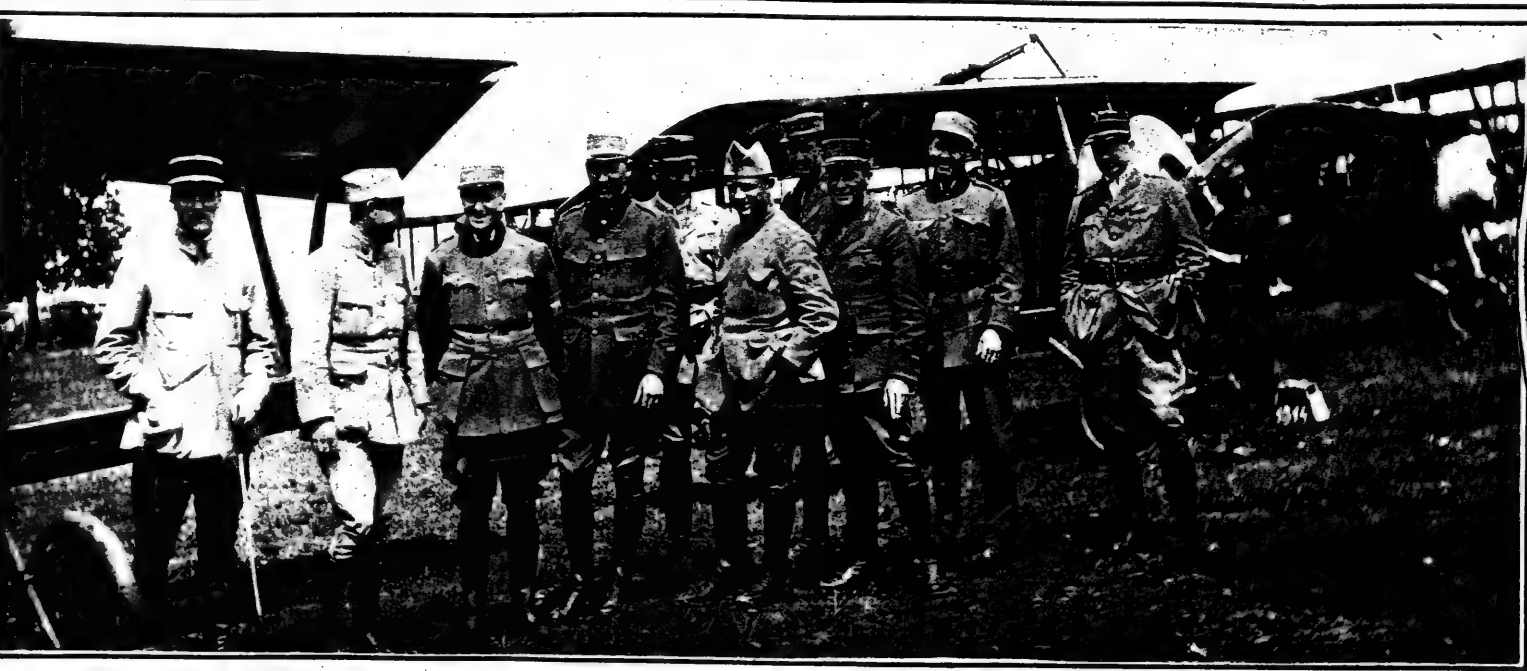
BRITISH SOLDIERS ON THE WEST FRONT, HELMETED AND FULLY EQUIPPED, AWAITING THE CALL, MOMENTARILY EXPECTED, TO RE-ENTER THE TRENCHES.
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HUNGARIAN SCOUTS LOOKING DOWN INTO AN ALPINE CHASM FROM A HEIGHT OF MORE THAN 6,000 FEET. From a Photograph Taken for the Archives of the Hungarian War Department.



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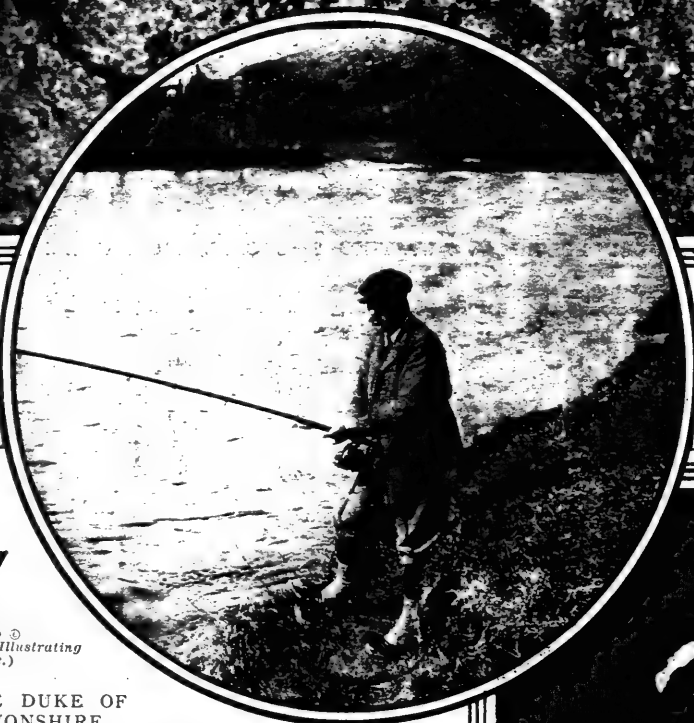
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GEN. COUSIN, AT THE INVALIDES, BESTOWS the French Cross of War on Two Americans, Harry Holmsted and Jack Wendel, Members of the Sanitary Corps, Who Were Wounded at Verdun. (Photo © Underwood & Underwood)



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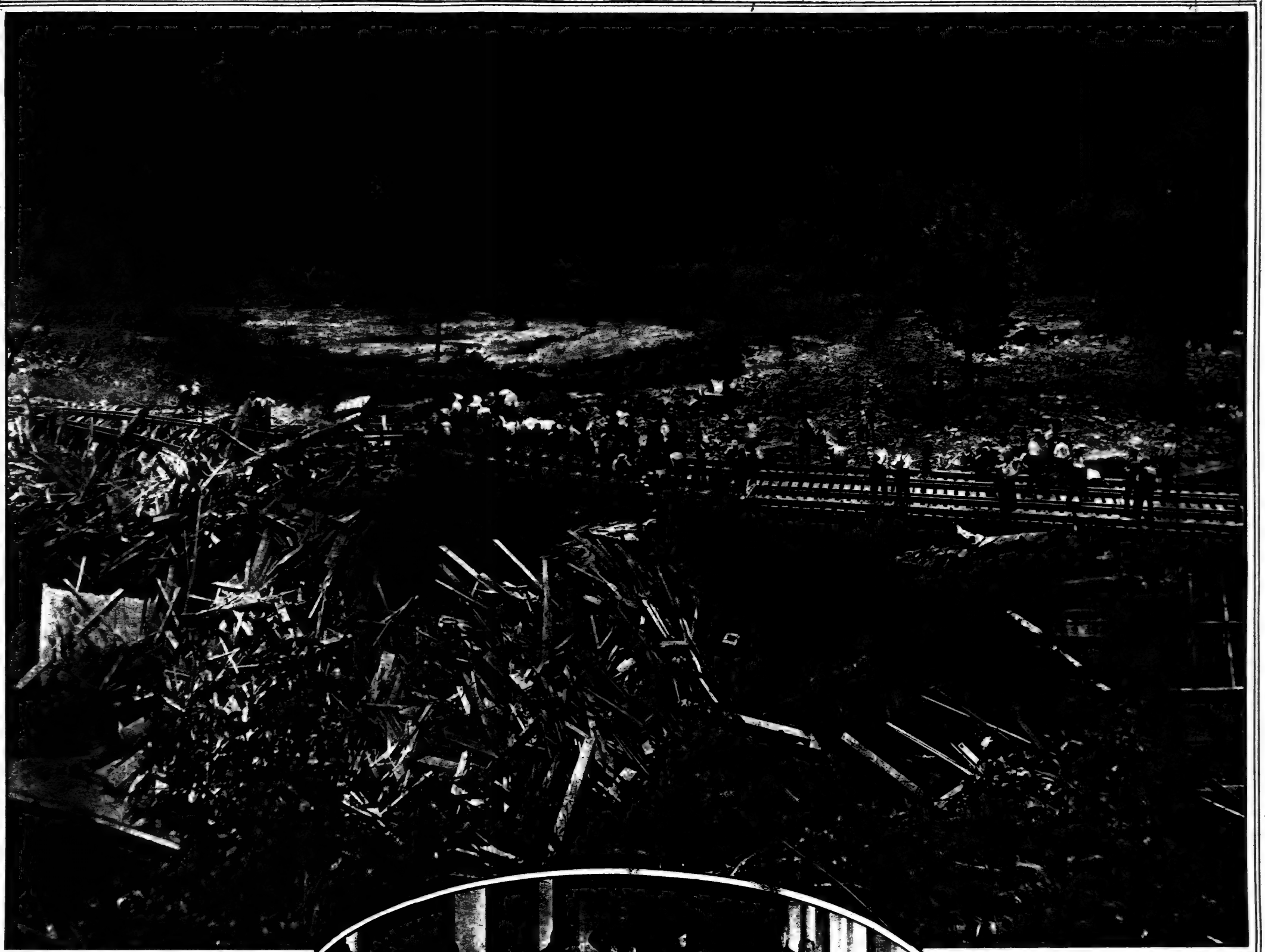


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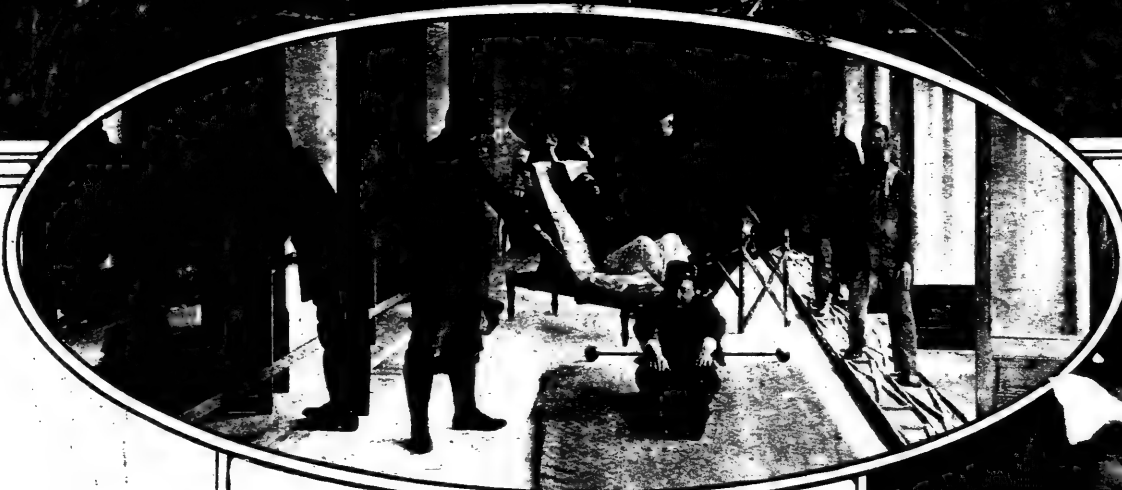
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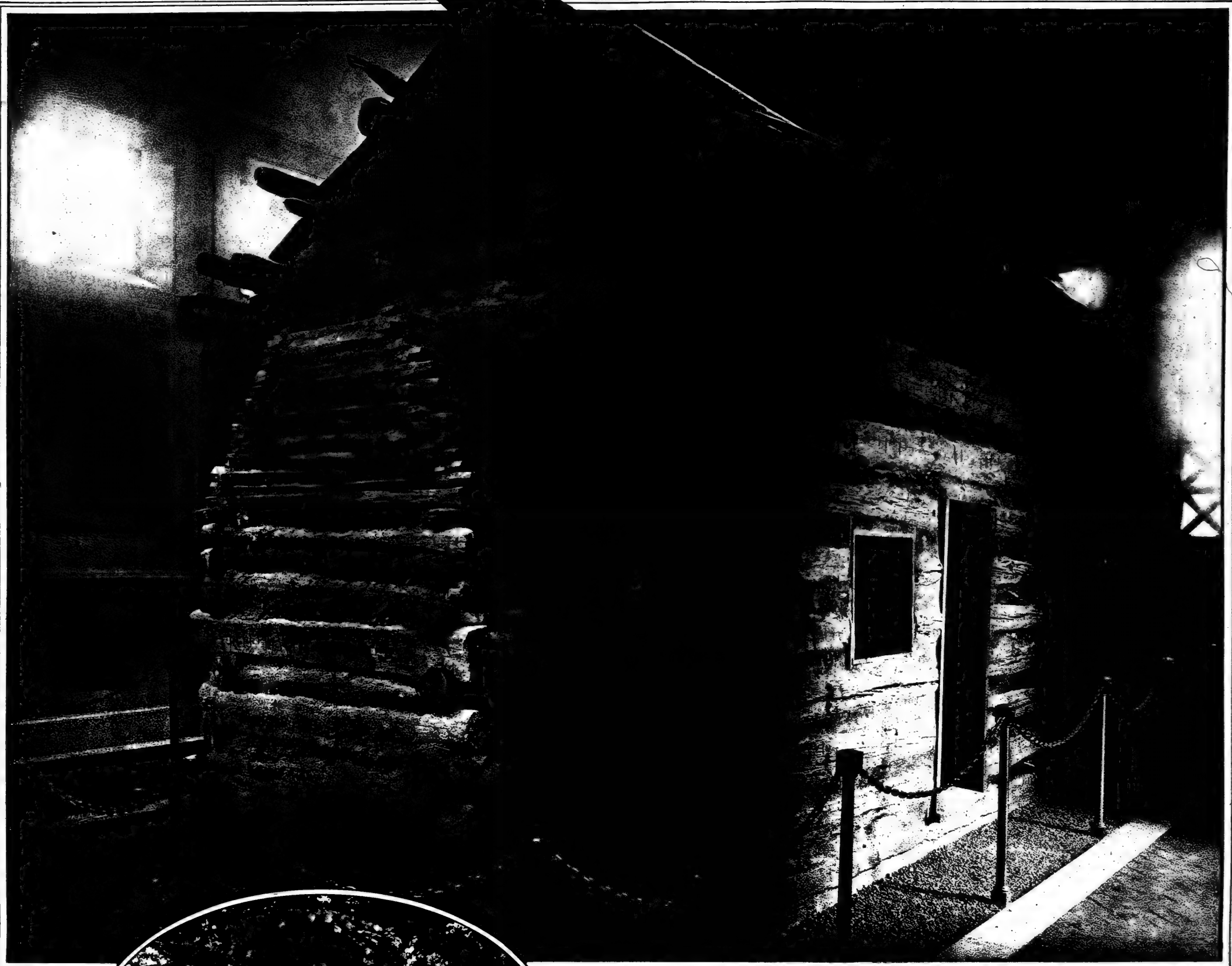
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MISS DOROTHY L. NORRIS, Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred E. Norris, Philadelphia, at the Newport Dog Show with Her Russian Wolfhound, Sonia. (Photo © Underwood & Underwood.)



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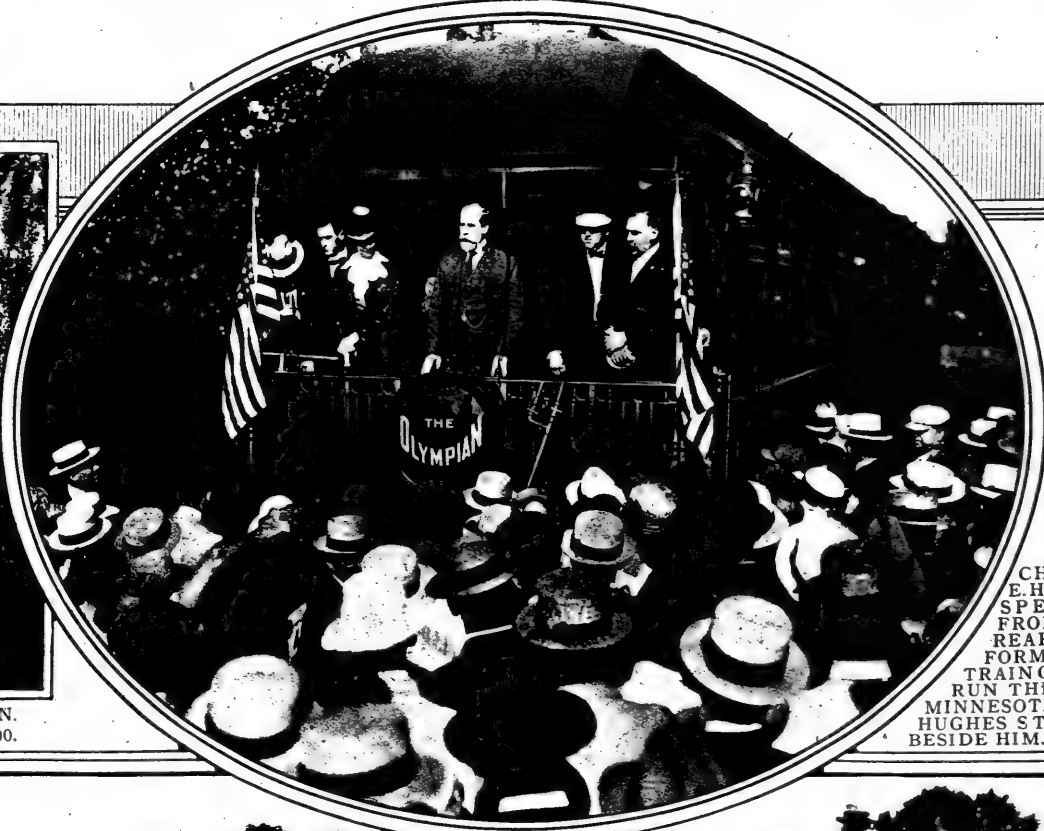


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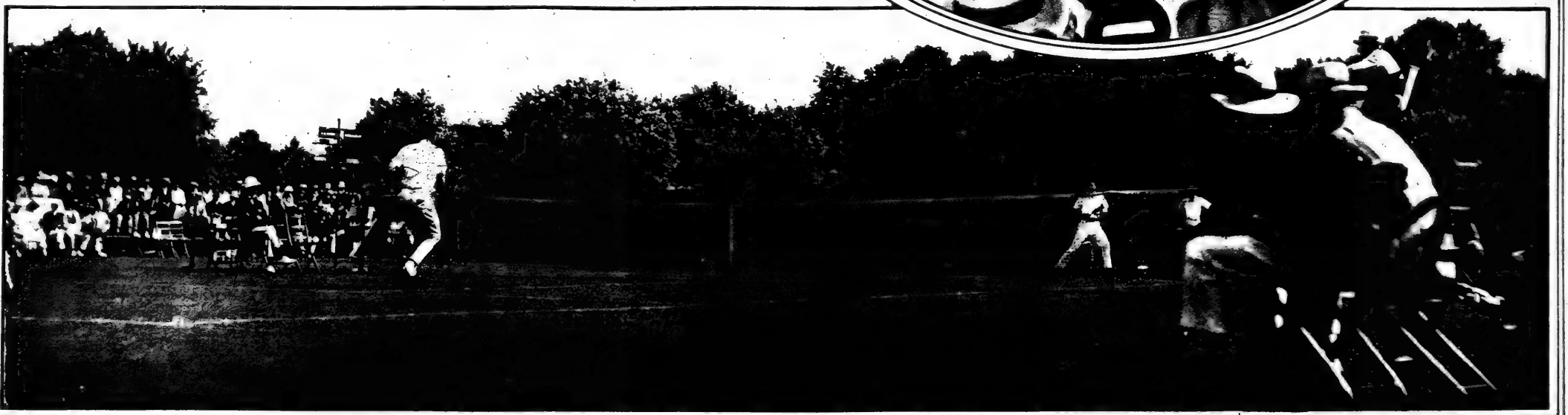
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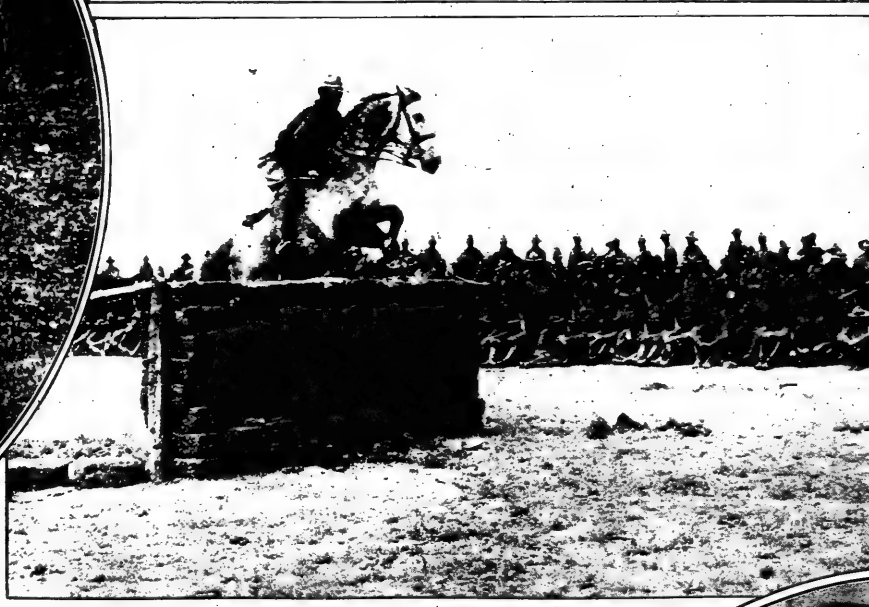
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Royal Children of Spain Feeding the Chickens in the Courtyard of King Alphonso's Palace. In the Group Are, Left to Right: Princess Beatrice, Princess Maria Christina, Prince Juan, and Prince Gonzales. (Photo by Underwood & Underwood.)



Lieut. George T. Patton, U. S. A. Taking a Hurdle Built of Adobe Blocks at the American Soldiers' Field Day in Mexico. (Photo © Underwood & Underwood.)



Majorie Rambeau and Cyril Keightley in "Cheating Cheaters," at the Eltinge Theatre. (Photo by White Studio.)



FINISH OF THE RACE RUN BY ARMY MULES AT THE FIELD DAY HELD RECENTLY BY AMERICAN SOLDIERS IN CAMP IN MEXICO. (Photo © Underwood & Underwood.)



THE DOLLY SISTERS, YANSCI AND ROSZIKA, In "His Bridal Night," at the Republic Theatre. (Photo by White Studio.)



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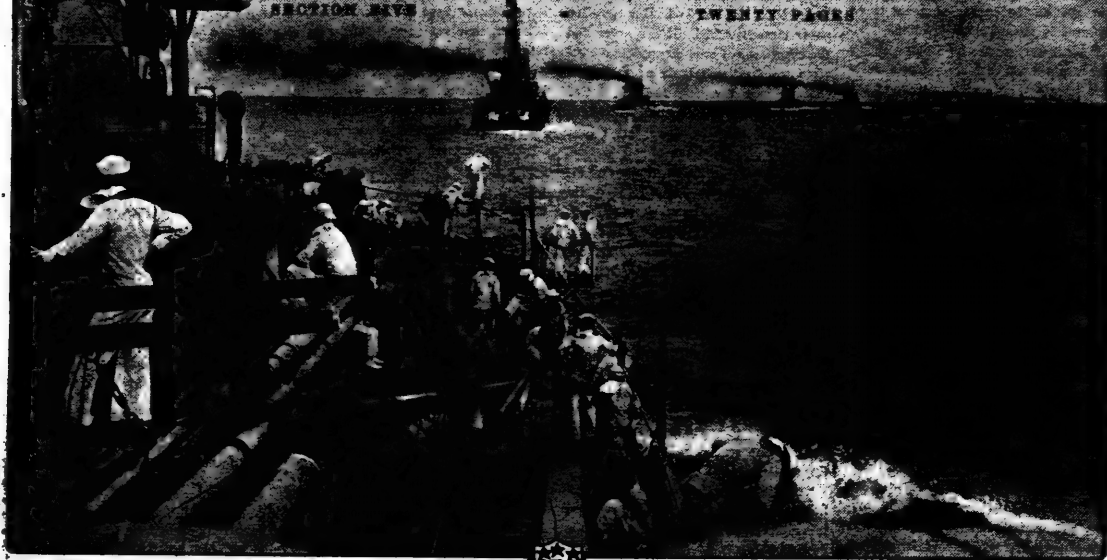
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Politics the Foe of Preparedness

"The Dangerous Enemy of the United States Is Not Germany or Japan; It Is the American Politician"

The following frank and vigorous interview with Rear Admiral Bradley A. Fiske, who deals with vital necessities of the American Navy, is particularly important in view of the Admiral's recent differences with Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy, followed by his retirement from the post of Aid for Operations.

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ican people to the fact that their national identity, that their future existence, even, among the great nations of the world, depends upon their naval

strength, there is still no marked appreciation of this fact.

"The history of the world justifies the statement that the real defense of

maritime nations is their naval power. It is no use building a few ships, making a number of expensive tools and neglecting a system of preparation for those who must handle them. It is no use luxuriating in the proprietary right of magnificent battleships and cruisers, unless we are prepared to use them skillfully when they are ready.

"We are today the fourth naval power in the world, which, if we remain so, means inevitable ruin to the country.

"The American people should be impressed with the fact that the art of war is not a long-lived nation ever neglected, and that now its chief line of action is toward providing a sound naval defense against envious or needy nations. It is all very well for pacifists to preach the doctrine of prosperous neutrality, but what are they going to do with their neutrality ideas when we are attacked by an enemy fleet? The very expedients for their defense, which they will surely demand, may be in a state of unpreparedness, which will bring disaster and shame upon their doctrines.

"After wasting years in self-satisfied assurances that we are so far removed from foreign nations that they would not trouble us, we are about to establish a competent office of naval operations; or, as it was once intended to be called, a General Staff; practically, a committee of naval officers of, more or less studious temperament, who will diligently work out the intricate problem of our defense from overseas attacks. The plan was recommended nearly two years ago; but it was condemned as a form of 'militarism' alien to the policy of this

THE dangerous enemy of the United States is not Germany or Japan; it is the American politician. It is not the open foe; it is the secret poison that reduces our power to repel the foe. It is not the army and navy of any foreign power, because we can raise an army and navy better than theirs; it is the politician who prevents our getting an adequate army and navy; who persuades the people that such an army and navy will cause a horrible thing that the politician calls 'militarism.' The nation can gain the victory over a foreign foe, but is powerless against the politician, 'the soulless politician,' as Whittier calls him, 'who gambles for office with dice loaded with human hearts.' Few men die by reason of external violence: It is internal disease that kills them. From the standpoint of national longevity politics is a disease.

"On the eve, as we are, of another political campaign, absorbed by the compelling subtlety and noise of a new political program, the United States Navy still endures its fate of dilatory national interest. In spite of all that could be done to direct the attention of the Amer-



*Rear Admiral
Bradley A. Fiske*

Why American Business Is Constantly Pounded

James A. Emery, Counsel for Council of Industrial Defense, Discusses Influences at Work in Congress and State Legislatures

THERE never was a time when it has been so easy to excite popular feeling against business; there never was a time when so many organized influences have been working to substitute laws of equalization for equal laws, to turn our States into social laboratories conducting experiments at the expense of the well-to-do and successful.

That is the present situation as summed up in a paragraph by James A. Emery, general counsel for the National Council of Industrial Defense. Mr. Emery's headquarters are at Washington, and it is his chief duty to watch industrial legislation introduced there. He also makes many trips in the same service to the various State capitals. He comes in close touch with the big business interests of the entire country. He is spoken of as "an unusual compound of expert in law and in business." There is, perhaps, no one in the country who has a better knowledge of the drift of industrial legislation, both national and State, and of its effect upon business.

I asked Mr. Emery for his diagnosis; I asked him why antagonism to business so constantly appears in our present-day legislation.

"The basic factors," he said, "are undoubtedly envy, discontent and suspicion. The extraordinary industrial growth of our nation since the civil war, the opening of new territory, the development of resources, the rapid increase in population—all these things have resulted in the creation of many big and sudden fortunes. Big and sudden fortunes not only inspire emulation, but also envy; they not only excite ambition, but also discontent. The wages of the average manual toiler, however high, are very naturally compared by him with the enormous rewards that go to the man who possesses and exercises those invisible qualities that contribute so greatly to the material development of our nation, but the nature and exercise of which are not so clear to the mass. And it is but natural for the manual toiler—which is the lot of the great body of our people—to feel, especially under the continuous flood of delusive doctrine poured into his ear, that somehow or other in the division of the products of industry he has become the victim.

"The extraordinary growth of our financial and industrial operations has been accompanied by an increasing complexity of process that has made it more and more difficult for the smaller, the rural, communities of the West and South to understand and appreciate the nature and operation of American business. The rise of great cities, with their extraordinary evidences of success and wealth, has created a feeling of jealousy among the more primitive communities and the suspicion that the great industrial centres are growing at the expense of the country.

"The shrewd self-seeker, who has perceived this condition and played upon it, has made matters worse. Unfortunately, the field has been left almost entirely to the demagogue; the business man too frequently has failed to play his part in making clear to his uniformed fellow-countrymen that the men employing the intricate methods of modern business are just as honest, and that their mode of doing business is just as clear and just as true, as those simpler and more familiar means of carrying on the nation's work that were used when the nation itself was a much simpler structure than it has become today.

"We need, and need as never before, systematic effort to create better understanding between industry and agriculture, the factory and the farm, city and country, so that each may realize that there is no antagonism, but only a community of interest not only in the preservation of a prosperity which each shares, but in the perpetuation of those sound principles of government economics without which none can succeed.

"At the present time there is a com-

plete circle of evil influences at work. There are envy, discontent and suspicion among a large part of our people; there are demagogues who are fanning these passions; politicians who are injecting them into our laws; and, to complete the circle, the business men, disgusted and exasperated with popular suspicion, unjust accusation and unfair legislation, have made the mistake of withdrawing from, instead of enlarging their contact with, the public and public affairs. Thus

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"When our Constitution was adopted in 1789 there were less than thirty corporations for profit in the colonies. Last year the Commissioner of Internal Revenue received returns from 300,000 corporations with a capital of over \$64,000,000,000, with a bonded indebtedness of over \$37,000,000,000, and a net annual income of something like \$4,500,000,000. All the great and necessary service of trans-

average carrier, the merchant and the manufacturer have come to the belief that those in control of the instrumentalities of government have been more interested in chastening than in assisting business.

"This condition, it seems to me, has been intensified—in no small degree by an increasingly prevalent and widely agitated belief in the statute as a social panacea. Every party, and indeed every community, has received the advice of popular political practitioners who sell from popular platforms every kind of social, economic and industrial nostrum for the ills that affect the body politic. Many have earned a handsome income by the extensive advertisement of their patent medicines; and others—thank God!—have lived to receive a swift discharge from an agonized but recovered patient. Statutes have been and still are being offered to communities and industries like pills to a patient, and by no means in small doses.

"Few people, I think, have any realization of the volume of American legislation. Professor Dicey, the great British student of parliamentary activity, has said that Congress and our States annually enact more legislation than is proposed by the combined Parliaments of Great Britain, Germany, Italy, France, and Austria, representing more than two and a half times our national population.

"In the last session but one preceding the outbreak of the present war, the British Parliament received 547 legislative proposals and enacted 239. The Sixty-third Congress considered 30,053 bills and joint resolutions and enacted 700. Between 1909 and 1916, our State and national assemblies enacted 78,748 new statutes. Forty-three Legislatures in session in 1914-15 exceeded the record of any preceding year by passing 16,222 bills, 1,066 of which were vetoed, 15,055 of which became statutes to be printed for the enlightenment of lawyer and layman upon some 43,500 pages. During the last seven years the people of the United States have received an average of 12,000 new statutes per annum, the fruit of probably not less than three-quarters of a million legislative proposals, dealing in no small part with production, distribution, finance, in every circumstance of conduct, supervision, employment and organization.

"To this body of ever-expanding regulation must be added an almost incalculable supplement of municipal regulations, assuming in the larger industrial communities exceptional proportions and critical significance. Nor is this restless tendency toward new law confined merely to regulatory proposals. With increasing frequency constitutional amendments are being proposed in Congress and the State Legislatures. The last and present Congress have received over 100 such suggestions, some of which would transform the very nature of our Government.

"Legislation naturally tends to express the dominant social and political forces in operation. This is clearly perceptible in the briefest analysis of the forces now in control of the legislative movements of Congress. The non-industrial States possess and exercise through their Representatives in the Chairmanship of the most important committees of either house the greatest influence in the shaping of law. 'I know not,' said Woodrow Wilson, in his work on 'Congressional Government,' 'how better to describe our form of government in a single phrase than by calling it a Government by the standing committees of Congress.' This is especially true in the lower house, for committees hold powers of life or death over nascent legislation. They live at first hand with the principles and facts at issue. They mold the measures which are ultimately approved, and, if caucus action is required, they are the most powerful factors in shaping its course. They present the measures which they report under rules limiting debate, and forbidding or limiting amendment; tab-



have they suffered not only from the malformation of public opinion prejudicial to their interests, but also from the manufacture of bad laws regulating the operation of their business, because they have not supplied the raw material of information out of which sound legislation might be manufactured.

"Nothing can illustrate more clearly the characteristic operation of these local and peculiar prejudices than the use that has been made of, and the attitude of mind that has been created toward, the term 'corporation.' A mere legal description, it has become upon the lips of some an epithet, and upon those of others an accusation and an indictment that often without a hearing amounts to a conviction of business wrong.

"The people do not realize the function of the corporation and the service which it performs in every department of American life; that it is as essential to the maintenance and development of American business in every form as the capital without which it could not operate or the customers without whom it could not be supported. The corporation in itself is simply a useful tool for assembling and directing in efficient form the combination of capital and labor to work the resources of civilization for private profit and social benefit. It is the one instrumentality through which many strangers in every part of a wide world can successfully and efficiently co-operate with other strangers, with a limited responsibility, and engage

portation by land and water, wholesale and retail merchandising, lumbering, mining, smelting and banking are generally operated in corporate form. Twenty-five per cent. of our manufacturing establishments, producing four-fifths of all our commodities, employing three-fourths of our wage-earners, and adding 77 per cent. of the values produced by manufacture, are corporations.

"I think it would be a conservative estimate to say that one out of every twenty families is an owner of and an investor in the stocks or bonds of some corporation. An investigation made in January of this year secured returns from 288 typical railroad and larger industrial corporations, owned by 1,461,427 stockholders whose average shareholdings were ninety shares, as compared with 157 shares ten years ago.

"Every possessor of a policy of insurance, every bank depositor, every stockholder and home owner, every participant in the philanthropies that minister to sickness and misfortune in the State and nation is directly interested in the maintenance of fair conditions for corporate life and operation; for whatever he has, be it little or great, is tied up in that endless chain of stabilizing influences that keep straight the flow of profitable investment and make sure the enlargement of productive industry.

"No intelligent man doubts that in a society like ours, in which rapid change is taking place, new legislation is a constant necessity; but I think the average business man, the representative of the

Government. In 3,000 years of the world's recorded history there have been 8,000 wars; so that it would seem as though the art of war must be tolerated, in spite of some objections. It is true that many people in our country do not want a military system; the harshness and inconvenience of military training are obvious; but we ought not to shut our eyes to the danger of going to an extreme in the opposite direction.

"All history shows us that no nation in the world has ever been able to maintain its greatness at the expense of the military idea. Nations that have tried to ignore the military art and cultivated the peaceful arts with too great exclusiveness have gone down. The three great nations in the world, France, Germany, and Great Britain, for 800 years, have maintained a carefully balanced relation between the civil and military. One of the best illustrations of the importance of keeping alive the military art is in the case of Constantinople, which stood for a thousand years, from about 450 to 1450 A. D., defying attacks of all kinds, on account of her strategic situation, but also because of her maintenance of a continuous, active military force. It is this balance that every great nation must maintain; otherwise, she is effaced in one way or the other.

"I believe this question of so-called 'militarism' is the most important subject before the country today. Greece lasted only 150 years; that is, she retained her independence only 150 years; because of her absorption in the arts of peace she let go the arts of war, and never recovered her independence until recently. There is great danger in neglecting the arts of war. War upholds ideals of national principle that are more important than political controversies. Perhaps it is because the army and navy with their higher purposes of national stability have so impressive an influence upon public opinion, that they are hated by politicians and condemned by them as embodying 'militarism.' Navy officers see the navy as a fighting unit; politicians see the navy as a means for furthering their own political aspirations.

"It is not the custom for officers in the service to vote, but the ways of the politicians are not unknown to us, and in my opinion there has been a political hold on the army and navy in America that has squeezed the life out of them. Politicians are devoted to their professional task of getting votes, and the navy with its expensive budget and its shipyards crowded with voters has been caught in the vortex of political intrigue and political ambition. Enormous sums of money are involved in naval affairs, and the politicians seek its influence.

"But the time will soon come, if it is not here already, when the interference of politicians with the purer arts of national defense will arouse the United States to a protest that cannot be ignored.

"War is inevitable with every nation; it must come to us some day. The secrecy with which it menaces us is really no secret at all except to those who insist that there will be no war. When the great European conflict is over the nations now fighting will shake hands. They will all be friends among themselves, but not with us. The prevalence of European war and European antagonisms has been the real cause of our own security. When this war is over we shall be fair game for any or all of them.

"In case of an attack against us on the Atlantic or the Pacific the navy will be our only safeguard. In such a crisis the best our navy could do now would be to make a courageous demonstration of its unpreparedness. Attack would come suddenly. It would probably occur on the Atlantic Coast, where our most

vital commercial interests are concentrated. In two weeks an enemy fleet would cross the Atlantic. We should have no knowledge of where they would first appear. We should only know that they had started.

"It is certain that such an encounter would be the first actual experiment in serious war that the modern United States Navy has ever had. Our navy has never even mobilized. It has never had the experience of even attempting a complete mobilization. It is a grave fact that we have to admit that the United States Navy is the only considerable sea power in the world that has never been put to the necessary test of mobilization. The reason for this is not that naval officers have not been eager to ascertain by mobilization our actual degree of preparedness, but because politics has prevented it. Mobilization would show not only our material preparedness, but our degree of mental and even spiritual preparedness, for there is a spiritual requirement in the art of war that popular opinion about our army or our navy has not understood. So long as politics continues to dominate the army and navy, so long this condition of misunderstanding about 'militarism' will prevail among the people and the resulting danger will continue.

"National preparedness is not a political undertaking, it is just the reverse; it is military, straightforward and frank. **PREPAREDNESS AND POLITICS ARE ENEMIES.**

"The sight of our Atlantic fleet lying pleasantly at anchor in one of our own harbors is a picturesque inspiration, no doubt. There is no machine in the world so complicated and so impressive as a battleship. Her potential energy in actual conflict is equal to 60,000 muskets. But she needs brains to manage her. All the mechanical perfection of her complex organism is but a useless mass of steel and brass unless she and the navy of which she is a part are directed by skillful strategy.

"The guide to harmonious energy and efficiency in naval defense is strategy. We have been accustomed to use the word in a restricted sense, in its relation, let us say, to political campaigns. We have devoted our public interest to the strategy of political warfare rather than to the strategy of possible national warfare.

"The late Fred T. Jane, England's noted authority on naval matters, wrote in *The Military Historian and Economist* for July, 1916, an article called 'The American Navy as a Line of Defense.' This was the last article he ever wrote, and in it appeared the following striking sentences: 'In my opinion, the United States Navy is a line of defense for the politicians first and the nation afterward. . . . Till war comes that is a useful line—but given war, what then?'

"It is well to remember that the politicians cannot help us in the event of attack from an enemy fleet. We shall have to depend upon the much-misunderstood art of strategy in this country to defend us. Political strategy has no knowledge of military strategy to contribute to our defense; in fact, it is antagonistic.

"These are issues that naval officers have understood and marveled at for years. They have been well aware that our navy differs from the other great navies in matters of military efficiency and independence of politics. They have submitted to conditions with silent obedience, according to the rules of the service. In my capacity as Aid for Operations I was, of course, brought into closer touch with the efficiency of our navy and that of other navies than any other person; and the dire peril in which a war with a great naval power would

place us was forced on my attention by the facts of the Vera Cruz and Tampico incidents, and by the difficulty of seeing what we could do if a great war hit us.

"I do not share the fear of some, of immediate entanglement with the European powers now at war. The British fleet and the antagonisms of European powers (not the 3,000 miles of ocean) have hitherto kept us safe. I realize, however, that our navy, in order to be ready to meet a modern navy, needs a more scientific system of preparation than the Naval War College and the excellent efforts of the Naval General Board have produced. We must go beyond getting college training and must utilize college training in preparing for war; and we must expand our academic efforts to a development of the art of strategy that will render it accessible and practical in time of need. For that reason I urged on Congress during two sessions the appointment of fifteen assistants to the Chief of Naval Operations. I understand that this Congress has adopted this measure, and the fifteen will work out the problems of attack and defense and will submit to the Secretary of the Navy, and through him to Congress, actual naval programs prepared by naval experts.

"The German Navy has long had a similar organization and has filed away complete charts and information concerning tentative naval attacks on nearly every maritime nation in the world. It is today the second naval power in the world, and it has accomplished this, roughly speaking, in about twenty years. We have been trying for 140 years, but we have been far outstripped by Germany.

"I do not believe that we could be beaten because of inferiority of the brains we have in the service, but because we have not prepared. In war we would start with a handicap which the wonderful speed of the European fleets would probably make prohibitive. The criticism which my efforts brought upon me for proposing a 'General Staff' of officers charged with the duty of developing strategical plans for war resulted in changing the name, but not the purpose. The first draft of a proposed organization for the office of Chief of Naval Operations was drawn up by Congressman Hobson and me, and agreed to by six naval officers of high rank, who were so impressed with the necessity for the measure that they cheerfully took the official risk of assisting to frame it. I have recently written to them asking consent to publish their names. Two of these officers have consented, the other four have not done so. Their spiritual support of the measure, however, has not relaxed.

"In reply to your question as to why I resigned my position as Aid for Operations I will reiterate what I said before the Naval Committee last March, that I resigned because I differed with the Secretary as to preparedness. A few days later the Secretary testified that I was not in harmony with the department, and that he would have asked me to resign if I had not done so.

"But my personal affairs are not the issue; the real issue is preparedness, and the necessity for a general staff in directing right all steps toward preparedness. This issue should not be insulted by being called 'important'; it is vital.

"The European war has given us all the evidence necessary to demonstrate our needs. Not as a matter of academic interest, not as a fact merely to be mentally accepted and not acted on, but as a matter of practical urgency we see that unless we undertake certain definite activities at once we shall go down as the French army did in 1870 because we are not ready.

"The other great navies of the world have all followed the lead of Germany in the matter of preparedness, and it has been the lament of American naval officers that we have not. It is well known that other great navies have adopted in more or less modified form the idea of the German General Staff, but that we have continued to follow the method that we had been using for practically a hun-

dred years, without trying to adapt it to modern conditions. We grant that we established our Naval War College before other nations did, but our War College has always been regarded somewhat too academic, and on that account many of its teachings have been almost ignored.

"Our War College had always insisted that the navy must have a General Staff, and yet we have been unable to get a General Staff. Officers have realized that as a result there has been little continuity in the aims of the department of the fleet. Each successive Secretary of the Navy and each Commander in Chief of the fleet consequently has gone ahead according to his own ideas, regardless of the ideas of his predecessors. Having lived in times of peace, this go-as-you-please management of the navy brought about no great disadvantage to our national honor; but officers have all the time realized that if war should come with a real military power we should never be ready in time to fight successfully. **WHAT DOES THIS MEAN?**

"It might be just as well, therefore, that we disabuse our minds of certain civilian prejudices to military terms. When it was first recommended to establish a committee of officers who would be in effect a General Staff the name gave offense to some people. In the desire to avoid offense to this prejudice among some civilians inspired by politicians the term 'General Staff' has not been adopted; an actual General Staff has been secured by the narrowest of margins. The full House Committee divided half and half on the question, and it went through only because the subcommittee recommended it. The trouble is due somewhat to misinformation as to the intent and character of a General Staff. When the term 'General Staff' is used by American officers it means only a body of specially trained officers to develop and carry out certain war plans, headed by a Chief of Staff. Such a committee, on a scale, however, far too limited for our national needs, is at the present moment doing General Staff work for the navy. Our present need is a great many more assistants than we have, selected from officers not below the rank of Lieutenant Commander or Major of Marines, such as the present appropriation bill provides for, I believe.

"The underlying principles of strategy as expounded by the strategists of the past have been found to apply to modern times. But the history of mankind has not been finished, the direction for national progress has not been changed, and the unprepared and weak still go down before those who are prepared and strong. All nations lay great stress on the preparedness of their navies. All great nations except us have large bodies of reserves. Not reserves merely on paper, but in fact, existing not only as individuals, but as organizations of men. Service in the reserve is obligatory in all these nations, and not only service, but abundant practice. In our country we have no reserve worthy of the name, and we have been trying for thirty years to get it.

"The idea of military and naval men is to recognize that in our country the underlying idea of our Government is not to put the military over the civil, but at the same time to prevent harm being done by the civilian official who does not quite have the proper conception of the weight of the various military factors. A General Staff is an aid to accomplishing this since the foundation of naval preparedness is a correct understanding of the science of naval strategy, which a General Staff adapts into an art. The authority of the General Staff has nothing to do with influencing governmental policy. Its office is one of obedience to whatever may be the policy of the Government in regard to war to adapt a strategy to that policy's demands. It is not its business to prescribe a policy, it is its business so to plan that the navy can carry out the policy.

"The effect of the Naval Appropriation bill will be good unless the action taken has come too late. It will take at least four years for the units of personnel and material to become effective factors in the fighting fleet, and before the new General Staff can become trained in their strategic duties; meanwhile the world is moving rapidly, especially the fighting world. In the opinion of naval officers the additions of this bill should have been provided for years ago."

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Dublin Post Office and Ruined Buildings Near It Just After the Rebels Had Been Ousted by British Troops.

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which landed on top of the door. All the other houses held by the rebels had been burned to the ground, and the people who had been in them had gone to the Post Office, where there were now at least 400 men.

"The Post Office burned all day Friday, and late in the afternoon it was decided that it must be abandoned. First Father Flanagan, who had been there all the time, and the girls and a British officer—a Surgeon Lieutenant, who had been doing Red Cross work, were sent to Jarvis Street Hospital through an underground passage. Then all the able-bodied men and James Connolly (who had broken his shin) tried to force their way out of the Post Office, to get to Four Courts, where the rebels were still holding out. They made three charges. In the first charge O'Rahilly was killed. In the second many of the men were wounded. In the third the rebels succeeded in reaching a house in Moor Lane back of the Post Office. There they stayed all night. They had only a little food and their ammunition was almost exhausted. So on Saturday they saw that further resistance was useless, and that they ought to surrender, in order to prevent further slaughter.

"There were three girls with the men. They had chosen to attend Commandant Connolly when the other girls were sent away. One was now sent out with a white flag to parley with the British officers. At first she received nothing but insults, but eventually she was taken to Tom Clarke's shop, where the Brigadier General was stationed. Tom Clarke was a great rebel leader, one of the headquarters staff, so it was one of the ironies of fate that the General conducted his negotiations for the surrender of the rebels in his shop.

"Well, the Brigadier General told this girl to bring Padraic Pearse to him. Pearse came to him in Clarke's shop and surrendered. Pearse made the remark that he did not suppose it would be necessary for all his men to come and surrender.

"But how," said the General, "can I be sure that all your men will lay down their arms?"

"I will send an order to them," said Pearse. And he called to him Miss Farrell, the girl who had been sent to the General, and asked her would she take his message to his men. She said she

would, and so she took the note that he gave her to the rebel soldiers that were left alive, and they laid down their arms.

"There are a few things," said Moira Regan, "that I'd like every one in America to know about this rising, and about the way in which the British officers and soldiers acted. When the rebels surrendered they were at first treated with great courtesy. The British officers complimented them on the bold stand they had made, and said they wished they had men like them in the British Army. But after they had surrendered they were treated in the worst possible way. They were cursed and insulted, marched to the Rotunda Gardens, and made to spend the night there in the wet grass. They were not given a morsel of food.

"The man chiefly picked out for insult was Tom Clarke. He was very shamefully treated—it was a great contrast to the way in which the British officers spoke to him at the time of his surrender.

"The next morning the prisoners were marched to Richmond Barracks on the other side of the city from the Rotunda. One of the prisoners, Sean MacDiarmuid, was very lame, but was obliged to march with the rest. And on the way the crowds of English soldiers in the streets kept shouting, 'Shoot the dogs! What's the use of taking them any further?'

"Now, all the headquarters staff had surrendered. Notice was sent around that a truce had been arranged. The priests had arranged this. Miss Farrell was sent around in a motor car with Pearse's note calling on all the rebels to surrender. Now, most of the fighting stopped, except for sniping from the roofs, and for some heavy fighting at Ring's End, which continued for two days.

"The treatment of the prisoners in the jails was horrible. Many of the men arrested were not at all in sympathy with the Sinn Féin movement. The British arrested every one who had advocated the restoration of the Irish language, or had lectured on Irish literature, or had worked for the cause of Irish manufactures—they arrested every one, indeed, who had been conspicuously associated with anything definitely Irish.

"In one small room eighty-four prisoners were kept for two weeks. For two days they were not permitted to leave the

room at all for any purpose. For thirty-seven hours they were without food. Then some dog biscuits were thrown in among them and they were given a bucket of tea. Later they were taken out of the room once a day. All their money was taken from them, but a few of them managed to hide a shilling or so, which they used to buy water of the soldiers.

"After the court-martial they were taken to Kilmainham Jail. There they were put into the criminal cells, without even plank beds. I went to visit one of the leaders, a particular friend of mine, and there was in his cell a blanket and a coverlet—nothing else at all.

"The night before they were to die the prisoners were left to write letters, and some of them were permitted to receive visitors for the first time since their capture. Padraic Pearse was not allowed to see any one. MacDonagh was not allowed to see his wife; he was allowed to see his sister, a nun. The food given them was scanty in quantity and poor in quality. On the morning that he was shot he was given for breakfast a little dry, uncooked cereal, with nothing to put on it.

"The prisoners were shot in the yard of Kilmainham Jail. Then the bodies were taken, in their clothes, outside Dublin to Arbor Hill Barracks and thrown into quicklime in one large trench. In every case the bodies were refused to the relatives of the dead men.

"One thing that would strike you about the conduct of the rebels was the absolute equality of the men and women. The women did first-aid work and cooking, and some of them used their rifles to good advantage. They just did the work that was before them, and they were of the greatest moral aid.

"About eighty women were taken prisoner and thrown into cells in Kilmainham Jail. There were no jail matrons; there was no one in charge of them but soldiers, who took every opportunity to insult them. They were not allowed to leave their cells for any purpose for two days. They were treated just as the men prisoners were treated. The women slept over the yard while the men were shot. They would be awakened in the morning by the sound of the quick march, the brusque command, and the sound of the rifles. One woman imprisoned in Kilmainham Jail was the Countess Plunkett."

Moira Regan was asked what advan-

tages had come to Ireland as a result of this insurrection.

"Well," she replied, "for one thing it has shown England that things in Ireland are not all right—that Ireland is not 'the one bright spot'—that Castle Government in Ireland is a perilous thing. It has made conscription in Ireland impossible. And had it not been for the rising we should have had conscription by now. And Ireland cannot spare any more men. As it is, a great many of the young men of Ireland joined the British Army, being led to do so by Redmond's urging and by the plea that Ireland should fight for Belgium, and that the small nations of the world should stand together. This was Redmond's great recruiting argument. I wonder how he reconciles this with the words he used to Asquith the other day in the House of Commons when he said: 'You betrayed Belgium, now you are betraying Ireland!'

"But the greatest result of the rising, the thing that will justify it even if it were the only good result, is the complete and amazing revival of Irish nationality. We have been asleep—we had been ready to acquiesce in things as they were, to take jobs under the Castle Government and to acquiesce in the unnatural state of affairs. But now we have been awakened to the knowledge that there is a great difference between Ireland and England, that we are really a separate nation. Even the people who were not in sympathy with the rebels feel this now.

"We have been living in a country that had no national life. And suddenly we were shown that we had a national life—that we were a nation, a persecuted and crushed nation, but, nevertheless, a nation.

"You cannot understand the joy of this feeling unless you have lived in a nation whose spirit had been crushed and then suddenly revived. I felt that evening, when I saw the Irish flag floating over the Post Office in O'Connell Street, that this was a thing worth living and dying for. I was absolutely intoxicated and carried away with joy and pride in knowing that I had a nation. This feeling has spread all over Ireland; it has remained and it is growing stronger. We were a province, and now we are a nation; we were British subjects, and now we are Irish. This is what the rising of Easter week has done for Ireland."

ing charge of them, supported by committee associates on the floor, they possess the largest amount of information, control the time and the speakers, and thus guide the measure through the House.

"Can it not be asserted as axiomatic that successful legislation requires the fullest understanding of the subject to be regulated? Will it therefore not be impracticable and unworkable in exact ordinances with inexperience, the unfitted, the lack of knowledge that the law-maker brings to his task?

"I assert as a legislative fact that the representation in the last Congress and in the present, most influential in shaping the policies under which present-day industrial America must live, and move, and have its being, is nonindustrial in its environment and in its inexperience and sometimes anti-industrial in its political attachment.

"This is an industrial nation. Industry has been the chief source of its material growth. Its development and attendant trade, with the accompanying educational advancement and financial standing, have made us one of the first business nations of the world.

"In 1820 10 per cent. of our population was engaged in industry; 83 per cent. in agriculture. Since that time the number of those engaged in agriculture has increased 600 per cent.; in manufacture 3,100 per cent. In 1915 the gross production of our farms was valued at more than ten billion dollars; of our factories at some twenty-four billion,

four billion more than the value of the combined production of manufactured commodities by Great Britain and Germany.

"The Sixty-third Congress enacted a series of anti-trust acts regulating not only the operation and relationship of industrial combinations to each other, but the conduct of their employees during industrial disputes, undertaking to limit the judicial protection for life and property under such circumstances. That legislation was inspired, shaped and pressed by the Representatives of nonindustrial constituencies with the least understanding and experience with and stake in the critical problem at issue. The Sixty-third Congress was composed of 435 members, the majority party possessing 290. Of these 165 were from Northern and Western States in which the urban or industrial population outnumbered the rural about eleven million. One hundred and twenty-five were from Southern States, with an industrial and urban population of approximately six million, and a rural and nonindustrial population of substantially twenty-three million. One hundred and sixty-five would seem to be a majority over 125, and you would therefore say that in the dominant party the industrial States were more than amply represented in control. But it must be remembered that important legislation is not made on the floor of either house, but in the great committees. Of the 125 members from the nonindustrial States thirty-four were Chairmen of the most important of the fifty-

eight committees of the House, excepting only Appropriations, Mines, and Pensions. That situation is substantially true in the present Congress.

"In the Senate, in the last Congress, as in the present, the same nonindustrial States possessed the Chairmanship of the Committees on Appropriations, Banking and Currency, Claims, Commerce, Conservation of Natural Resources, Education and Labor, Finance, (which handles the tariff question,) Immigration, Judiciary, National Banks, Naval Affairs, Patents, Post Office, Public Buildings and Grounds, Public Health and Quarantine, and Rules.

"In the Sixty-third Congress the tremendously important Federal Trade Commission act was in charge of a Senator who represented a State which contains less than one-tenth of 1 per cent. of the wage-earners of the United States, and contributes less than 1 per cent. of our industrial production.

"The twelve leading industrial States of the Union—California, Indiana, Illinois, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, New York, New Jersey, Ohio, Pennsylvania, and Wisconsin—neither contributed to the membership of the subcommittee of the House which first formulated the trust legislation, nor, with a single exception, were those States represented in the majority of the conference committees of the House or the Senate which practically remade the Trade Commission and Clayton acts. Yet those twelve States hold a dominant interest in American industry. Their

production is the largest factor in American wealth, the largest maker of employment for American labor. They possess three-fifths of our voters, 50 per cent. of our population, 50 per cent. of our farm values, five-sixths of our wage-earners, produce three-fourths of our manufactured products, and in 1915 contributed to the support of our Government approximately \$305,500,000 of the \$415,500,000 of internal revenue tax; \$35,000,000 of the \$41,000,000 personal income tax; they are the home of 102,000 business corporations of the 174,000 with taxable incomes; and they hold in their banks \$4,000,000,000 of the \$5,000,000,000 odd of the saving deposits of the country.

"These States, politically inconsequent in originating and molding the rule of business life under which they must operate, possess 230 of the 438 Representatives. They hold the vast industrial wealth-making majority, yet they are politically a minority in actual legislative influence.

"The severest restrictive regulation of industry and commerce was formulated by a majority representation and influence, which, however able, well intentioned and sincere, were qualified by neither experience, environment, or knowledge to fix the rule for the development of industrial life. On the contrary, by the inevitable law of human nature, they have written into that statute a native prejudice against large things because of their size, against industrial things because of their nature, against corporate things because of their name."

Irish Girl Rebel Tells of Dublin Fighting

Moira Regan. Now Here, Served in Post Office, the Headquarters of the Irish Republic, and Carried Dispatches for the Leaders

By Joyce Kilmer.

MOIRA REGAN is a slight, gray-eyed girl. There is a charming flavor of County Wexford in her manner and in her voice. But back of her gray eyes and charming manner there is a depth of tragic experience. For Moira Regan has worked night and day in a beleaguered fort, has breathed air redolent with gunpowder, and heard the groans of men torn by shot and shell. She has seen her friends led away to death, their bodies to be thrown into a pit of quicklime. Moira Regan took part in the uprising in Dublin last Easter week, and did active service in the Post Office, which was the headquarters of the forces of the Irish Republic. She is now living in New York.

She tells of her experiences quietly, without gesture and without emotion. But her voice is vibrant with restrained passion when she tells of the deaths of Padraic Pearse, Joseph Plunkett, Thomas MacDonagh, and James Connolly, and there is a strange fire in her gray eyes when she speaks of the April evening when for the first time she saw the flag of the Irish Republic floating on its staff at the head of O'Connell Street.

Here is Moira Regan's story. It is more than the narrative of an eyewitness—it is the narrative of a friend and fellow-worker with Plunkett and Pearse and MacDonagh—of one who shared with them the hopes, ambitions, perils, and pains of their brief but great adventure.

"At 6 o'clock on the evening of Easter Monday I went down O'Connell Street to the Post Office," she said. "But that was not my real entrance into the affairs of the uprising. You see, I belonged to an organization called Cumann na Mban—the Council of Women. We had been mobilized at noon on Monday near the Broad Stone Station, being told that we'd be needed for bandaging and other Red Cross work.

"But late in the afternoon we got word from the Commandant that we might disperse, since there would not be any street fighting that day, and so our services would not be needed. The place where we were mobilized is three or four blocks from the Post Office, and we could hear the shooting clearly. There were various rumors about—we were told that the Castle had been taken, and Student's

Green and other points of vantage. And at last, as I said, we were told that there would be no street fighting, and that we were to go away from the Broad Stone Station and do what good we could.

"When I got to the Post Office that evening I found that the windows were barricaded with bags of sand, and at each of them were two men with rifles. The front office had been made the headquarters of the staff, and there I saw James Connolly, who was in charge of the Dublin division; Padraic Pearse, Willie Pearse, O'Rahilly, Plunkett, Shane MacDiarmid, Tom Clarke, and others sitting at tables writing out orders and receiving messengers.

"On my way to the Post Office I met a friend of mine who was carrying a message. He asked me had I been inside, and when I told him I had not, he got James Connolly to let me in.

"I didn't stay at the Post Office then, but made arrangements to return later. From the Post Office I went to Stephen's Green. The Republican army held the square. The men were busy making barricades and commandeering motor cars. They got a good many cars from British officers coming in from the Fairy House races.

"The Republican army had taken possession of a great many of the public houses. This fact was made much of by the English, who spread broadcast the report that the rebels had taken possession of all the drinking places in Dublin and were lying about the streets dead drunk. As a matter of fact, the rebels did no drinking at all. They took possession of the public houses because in Dublin these usually are large buildings in commanding positions at the corners of the streets. Therefore the public houses were places of strategic importance, especially desirable as forts.

"That night there was not much sleeping done at our house or at any other house in Dublin, I suppose. All night long we could hear the rifles cracking—scattered shots for the most part, and now and then a regular fusillade.

"On Tuesday I went again to the Post Office to find out where certain people, including my brother, should go in order to join up with the Republican forces. I found things quiet at headquarters, little going on except the regular executive work. Tuesday afternoon my brother took up his position in the Post Office, and my sister and I went there, too, and were set at work in the kitchen. There

we found about ten English soldiers at work—that is, they wore the English uniform, but they were Irishmen. They did not seem at all sorry that they had been captured, and peeled potatoes and washed dishes uncomplainingly. The officers were imprisoned in another room.

"The rebels had captured many important buildings. They had possession of several big houses on O'Connell Street near the Post Office. They had taken the Imperial Hotel, which belongs to Murphy, Dublin's great capitalist, and had turned it into a hospital. We found the kitchen well supplied with food. We made big sandwiches of beef and cheese, and portioned out milk and beef tea. There were enough provisions to last for three weeks.

"About fifteen girls were at work in the kitchen. Some of them were members of the Cumann na Mban, and others were relatives or friends of the Republican army which James Connolly commanded. Some of the girls were not more than sixteen years old.

"We worked nearly all Tuesday night, getting perhaps an hour's sleep on mattresses on the floor. The men were shooting from the windows of the Post Office, and the soldiers were shooting at us, but not one of our men was injured. We expected that the Inniskillings would move on Dublin from the north, but no attack was made that night.

"On Wednesday I was sent out on an errand to the north side of the city. O'Rahilly was in charge of the prisoners, and he was very eager that the letters of the prisoners should be taken to their families. He gave me the letter of one of the English officers to take to his wife, who lived out beyond Drumcondra. It was a good long walk, and I can tell you that I blessed that English officer and his wife before I delivered that letter!

"As I went on my way, I noticed a great crowd of English soldiers marching down on the Post Office from the north. The first of them were only two blocks away from the Post Office, and the soldiers extended as far north as we went—that is, as far as Drumcondra. But nobody interfered with us—all those days the people walked freely around the streets of Dublin without being interfered with.

"As we walked back, we saw that the British troops were setting up machine guns near the Post Office. We heard the cracking of rifles and other sounds which indicated that a real siege was begin-

ning. At Henry Street, near the Post Office, we were warned not to cross over, because a gunboat on the river was shelling Kelly's house—a big place at the corner of the quay. So we turned back and stayed that night with friends on the north side of the town. Our home was on the south side.

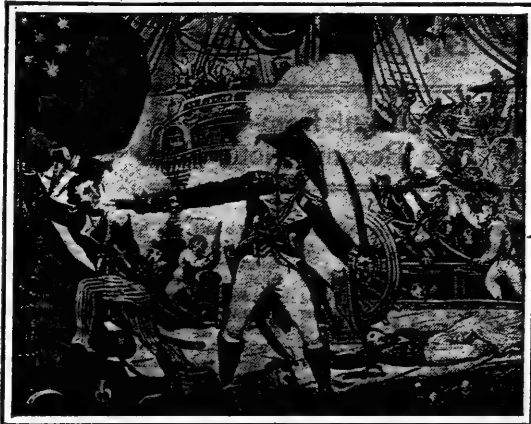
"There was heavy firing all night. The firing was especially severe at the Four Courts and down near Ring's End and Fairview. The streets were crowded with British soldiers; a whole division landed from Kingstown.

"That was Wednesday night. On Thursday we thought we'd have another try at the Post Office. By various ways we succeeded, after a long time, in reaching it and getting in. We found the men in splendid form, and everything seemed to be going well. But the rebels were already hopelessly outnumbered. The Sherwood Foresters had begun to arrive Tuesday night, and on Wednesday and Thursday other regiments came to reinforce them. Now, a division in the British Army consists of 25,000 men, so you can see that the British were taking the rising seriously enough.

"The British soldiers brought with them all their equipment as if they were prepared for a long war. They had field guns and field kitchens, and everything else. Most of them came in by Boland's Mills, where de Valera was in command. They suffered several reverses, and many of them were shot down.

"The chief aim of the British was, first of all, to cut off the Post Office. So on Thursday messengers came to Pearse and Connolly, reporting that the machine guns and other equipment were being trained on the Post Office. But the men were quite ready for this and were exceedingly cheerful. Indeed, the Post Office was the one place in Dublin that week where no one could help feeling cheerful. I didn't stay there long on Thursday morning, as I was sent out to take some messages to the south side. I had my own trouble getting through the ranks of soldiers surrounding the Post Office, and when I eventually delivered my messages I could not get back. The Post Office was now completely cut off.

"Thursday evening, Friday, and Saturday I heard many wild rumors, one insistent report being that the Post Office was burned down. As a matter of fact, the Post Office was set on fire Friday morning by means of an incendiary bomb



Paul Jones Shooting Lieutenant Grub for Attempting to Strike His Colors in an Engagement.

to future amity between the United States and his Court.

I shall be happy to see you here as soon as possible after you have the Admiral's answer, meantime pray excuse this trouble—I am, my dear Sir, with sentiments of esteem and respect, Your very obliged and obedient

Most humble servant,
(Signed) Jno. P. Jones.

The compliment was immediately accepted by the French officer, although neither he nor John Paul Jones knew that a treaty of alliance had been signed between France and America seven days before. This was the first salute received by the American flag from any power, and occasioned much debate in the English Parliament, according to the Parliamentary Reports for 1778.

Another autograph letter written by John Paul Jones from Europe in 1799 to the Hon. William Carmichael is in the collection, and shows that he had the welfare of the infant navy very much at heart. He criticised the way they were doing things home, and offered "to do any real service to the Common Cause, or any honor to the American flag without subjecting America to any expense."

In these days of million-dollar allied bazaars it is difficult to remember, without turning to page and volume, that we had a flurry with France in 1798, and that we were making after her frigates on the high seas, for a year or two thereafter, with short commands to surrender. In the modern Mexican affair we had the A B C Conference. In 1799 our troubles with the French Republic became known as the X Y Z correspondence. The French "Directory," enraged especially by Jay's treaty with England, got rid of one American minister by remonstrance, and drove out another (Pinckney) with contempt. When President Adams sent three special envoys—Gerry, Marshall, and Pinckney—they were expected to undertake the most delicate negotiations with certain semi-official persons designated in their correspondence by the letters, X, Y, Z. The plan of this covert intercourse came through the private secretary of M. de Talleyrand, then French Minister for Foreign Affairs; and the "impudence of these three letters of the alphabet" was so far as to propose a bribe of 1,200,000 francs, (some \$220,000), to be paid over to this Minister. The secret of these names was kept, but the diplomatic correspondence was made public and created much wrath in Europe as well as in America. The quotation is from T. W. Higginson's "Larger History of the United States."

War was not formally proclaimed, but treaties with France were declared to be no longer binding. Before an army was made ready naval hostilities had actually begun, and Commodore Truxton, in the United States frigate Constellation, captured a French frigate in West Indian waters on Feb. 9, 1799. The story of another naval battle is told in the "log of the United States frigate Boston, of thirty-nine guns, George Little, Esq., commander, by Stephen Clough, Lieutenant of the frigate." It was in that great day when sails were set and the ship bent under them, when there was less thought than now about speed. What the sailor wanted was the good old salt breeze, and the wind howling through the rigging. He preferred sails to ventilators, and was fonder of the wind

than his successor is of steam engines in the hold. It is impossible to look at the yellow sheets of the log without believing these things, or something like them. On Monday, Oct. 13, 1800, we find the following entry on a page headed "Occurrences, Remarks, Historical Events, &c., made on board the United States frigate Boston of thirty-nine guns, George Little, Esq., commander":

Steady breeze and pleasant begins, 4 p.m. got the ship clear for action at 4 1/2 past 4. Hoisted our colors and gave the chase a shot from the Bow Gun. She hoisted french Colours and fired a Gun to Windward and gave a number of her spars over board with one of her Boats and same time Shortened sail for Action at 1/4 before 5 p.m. came up with the Ship half'd her and ordered the Capt to Strike his Flag to the U. S. Flag the Capt of her reply'd that his Colours was too well made For'to haul Down—the Action immediately commenced and lasted till 24 minutes past 5 when the sails and the Rigger of Both Ships were so much Damaged it was impossible to work either ships in consequence of which we got too far from each other to do Execution, then all hands was employed in Repairing the Rigger to Commence the Action anew and at 9 p.m. Resumed the Action and lasted till 20 minutes past 10 p.m. when her Fore and Main Top Mast was shot away she struck her Colours to the U. S. Frigate Boston soon after her Fore and Main Mast went over the side sent Lieut Haswell & some men to take charge of the prize.

First Action 2 men Killed 1 wounded time of action 38'

second action 4 men killed 9 wounded time of action 120.

1 h. 30' time of action.

The log for the next day reads as follows:

This 24 hours begins light air pleasant W the ship proved to be the Leeward a National Corvette mounting 22 Long french 9 pounders and 2 twelve pounders, with 230 men at the commencement of the action Commanded by Louis Andre Senor, past Cap't from Cayenne on a Cruise out 24 Days, and taken 3 Americans & released two of them again—Employ'd Getting the Prisoners on board the Boston to the Number of 117—found the prize to have a number—33 Killed and 18 wounded in time of Action took prize in tow found our Masts Sails and Rigger Very much Damaged all hands Employed repairing the Ship—

Midnight Clear and pleasant.

There is a shadowy tradition, according to a writer in The Century Magazine for August, that Atossa, the beautiful and many-husband daughter of Cyrus, after whom Mr. Matthew Arnold named his murderous cat, was the first collector of autographs and autograph letters. A letter from Sterne, begging an insignificant loan, was recently sold in London for \$40; another from Goldsmith, bemoaning his poverty, for over \$30; and one from Burns brought twice the sum of his yearly salary in the exercise. It is not known how much Mr. Harbeck paid for them, but one of the most important features of his collection is represented by the private papers of Consul William Eaton, consisting of eight letter books, in which were kept a com-

plete record of letters both sent and received by him while he served the United States at Tunis. Eaton's books contain the diplomatic correspondence covering our interesting negotiations with that country during the period (1799-1805) in which he was stationed at Tunis.

There are a good many personal notes by Eaton, one to the effect that "War is inevitable"; also, an open criticism of Richard O'Brien, Consul at Algiers. There are some amusing entries of the bribes paid by Mr. Eaton to his Honor the Bey in gold and trinkets, and in one case he remarks that he has given his personal gun, which cost him \$150 in Philadelphia, for the delivery of some letters. There are thirty-five letters of A. C. Nisson, the Swedish Consul, who acted as United States Consul at Tripoli during the war; seventy-six letters of Richard O'Brien, dated from 1799 to 1804, giving such information regarding the state of his post at Algiers which he thought it was necessary for Eaton to know. One hundred and four letters are from James L. Cathcart, United States Consul at Tripoli from 1799 to 1802. Cathcart was a close friend of Eaton, and the letters indicate that he frequently advised the latter in

Geo. Read, Richard Henry Lee, and Sam'l Huntington.

What our forefathers construed to be their duty with regard to a question of international policy is found in the second paper of the Marine Committee, dated Aug. 22, 1776, in which instructions (signed by Robert Morris and George Walton in addition to the six men whose names are mentioned above) were issued to Commodore Hopkins, suggesting that "a fleet be dispatched to Newfoundland to destroy the British fisheries there; also, to make prize of every British ship or vessel they meet with and make prisoners of the fishermen." To quote further:

As it is highly probable that they may take more prizes than they can conveniently spare men to bring into port, it may be proper in such case to destroy them. . . . We have no doubt but they will take valuable prizes in the Gulf of St. Lawrence if the cruising ground is well chosen, and they must send their prizes for such of our ports as they will be most likely to reach with safety. . . . We deliver herewith some of the marine books, lists of Continental Agents in every State, and several of the printed Declaration of Independence. They may do well to notify the inhabitants of the French Islands of this declaration, and sound how the inhabitants stand affected toward us,

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Page from Log of U. S. Frigate Boston Detailing Fight with French Ship Le Bercan, Oct. 13, 1800.

an intimate way as to the course of action he considered it best for him to follow.

The American Navy came into existence shortly after the Declaration of Independence. As early as October, 1775, Congress had authorized the construction of two national cruisers, and, at the same time, appointed a marine committee to administer naval affairs. On Dec. 22 a personnel of officers was selected, one of the Lieutenants being John Paul Jones. Esekiel Hopkins was made Commander in Chief, but, having incurred the censure of Congress, was dismissed early in 1777, and since then the title has survived only in the person of the President.

In 1776 there was no office corresponding to that of Secretary of the Navy. All naval matters were referred to the Marine Committee, which was composed of eight men who were signers of the Declaration of Independence. The collection contains the original three documents, addressed to Commodore "Esek" Hopkins, the Father of the American Navy. The first is dated April 17, 1776, and consisted of detailed information of the strength of British vessels in American waters, with a view of distributing the few armed ships that we had at that time, to the points where they could do the most good. This is signed by John Hancock, Stephen Hopkins, Joseph Hewes,

assuring them the French Government favors our cause and will probably become our ally by treaty.

Mr. Harbeck was also fortunate enough to obtain a letter signed by Washington relating to a naval movement. This is in the handwriting of Alexander Hamilton and is dated at Elizabethtown, N. J., Dec. 4, 1778. It informs his commander at some point on the North River that the enemy has several ships and flat-bottomed boats moving with troops.

Benjamin Franklin is also represented here in a two and a half sheet letter written to the home Government from abroad under date of Dec. 15, 1783, asking for credentials of the representative of a party who claimed to be from the Morocco Government and wanted to make a treaty with the United States. A letter from John Hancock to Esek Hopkins authorizes that twenty of the heavy cannons taken at New Providence be forwarded to the City of Philadelphia for the protection of that place. This action is also authorized by Congress.

A few of the many important items among the autographs are a letter from Thomas Truxton, criticizing the building of the Constellation; one from Thomas Macdonough, dated from his ship Saratoga, at the Lines, Lake Champlain; Oliver H. Perry to Commodore Porter respecting a visit to New York to purchase ships for the navy; two highly important letters of Lafayette's; an early letter from Stephen Decatur, and a suggestion to the Confederate Congress by James D. Bullock, as Commander of the Confederate Navy, and signed by Jefferson Davis.

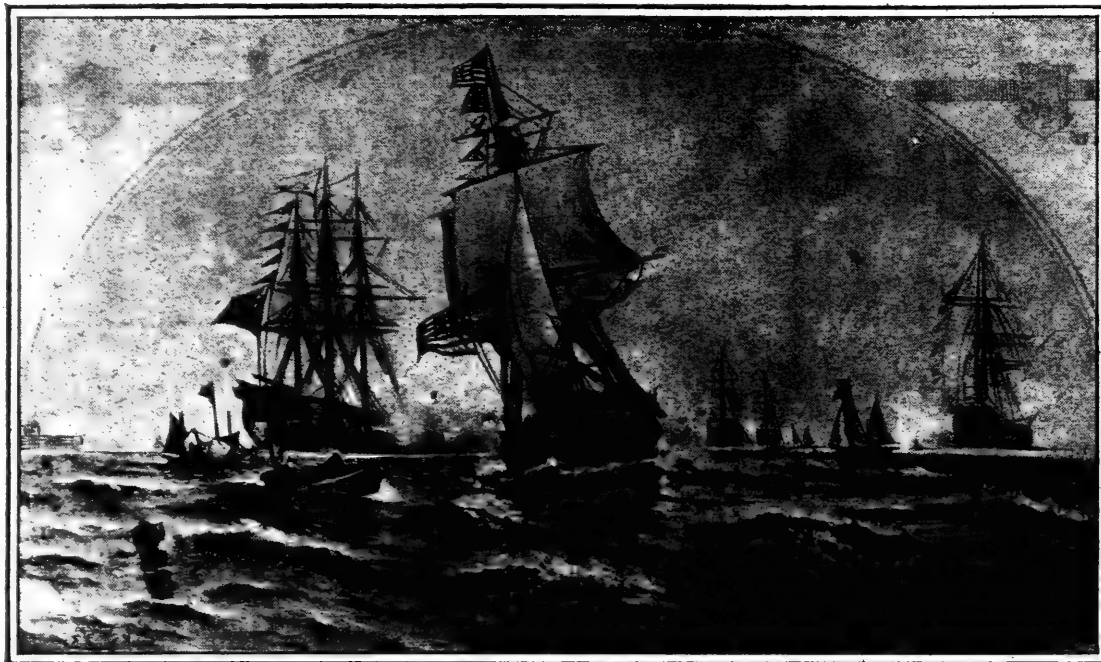
Many items must be unrecorded, but students of such mementoes will view with interest a gold medal that was presented by Congress to Edward Preble, who commanded the American Squadron in Tripoli, in appreciation of his gallant action. It weighs fourteen ounces and is of a purer quality than mint gold.

The Land of the Iron-Heart

By Chari Pitt.

THE blue star-gleam is shifting,
Where the polar snows are drifting—
A grim-faced god is sifting
The chaff from out the wheat,
The wild aurora streaming,
Will mingle with their dreaming,
While the ghostly miles are gleaming,
Where four winds of heaven meet,

The polar star will guide them,
And the spotless dunes will hide them
Where no thoughtless tongue can chide them,
If they fail to reach the goal.
So the night is full of yearning,
For the trail has no returning,
While the altar lights are burning
In the temple of the pole.



First Time in History That the American Colors Were Saluted by a Foreign Nation, Off Quiberon, France, Feb. 13, 1778.
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Famous Collection of Naval Relics Sold

Charles T. Harbeck's Autographs, Portraits, Books, and Documents Cover History of Our Navy from Its Humble Beginning

CHARLES T. HARBECK'S remarkable collection of naval autographs, documents, portraits, and rare volumes—the most complete and elaborate history of the American navy, according to some authorities—has just been sold to Max Williams, a New York art dealer. Mr. Harbeck, who lives at 306 Lexington Avenue, and has spent more than twenty years in making the collection, is the compiler of the "Bibliography of the History of the United States Navy," which he brought out in 1906 with the assistance of the New York and Boston Public Libraries. He has also extra-illustrated "Maclay's History of the United States Navy," published in 1908, expanding that work from two volumes to fourteen, which contain approximately 2,000 portraits, views, autograph letters, and original documents. These books appear in the collection.

The Harbeck Collection includes portraits of virtually all the prominent naval officers, and letters or documents signed by them. Each incident in the history of the navy is pictured. Important naval broadsides are a feature. In fact, the collection includes approximately 1,500 volumes, 46 naval medals, numerous historic prints, all of the papers of William Eaton, American Agent and Consul at the City and Kingdom of Tunis from 1799 to 1805, and a highly prized letter in the handwriting of John Paul Jones, requesting that his ship, the Ranger, be saluted by the French ships off Quiberon, France, in 1778—the actual slip of paper which obtained the first formal recognition of the American flag by a foreign nation. This letter, containing exactly 100 words, is valued at \$2,000.

And there is the log of the United States frigate Boston, in which is told with quaint capitalization and droll spelling, but a fine regard for truth withal, (the whole written in 1800 in ink that 116 years later retains its vigorous character,) the story of the fight with the French ship Le Berceau on a pleasant October evening. Six American sailors were killed and thirty-three of the Frenchmen. The fight was over at "20 minutes past 10 pm." The last entry for the day is "Midnight—Clear and Pleasant."

The John Paul Jones letter was written at an interesting period in the life of the new nation, and in the collection is a little book which tells how the famous sailor happened to go to France. To quote:

When General Burgoyne and his army were obliged to surrender at Saratoga, it was Paul Jones who was the first to carry this interesting intelligence to Nanta, whither he arrived on the second of December, 1777. In the course of his voyage he took two prizes, forming part of a convoy from the Mediterranean, under the protection of the

Invincible, a seventy-four gun ship, under the guns of which one of them was taken. In the month of January, 1778, he repaired to Paris to make the necessary arrangements with the American ministers, relative to the equipment of the Indienne, but, as the recent intelligence relative to the capture of Burgoyne had determined the Court of France to recognize the independence of America by means of a treaty of alliance, and as the English ambassador at The Hague, in consequence of obtaining possession of the papers of an American agent, found that the Indienne was the property of Congress, he acquiesced in the opinion of the American ministers, and it was determined to cede the

property to his Most Christian Majesty, this being the most likely method of preserving the ship and her stores.

The little book mentioned above bears the following title: "The Interesting Life, Travels, Voyages, and Daring Engagements of that celebrated and justly notorious PIRATE, Paul Jones: containing numerous anecdotes of undaunted courage, in the prosecution of his nefarious undertakings." According to the publisher, Thomas Tegg, of No. 111 Cheapside, London, the book was "written by himself," that is, by John Paul Jones. The title page bears the following verse:

—The pirate
Implying hears the captive's moans,
Or e'en a dying brother's groans:

Leaving Paris, Paul Jones returned on board the Ranger, and, as he had received information from America relative to the force and stations of the English fleet in that quarter, he immediately transmitted a letter to Mr. Deane, one of the American Agents at Paris, communicating the plan of an expedition, with a squadron of ten sail of the line, a few frigates, and a body of land forces, to destroy the enemy's naval power acting against the United States. This scheme was not adopted until it was too late, and then, of course, became impracticable.

In the meantime, Paul Jones took several American vessels under convoy from Nantz to the Bay of Quiberon, where M. La Motte Piquet was lying at anchor with six sail of the line, a few frigates, and several merchantmen, which he took under his protection to the westward of Cape Finisterre.

Jones reached the bay on Feb. 13, 1778, and immediately sat himself down to write the following letter, the original being one of the most valued items of the Harbeck Collection. The letter was addressed to William Carmichael, who represented the American Government at Quiberon:

Ranger 13th Feby, 1778, off Quiberon.

My dear Sir:

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I shall be happy to see you here as soon as possible after you have the Admiral's answer. Mean time pray excuse this trouble—I am, my dear Sir with sentiments of esteem and Respect Yours very obliged

Wm. Carmichael
William Carmichael

Letter by John Paul Jones That Resulted in the First Salute to American Colors by a Foreign Power.

War Is Teaching Us Not to Waste Human Life

Professor Irving Fisher of Yale Talks of Important Movements for the Compulsory Health Insurance of Industrial Workers

By Richard Barry.

WHILE Europe is wasting life let us learn to save life," said Irving Fisher, Professor of Political Economy at Yale University and President of the American Association for Labor Legislation, a few days ago in the offices of the association.

He then proceeded to explain for THE SUNDAY TIMES the meaning of the national movement toward the enactment of health insurance laws. This progressive movement is regarded as the second step in a comprehensive scheme for general social betterment, of which the first is the workmen's compensation legislation. For the past five or six years the workmen's compensation idea has been rapidly gaining expression in the organic law of the land, until now a majority of the States have favorable legislation on the subject. Health insurance is a newer (to America) and a more comprehensive expression of the same idea.

"That idea of American conservation of human life in face of the astounding European destruction of human life is sure to become fruitful soon in legislative expression and later in improved industrial conditions," said Professor Fisher. "I think the time is fully ripe for a profound and nation-wide agitation in favor of health insurance."

"A beginning has already been made. During the past year bills have been introduced in the New York, the Massachusetts, and the New Jersey Legislatures providing for compulsory health insurance of all industrial workers. At the same time commissions have been appointed in California and in Massachusetts to study the subject and to report to the Legislature. During the coming year it is evident now that at least twenty of the States will have introduced before their Legislatures health insurance measures."

I asked Professor Fisher what brought his attention to this subject.

"In the beginning, my own health," he said. "In 1898 I was condemned with tuberculosis and had to give up my work for three years and devote my life to saving it. Having recovered and having succeeded even in getting more working power than the average, and more than I had ever possessed before, I became impressed with the possibilities of health conservation. It also became apparent to me, as an economist, that any study of health is also a study of wealth."

"In 1908 it happened that I was appointed a member of the Roosevelt Conservation Commission, of which I wrote the special report on 'National Vitality.' Since then I have continued, so far as possible, to address myself to that problem."

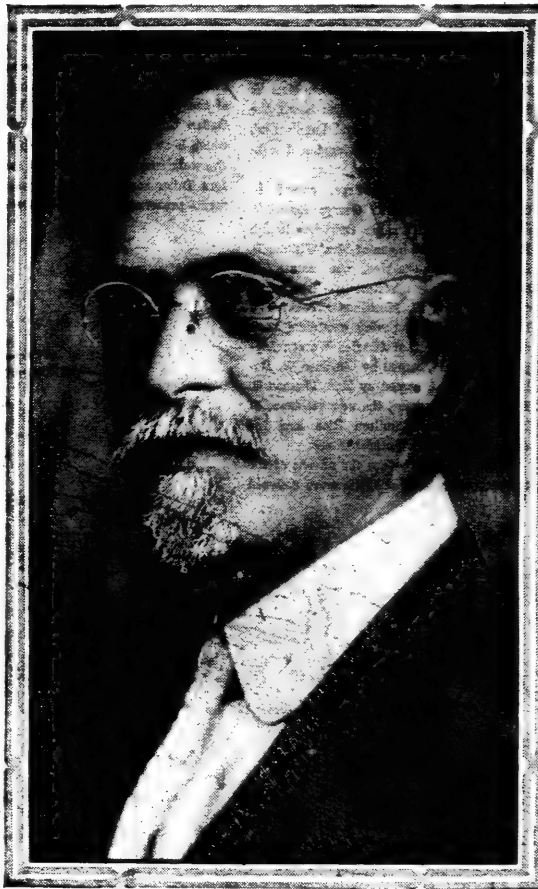
"I found, using the sources open to me as a member of the Conservation Commission, that there are each year in this country at least 600,000 unnecessary deaths, and that, all the time, there are 1,500,000 persons unnecessarily ill. Now this means that there is annually lost to this country (including capitalized earning power cut off) over \$1,500,000,000."

"What do you count as the difference between 'necessary' and 'unnecessary' illness?"

"I leave that," he answered, "to the experts in various lines who helped prepare the figures. For instance, in the case of death from typhoid fever, the general belief of those who know best indicated that at least 85 per cent. of it was preventable. Since this estimate was made a large amount of typhoid mortality has been prevented and, in some places, the reduction has been over 90 per cent."

"Some diseases are not known as preventable. For instance, cancer, which the degree of preventability in was put down at 0. Tuberculosis is preventable up to at least 75 per cent. Infantile paralysis would be put down as unpreventable, though methods of prevention are being constantly suggested and tried."

"The general upshot was to show



Professor Irving Fisher of Yale.

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that at least 40 per cent. of all deaths in the United States are preventable, and that a still larger percentage of illness may be prevented. It is harder to estimate the preventability of illness than that of deaths, but it is thought that a conservative estimate would be that 50 per cent. of the illness in the country is preventable. It is a fact that about 3 per cent. of the population is ill all the time, or that, on the average, each person is ill about ten days a year.

"Our national ideal of health is very low; not at all as high as was the ideal among the ancient Greeks, or what it is today among the Swiss or the Swedes, to say nothing of the Germans. These health insurance laws, I believe, will do a great deal to elevate that national ideal."

"What is the general nature of these laws?" I asked.

"They differ in different States, but all are fundamentally alike," replied Professor Fisher; "they aim to institute a compulsory system of insurance against sickness. We prefer the English term, 'health insurance,' to the German term, 'sickness insurance,' as being more positive, though what the laws actually insure against is sickness. We speak of life insurance, although it is death which is insured against. The proposed laws provide for the cost to be furnished two-fifths by the employers, two-fifths by the employees, and one-fifth by the State. These funds are to be administered to all wage earners during illness, in graduated degrees, but apportioned most liberally to those whose wages are the least, for they are the ones who are the most helpless with illness."

"Our association has prepared a book,

are struggling for is either authority or public interest, or both. In this country one means the other. If we could, for instance, place in the hands of Rupert Blue, Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service, the authority of the Czar of Russia, who with one stroke of the pen can abolish the use of alcohol among millions of people, we could practically overnight, raise the health of America immeasurably."

"However, we can't do that. The best thing is to rouse public opinion. We can speak through the people to the Legislatures and then through the laws back to the customary methods of living."

"Fortunately just now our task seems lighter than it was when the association began three and a half years ago on a widespread scheme of public education. This is due, in part, to the war and the frightful object lesson it holds before our eyes. In the State of New York, for instance, you have passed the Welsh bill and the Slater bill for compulsory military training. This is one of the best things that has ever been done in this State for public health. It seeks to train the coming generation in ways of healthful living."

"If your health insurance laws were operative generally throughout the nation," I asked, "what would be the cost annually?"

"We haven't worked that out definitely," Professor Fisher replied, "but it would be surely upward of a hundred millions a year. That sounds like a huge sum of money, but you must remember that now the annual cost of medical treatment to the wage-earners of America is \$180,000,000, and that the resultant annual wage loss is \$500,000,000."

"It must be well understood, however, that though the laws only provide for indemnification, the chief benefit from those laws will be preventability. It is the history of all insurance that it begins as indemnification and ends as prevention."

"For instance, take fire insurance. In the State of Massachusetts the widespread issuance of fire insurance has cut down the losses by fire over 50 per cent. Take boiler insurance. There 40 per cent. of the cost goes into preventability. This works automatically on both insurer and insured, the one to keep his risks down, the other to keep his rate down."

"The principle of preventability will work out as truly in human health as in machinery. While the indemnification features of the insurance laws are important, and must be the chief consideration at the start, the ultimate result will be prevention of sickness and general improvement of public health."

"We saw this principle work out in the workmen's compensation law. Its passage was the father of the 'safety first' signs, which was the especial denotement of the effort of employers to lessen accidents. The moment employers are partly responsible for the health of employees, efforts will be made on their part to prevent sickness. As the employees will also be partly responsible, they, too, will be more careful."

"A little incident occurred recently in a certain bank in New York, which will illustrate what I mean. It was found that a curious rash appeared frequently on the faces and arms of the employees. It employed the Life Extension Institute to examine the employees. The Institute recommended that ventilators be installed in the bank, finding that the rash was probably due to bad ventilation. The bank followed the advice and the rash disappeared from the employees."

"The most important feature perhaps of the health insurance idea is the economic one. Indemnification for illness I regard as a minor feature. For the workmen wages are bound to be increased, because productivity will be increased. For the employer profits will increase, for the dependability as well as the productivity of labor will be increased."

Professor Fisher was asked to name the chief obstacle in the way of this revolutionary movement.

"Public apathy," he said. "What we

Big Decline in Total Vote in New York State

Although Population Increased Thirty Per Cent from 1900 to 1915 the Neglect of Citizenship Duty Has Become Noticeable

DURING the last fifteen years there has been an astonishing decline in the total vote for candidates for public office in New York State. This steadily increasing neglect of citizenship duty, whether due to carelessness or to disgust with political conditions, constitutes a problem which may well challenge public attention.

From 1900 to 1915 sudden shifts were made from one political party to another; there are multiplying signs that a large body of voters in the State are dissatisfied with both of the old parties, but few, if any, appear to have observed the surprising decline in the total vote

head of its State ticket. That was the year when the Republicans had ample money with which to conduct their State and national campaign. Theodore Roosevelt was the candidate for President, and his vote in New York State exceeded even that of Governor Higgins. Mr. Higgins received 813,264 to 732,704 for D-Cady Herrick, his Democratic opponent. For all candidates for Governor the vote that year totaled 1,625,907, or only 14,235 fewer votes than were cast for candidates for Governor in 1912, during which time the population of the State had increased from 8,000,000 to 9,300,000.

The largest vote ever cast for a Democratic candidate for Governor was in

1912, but the county's vote increased only about 7,000 from 1900 to 1912.

Two principal reasons are given by politicians for the steadily decreasing vote, in proportion to population, during the last decade. The first is the law of 1906 requiring publicity of campaign receipts and expenditures. Under that law contributions for political campaigns are made with the name of the contributors accompanying them. The result has been to reduce the amount of money available for campaign purposes, and the political workers, especially those in the rural districts, complain that they have not sufficient funds with which to get out the vote on election day.

The second reason is the signature law of 1908. Voters in the cities are required to sign their names in a poll book or admit their inability to do so.

Whatever effect these restrictive laws may have had on the neglect of citizens to vote on election day, it is evident that there must be other and more potent causes to account for the surprising decline.

The national and State campaign of 1904 was memorable because of the amount of money collected by both parties and used in the campaign. Theodore Roosevelt was the Republican candidate for President and Alton B. Parker his Democratic opponent. Subsequent events proved that the Republican managers in this State were greatly concerned over the popularity of D-Cady Herrick, Democratic candidate for Governor. An urgent appeal for funds was made to Republican rational headquarters to elect Frank W. Higgins, the Republican nominee, and keep New York State safely for Roosevelt. The unusual activity by both parties to get out the vote was shown on election day by a vote of 813,264 for Higgins and 732,704 for Herrick. Roosevelt's vote in the State exceeded that of Higgins by 46,268, while Herrick polled 51,208 more votes than did Parker.

In 1906 came what has since been known as the Hearst campaign. William Randolph Hearst was nominated by the Democrats at a convention held in Buf-

year for Governor Higgins. But Governor Hughes did receive the bulk of the independent vote, and his total came within about 9,000 of that polled by Higgins four years earlier.

The same year Lewis S. Chanler, who had been Lieutenant Governor for two years, was the Democratic nominee for Governor and received more votes than ever were given a Democratic candidate for the office. He polled 735,169.

The year 1910 is notable in New York State politics as marking the biggest drop in the vote of both the old parties. On the Republican side two reasons stand out prominently to account for it. During his second term Governor Hughes had grown more and more independent of the Republican State organization, and it was evident that the party voters were being more and more divided in their allegiance between the Governor and the organization leaders, who then became known as the Old Guard. That was one reason for the great decrease in the party vote in 1910. The other cause was the Allds scandal, resulting in the expulsion from the State Senate of Senator Jotham P. Allds, Republican leader. Henry L. Stimson, the choice of Roosevelt and Hughes Republicans for Governor, was not supported by the regulars, that element in the party voting either for John A. Dix, the Democratic candidate, or remaining at home. Stimson received only 622,289 votes. Compared with the Republican vote for Hughes of four years before, it fell behind 126,713. That may be said to be the beginning of the schism in the Republican Party in New York State from which it has not yet recovered.

John A. Dix was elected by a plurality of 67,411, but this was not due to any growth in the Democratic vote in the State. His total vote was 689,700, about 45,000 less than that given Chanler and 1,400 less than the vote of Hearst four years before.

William Sulzer was elected Governor in 1912, his vote being 649,559, a reduction of more than 40,000 from the Dix vote and 85,000 less than Chanler was given in 1908.

The figures of 1914 are supposed to represent a reunited Republican Party,

Table Showing Decrease in Republican and Democratic Vote in New York City and in the State Outside the City.

Year.	Republican.		Democratic.	
	New York City.	Outside.	New York City.	Outside.
1900.....	272,130	532,729	316,393	377,340
1902.....	203,499	461,651	323,754	331,644
1904.....	268,362	544,902	348,468	354,211
1906.....	251,463	497,539	339,530	351,575
1908.....	261,386	545,265	321,290	413,899
1910.....	197,727	424,562	302,989	386,711
1912.....	111,630	332,475	304,000	345,559
1914.....	191,808	494,893	269,622	426,883

*Year of Progressive revolt. Vote for Oscar S. Straus, Progressive candidate for Governor: New York City, 194,479; outside New York City, 198,704.

†Includes vote for Glynn, Democratic candidate for Governor, on Independence League ticket.

cast on election day. During the period mentioned there was an increase of population, according to the census, of more than 30 per cent., while the number of votes cast for all political parties either has fallen off or is at a standstill.

In 1904 there was a total vote in the State of 1,625,907, or about one vote for every four and one-third of the citizen population—excluding aliens. Taking the citizen population of 1915 as a foundation—which is 8,959,515—there should be nearly 1,900,000 voters in New York State in 1916. But recent elections indicate that the vote is likely to fall short of that number by 250,000 or 300,000 this year. Were the votes of ten and fifteen years ago abnormal? Were the political issues and public conditions more agreeable to a larger number of citizens than they are today, or are the people more indifferent to public questions in these latter days? These questions and others naturally suggest themselves when the election figures are studied.

The total vote for all parties in New York State in 1900 was 1,556,520. Twelve years later, when the population had increased by about 2,000,000, the total vote was 1,611,672. That is, these two million more inhabitants produced only 55,152 more voters, whereas, under the usual reckoning, there should have been between 350,000 and 400,000 additional voters.

The years 1900 and 1912, just compared, were Presidential years. Who shall say that the campaign of 1912, when the Progressive revolt from the Republican Party occurred, was lacking in public interest? With Taft, Roosevelt, and Wilson in the field as Presidential candidates, and the minor parties represented to attract voters of every shade of political opinion, we have the remarkable fact that in 1900 the combined vote of Benjamin B. Odell, Republican candidate for Governor, and of John B. Stanchfield, Democratic nominee, exceeded by 11,745 the combined vote of Job E. Hedges, Republican; William Sulzer, Democrat, and Oscar S. Straus, Progressive, in 1912.

The same tendency to slump is shown by a comparison of non-Presidential years. Only 97,076 more votes were polled for all parties in the election of 1914—when there was unusual excitement among the voters due to the Sulzer impeachment of 1913—than in 1902. More votes were cast in 1906, also a non-Presidential year, than in the last non-Presidential year of 1914.

In the election of 1904, when Frank W. Higgins was elected Governor, the Republican Party reached its high-water mark in the number of votes cast for the

1908, when Lewis S. Chanler received 735,169, as against 804,651 for Governor Hughes. It is significant that ever since both the Republican and Democratic vote, measured by the support given the heads of the tickets, has decreased. Compare the 804,651 given Hughes in 1908 with the 686,701 given Governor Whitman in 1914, and the 735,169 of Chanler in 1908 with the 537,505 of Martin H. Glynn in 1914. Only 412,253 of the Glynn vote was Democratic, 125,252 being cast by adherents of the Independence League.

The decrease appears to be general all over the State—in New York City, in the up-State counties, rural and urban. There has been almost a constant diminution of the vote in New York City for the two old parties since 1900, notwithstanding the great increase in population and in citizenship in the five counties which comprise the metropolis. In 1900 the Republican and Democratic vote here was 588,523, and in 1914 it was only 461,430. In 1904, a Presidential year, the vote in New York City for the two parties was 616,855, but in 1912, also a Presidential year, it had fallen to 610,109. The smallest vote for the two parties in the metropolis during the fifteen years was in 1914, and the next smallest in 1910, when it was only 500,716. Of this total 302,989 votes were given to John A. Dix, Democratic nominee for Governor, and 197,727 to Henry L. Stimson, Republican candidate.

Decrease in the vote of the counties outside of New York City also has been marked from 1900 to 1915. While the total polled by both the old parties in 1900 in that territory was 910,071, it was only 762,776 in 1914, a reduction in fourteen years of 147,295. Comparing two Presidential years, it fell from 929,113 in 1904 to 876,738 in 1912.

Analysis of the up-State slump by counties reveals that it has been general. It is not confined to cities, to villages, or to rural communities. One of the most remarkable changes appears in St. Lawrence County, one of the northern tier and the largest in area in the State. The total vote in that county in 1900 was 21,584, and although its population grew from 89,083 to 90,291 by 1915, the vote fell to 17,723 in the last Presidential year. Here was a decrease of nearly 4,000 in twelve years.

What is true of St. Lawrence County appears to be true of nearly all the up-State rural communities—the vote has fallen off tremendously in the last fifteen years.

Erle County, containing Buffalo, the second city in the State, added to its population between 1900 and 1915 more

Election Returns Showing Decline of New York State Vote.

Year.	Population.	Total Vote.	Rep.	Dem.	Minor Parties.
1900.....	7,258,012	1,556,520	804,859	693,733	57,928
1902.....	7,500,000	1,389,799	665,150	655,298	69,251
1904.....	8,067,308	1,625,907	813,264	732,704	80,939
1906.....	8,206,000	1,492,219	749,002	691,105	52,112
1908.....	8,700,000	1,653,856	804,651	735,169	14,016
1910.....	9,113,614	1,445,249	622,289	689,700	133,250
1912.....	9,300,000	1,611,672	444,105	649,559	518,008
1914.....	9,500,000	1,486,875	686,701	757,505	121,573

*Includes 393,183 for Progressive candidate for Governor.

†Includes Independence League vote.

‡Includes Progressive and American Party votes.

falo. Owing to differences which had arisen in the Republican Party and the probability that Mr. Hearst would attract most of the independent vote in the State, Republican leaders, at once perceived the necessity of nominating a candidate strong enough to overcome this advantage. Charles E. Hughes had just made a reputation as counsel for the Armstrong Insurance Investigating Committee, and was offered the nomination. He accepted it, imposing the condition that, if elected, he would act as his conscience dictated. The campaign which followed was well calculated to roll up a big vote for the two old party candidates, even if it was not a Presidential year. Many Democrats voted for Hughes and many Republicans supported Hearst. But the vote for Mr. Hughes was 64,000 less than that given to Mr. Higgins two years before. There was the same slump in the Democratic vote, Mr. Hearst falling behind Mr. Herrick by 45,000.

Governor Hughes, because of his advocacy of race track and direct primary legislation, incurred the enmity of his own party organization during his first term. It was not strange, therefore, that his vote in 1908, when he was a candidate for re-election, should have been less than in the previous Presidential

but what do they show? Charles S. Whitman, with the full support of the organization behind him and a large proportion of Sulzer Democrats for him, to make sure of the defeat of Martin H. Glynn, Democratic nominee, received as the Republican candidate for Governor 686,701 votes, or 62,301 fewer votes than were given Governor Hughes in 1906, and about 118,000 less than the vote of Governor Odell in 1900.

As the State campaign of 1910 was notable because of the many stay-at-home Republicans, so 1914 was remarkable for Democrats who either stayed at home or voted for Whitman, the opposing candidate. The disaffected Democratic vote largely is traceable to the bitterness provoked by the Sulzer impeachment of 1913. Governor Glynn was considered the candidate of Tammany, which led in the attack on Sulzer, and he suffered the penalty at the polls. Glynn's vote was only 537,505, including 125,000 he received from the Independence League, and was the smallest vote given a Democratic candidate for Governor for more than twenty years.

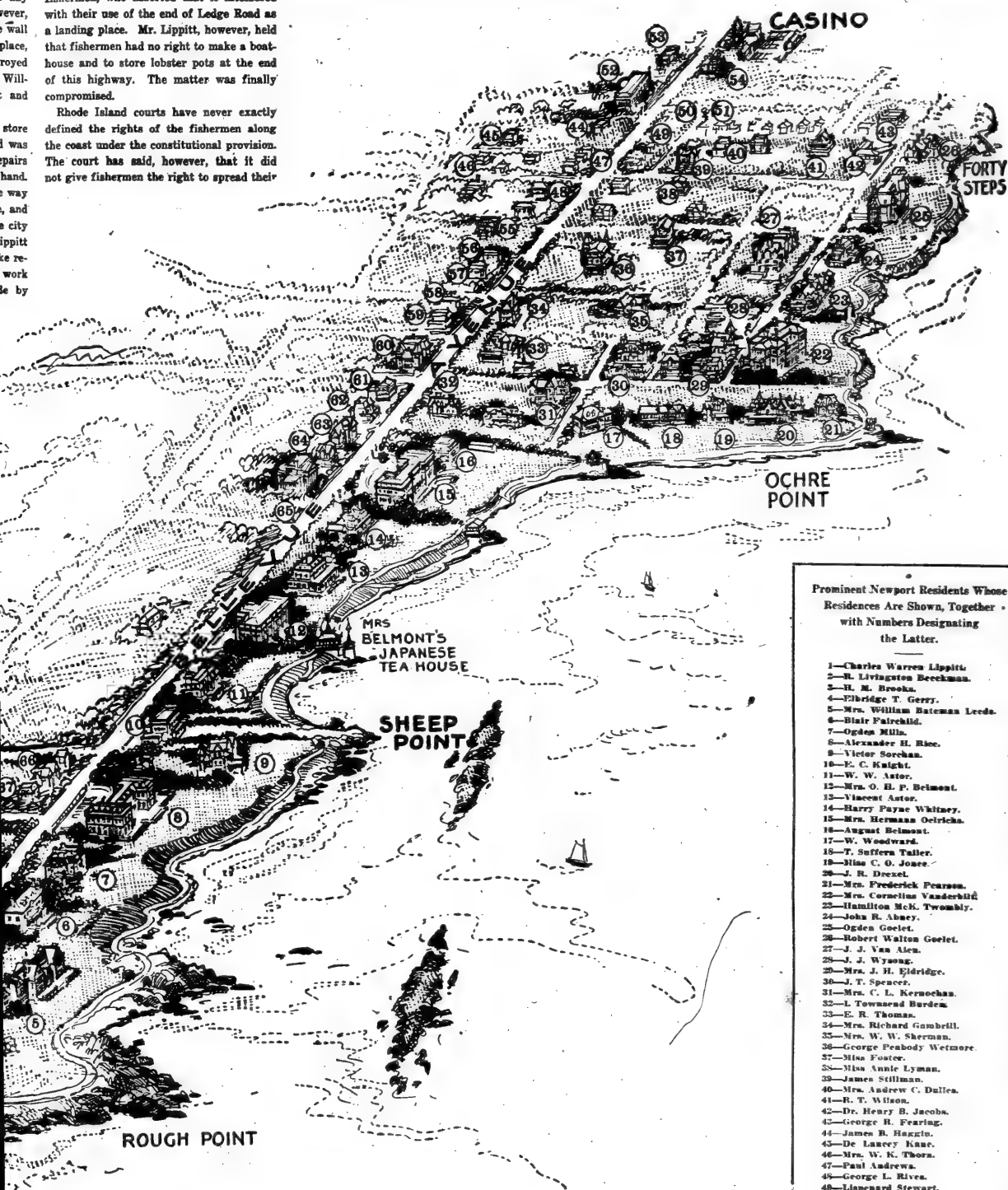
What has become of the 250,000 or 300,000 votes which may be reasonably expected from the increased citizen population?

in America---Newport, from Bailey's Beach to Casino

any fishermen, who asserted that it interfered with their use of the end of Ledge Road as a landing place. Mr. Lippitt, however, held that fishermen had no right to make a boat-house and to store lobster pots at the end of this highway. The matter was finally compromised.

Rhode Island courts have never exactly defined the rights of the fishermen along the coast under the constitutional provision. The court has said, however, that it did not give fishermen the right to spread their

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Prominent Newport Residents Whose Residences Are Shown, Together with Numbers Designating the Latter.

- 1—Charles Warren Lippitt.
- 2—R. Livingston Beechman.
- 3—H. M. Brooks.
- 4—Bridge T. Gerry.
- 5—Mrs. William Bateman Leeds.
- 6—Blair Fairchild.
- 7—Ogden Mills.
- 8—Alexander H. Rice.
- 9—Victor Sorohan.
- 10—E. C. Knight.
- 11—W. W. Aster.
- 12—Mrs. O. H. Belmont.
- 13—Vincent Aster.
- 14—Harry Payne Whitney.
- 15—Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs.
- 16—August Belmont.
- 17—W. Woodward.
- 18—T. Safford Taylor.
- 19—Miss C. O. Jones.
- 20—J. R. Drexel.
- 21—Mrs. Frederick Pearson.
- 22—Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt.
- 23—Hamilton McK. Twombly.
- 24—John R. Abney.
- 25—Ogden Golet.
- 26—Robert Walton Golet.
- 27—J. J. Van Allen.
- 28—J. J. Wynne.
- 29—Mrs. J. H. Eldridge.
- 30—J. T. Spencer.
- 31—Mrs. C. L. Kernochan.
- 32—L. Townsend Burden.
- 33—E. R. Thomas.
- 34—Mrs. Richard Gambrill.
- 35—Mrs. W. W. Sherman.
- 36—George Peabody Wetmore.
- 37—Miss Foster.
- 38—Miss Annie Lyman.
- 39—James Stillman.
- 40—Mrs. Andrew C. Dallas.
- 41—R. T. Wilson.
- 42—Dr. Henry B. Jacobs.
- 43—George H. Fearing.
- 44—James R. Harkins.
- 45—De Laurey Riser.
- 46—Mrs. W. K. Thors.
- 47—Paul Andrews.
- 48—George L. Rives.
- 49—Linspeard Stewart.
- 50—Elihu Dyer, Jr.
- 51—Herbert Hartman.
- 52—E. J. Berwind.
- 53—Mrs. Burke Roche.
- 54—Miss Martha Codman.
- 55—Mrs. Benj. Hazard.
- 56—Lawrence L. Gillespie.
- 57—Wm. E. Glyn.
- 58—F. G. D'Hautville.
- 59—Mrs. Devereux Clapp.
- 60—W. S. Wells.
- 61—Mrs. George S. Scott.
- 62—James Laurens Van Alen.
- 63—Mrs. C. H. Baldwin.
- 64—E. S. Crump.
- 65—Pembroke Jones.
- 66—Nathaniel C. Thayer.
- 67—Mrs. J. J. Fox.
- 68—Perry Belmont.
- 69—Charles F. H. Gilbert.
- 70—E. L. Winthrop.
- 71—J. F. Merwin.
- 72—John Caldwell.
- 73—Mrs. John R. Livermore.
- 74—Benjamin Thaw.
- 75—O. G. Jenataga.
- 76—Mrs. T. O. Richardson.
- 77—C. W. Dolan.

nets for drying upon the land of the riparian owner above high-water mark. The title to tide-flow land between high and low water mark is supposed to rest in the State of Rhode Island, which holds it as trustee for all the people, who are considered to have a right to traverse this part of the shore.

The stockholders of Spouting Rock Beach Association, otherwise called Bailey's Beach, were some time ago bothered by sight-seers attempting to pass through its gates, and those who believed they had certain rights along the shore soon found that they had no business on private ground. Since then there has been no further trouble on this score.

To the Summer residents belongs the credit for having beautified the Cliff Walk.

It is doubtful whether a million dollars would cover their expenditure. They have also done much to beautify the city. At this season of the year hundreds of hydrangea plants add to the horticultural features of many estates along The Cliffs, and although excessive rain and fog have to some extent dimmed the glory of the Summer's flower display, the green lawns are in splendid condition and form an inviting picture of soft, velvety turf.

Here and there small beaches are found along The Cliffs, but the tides that sweep into them are treacherous, and have at times taken their toll of human lives. When the sea is rough and the wind blows hard, the waves break against The Cliffs and sometimes over the walk. Then the Marine spectacle is one of majesty and many people, clad in rubber coats, invariably venture forth to witness it from the Cliff Walk.

Birdseye View of Most Famous Summer Colony in A

Although the Rocky Cliffs Are Crowned by Magnificent Estates of the Wealthy, the Fisherman's Ancient Right of Access to the Beach Remains Unimpaired

NEWPORT'S rocky cliffs, with the restless sea tumbling against their base—a magnificent vantage point known the world over—are not, as many people commonly suppose, reserved to the wealthy men and women whose splendid estates line the ocean front, but offer their hospitality to the casual visitor as well as the native, whose right of access to the sea is an ancient heritage.

In the archives of Newport one finds many papers bearing on fishermen's rights, which permit any one to pass along the Cliff Walk without fear of being arrested for trespass, and the old Constitution of Rhode Island and the Providence Plantations confirms this privilege in the following language:

The people shall continue to enjoy and freely exercise all the rights of fishing and the privileges of the shore, to which they have been heretofore entitled under the charter and usages of the State. But no new right is intended to be granted, nor any existing right impaired by this declaration.

Wandering along The Cliffs one is impressed not only by the sea picture, but by the wonderful horticultural effects which landscape gardeners have produced in developing the grounds of the superb villas. The visitor is apt to be especially impressed by the Breakers, owned by Mrs. Vanderbilt;

Ochre Court, the home of Mrs. Ogden Goellet; the Marble House and Chinese tea house, owned by Mrs. Oliver H. P. Belmont; Mrs. E. H. G. Slater's Hopedene, Mrs. T. Shaw Safe's estate called Ocean Lawn, the residence of Ogden Mills, and Land's End, owned by Governor R. Livingston Beckman.

Then there are Seaverge, owned by Commodore Elbridge T. Gerry; Rosecliff, owned by Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs; Rough Point, the Summer home of Mrs. William B. Leeds; Château-sur-Mer, the estate of George Peabody Wetmore; Rockhurst, owned by Mrs. H. Mortimer Brooks; The Breakwater, the imposing castlelike residence of ex-Governor Charles Warren Lippitt; Sea Weed, owned by Clarence W. Dolan; West Cliff, owned by Mrs. Thomas O. Richardson; Miramar, the new residence of Mrs. Alexander Hamilton Rice, and the estate of Frederick Lothrop Ames.

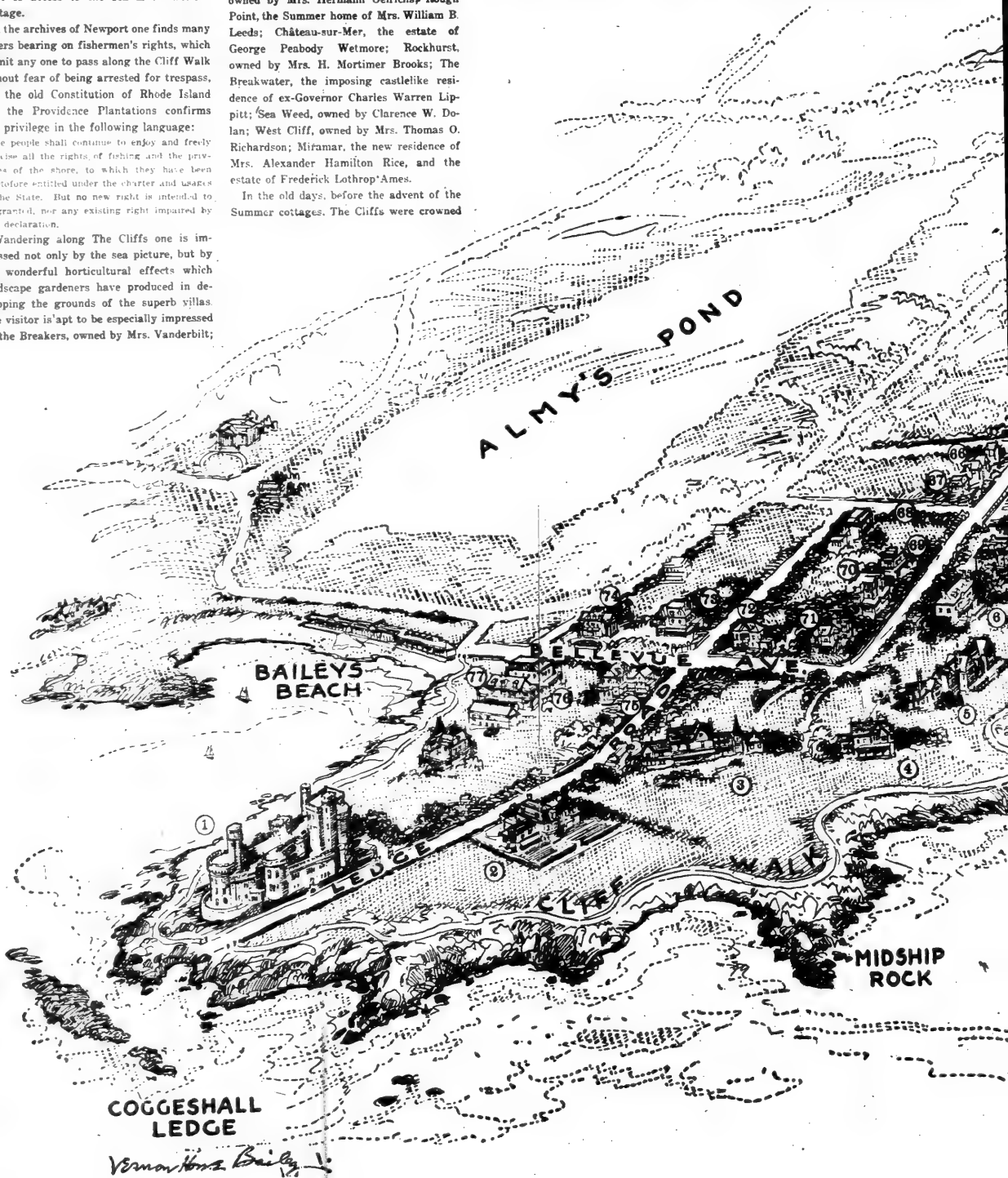
In the old days, before the advent of the Summer cottages. The Cliffs were crowned

with farmland, and the question of shore privileges rarely arose. Then came the wealthy purchasers of broad acres, and in many cases they wisely considered the right of the people to use the Cliff Walk. Mrs. Ogden Goellet, for instance, built a wall, which is so constructed that a person using the walk cannot see her house, and T. Suffer Tailer sunk his path. These improvements preserved the privacy of the wealthy

taxpayer, but did not interfere with any local privileges. One resident, however, more than fifty years ago, had a stone wall erected on the cliffs in front of his place, and some adventurous young men destroyed it one night. This particular resident, William Beach Lawrence, took the hint and did not rebuild the wall.

In 1898 the right of fishermen to store boats and lobster pots on Ledge Road was taken into court on account of some repairs which the municipal authorities had in hand. Charles Warren Lippitt objected to the way in which the repairs were being made, and brought a bill in equity to restrain the city from carrying out its plans. Mr. Lippitt had an agreement with the city to make repairs in a certain manner. While the work was in progress a protest was made by

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Clearing House Planned for Jewish Charities

New Organization Will Collect Funds for Its Members and Do Away with Duplication of Effort and Existing Annoyances

THE Jewish charities of this city are in the tremendously important business of saving and conserving human life. They have organized over 100 societies and institutions and have secured the support of 50,000 contributors. They have as many departments or institutions as there are forms of charity. Some start with the child, conducting day nurseries, kindergartens, young people's clubs. Others go further in the age scale, and also conduct friendly clubs for working girls and employment bureaus. Others care for crippled children and aid them to become self-supporting. Some concentrate their efforts on education; others provide homes for orphans. Two large schools train their pupils for technical pursuits. Others provide treatment for victims of tuberculosis or care for the chronic and incurable; still others pension widows, or give financial assistance where it is urgently needed, or lend money without any interest to help unfortunates make a new start. In numbers probably the hospitals outrank the rest of the charitable institutions. Finally, there are homes for the aged. The departments of the vast work have increased steadily with the needs of the community.

If a great business house with many different departments had 50,000 stockholders to whom it was necessary to write letters every year, and if the head of each department maintained an office force and wrote annually to each of the 50,000, an efficiency expert would find in this particular business house a rich field in which to demonstrate his value. By telling it all in one letter he would not only reduce and simplify the work to a vast degree, but would win the lasting gratitude of these stockholders whose time was valuable. The Jewish charities, it is now agreed, are in need of such expert services.

The head of each department has in the past had his office force write the letters for his department, and, further, has had his staff make personal calls and solicitations for funds. This has meant that persons known to be glad to give their share to the support of these very necessary charities have been called upon, in some cases dozens of times each year, by representatives of the different branches of the great work, and have been sometimes almost swamped with numerous letters appealing for funds, for the need of increased funds has increased in direct ratio with the increase of scope and activities of the charities.

Not infrequently a man who has found himself able to give a hundred dollars to some charity has found, as an aftermath, that he had to explain to half a dozen representatives of other charitable organizations that the hundred was all he could afford at the time. This hasn't discouraged all of the donors, but it's safe to say it hasn't encouraged their friends to make modest little excursions into the field of philanthropy when they felt that they could afford one but not a series of donations. Lots of men lose half the satisfaction of giving one goodly sized check to a charity when afterward, and as a result of it, they have to decline to give checks to half a dozen insistent collectors for others.

Today a movement is on foot to apply the rules of the efficiency expert to this business of giving. The movement is taking the concrete form of "The Federation of Jewish Charities." Such men as Felix M. Warburg and Abram I. Elkus are behind it. The federation is to be a clearing house for philanthropists—for the rich philanthropists who give thousands or tens of thousands annually, and for the little philanthropists who must sacrifice to give their mite of 25 cents a month. Among the donors to the Jewish charities of this city are thousands of this latter class, men and women, and children, too, whose income would make the experts' "living wage" look like a young fortune, and who, nevertheless, manage to send in 25 or 30 cents every month "for the needy."

In ten days a campaign to launch this

new federation will begin. The purpose is to secure a single subscription to the federation in place of the contributions now given to the individual societies. Whether or not the federation is to become a reality depends on the outcome of this campaign.

The plan of the federation is not to combine the institutions; each is to govern itself as at present and retain all of its individuality. The plan is to combine only their joint collection departments, and then distribute the money collected jointly. Every society is guaranteed as a minimum the equivalent of its present income, but the plan aims to secure larger amounts for distribution to all institutions. The committee in charge is taking last year, 1915, which was a good year in the field of charity, as the criterion, and has promised to each institution in the federation that it will receive under the new plan at least as much money as it received in 1915. Before the federation becomes effective it must demonstrate its efficiency by raising at least \$200,000 more than was secured by the old methods. In other words, if pledges of contributions exceeding by \$200,000 the contributions to the different charities last year can be procured during the campaign, the plan is a success and the federation goes into effect.

The backers of the plan, however—and practically every one who has studied it is an enthusiastic backer—are confi-

dent that they will be able to do more than give to each institution the amount it collected through its individual efforts last year. The soundness of the business policy of concentrating collecting agencies is one reason for this conviction. But in addition to this the experience of every other city that has adopted the federation plan indicates that in addition to the sums assured each individual institution there will be a healthy surplus to be distributed among all of them.

The largest of the federations today. Philadelphia followed in 1901, and shortly thereafter the charities in Baltimore, Cleveland, and Brooklyn. The new federation about to be got under way here comprises only Manhattan and the Bronx, as Brooklyn charities are already united in a federation. In the five cities named the receipts from subscriptions and incidental donations in the first year of federation increased over the amounts previously raised from 11 to 60 per cent.

In Chicago, next to New York in the amount collected for Jewish charities, the increase was 32 per cent. In Philadelphia it was 25 per cent. Baltimore's net gain through federation was nearly 60 per cent. Cleveland's was 37. Brooklyn philanthropic institutions increased their collections more than 30 per cent. as a result of federation.

In addition, the charities in numerous smaller cities have combined in federations for collections, and the increase has been large in every case, spectacular in some. According to the report of the President of the St. Louis Federation, the increase there was 67 per cent. Basing their conclusions on the experience of these other cities, the men who are forwarding the movement here make, the—in comparison—rather cautious estimate that federation in Manhattan and the Bronx will mean an increase of at least 30 per cent. in the collections for Jewish charities here.

After Chicago's fourteen years of federation nearly five times as much is being collected annually now as before the federation went into effect. Other cities, after short periods of federation, have doubled and trebled their collections. During the last five years alone Chicago has increased its receipts 110 per cent., and federation cities generally have added to their revenue about 70 per cent. New York has not kept pace with the cities that have had federations, and its increase in collections in this time has been only 31 per cent.

The total amount that must be collected to assure the various institutions of this city at least as great an income as they had during 1915 cannot be definitely stated at the present time, as it depends on the number of institutions that join the federation at the outset. The question of federation has been brought up at the annual meeting of Directors of a number of the greatest philanthropic institutions, and in every case the plan has been adopted with enthusiasm. But there are also a number of institutions whose Directors hold their annual meetings in the Autumn, and it has been impossible for these to take official action on the subject up to the present time. And so the provision has been made by the committee in charge that persons subscribing to the federation may specify, if they want to, which institutions are to receive their donations. Thus even if an institution were not to be in the federation at the outset, money contributed especially for it would be turned over to it, and the federation in this instance would serve only as a receiving agency for the institution in question. There are about 100 large Jewish organizations engaged in philanthropic work in the city at the present time, and supported by voluntary contribution, and the present indications are that all of them will be integral parts of the federation before the beginning of the next year.

As an indication of the financial prospects of federation, an instance may be cited. One man who had been for years in the habit of making small contributions to a number of different charities, when the federation plan was outlined to him, drew a letter file from his desk

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The Associated Jewish Charities of Chicago was organized in 1900. It is

Will This New Author Prove a Second Conrad?

James Huneker, the Noted Critic, Prophesies About William McFee, Whose Story of the Sea Has Captured Literary London



William McFee.

(From an original drawing by Arthur J. Elder.)

PICTURE to yourself the engine room of an ocean-going steamship, not one of those floating palaces that carry bored millionaires or society folk bound for never golf links across polite seas; but a freighter without style, and run by men whose muscle and wit are their only capital. Imagine an engineer, not the chief, but a subordinate, who devotes his leisure to hard reading, who is in love with the English language, English classics, a born phrasemaker, and determined to write novels. And you will have imagined William McFee, whose name, despite his English parentage, smacks of the Celt.

A newcomer with only two books behind him, and some miscellaneous writings, he has suddenly achieved a critical recognition that must have surprised him, for, like most rough diamonds, he is modest, though, unlike most rough diamonds, he is singularly sophisticated. Practically unknown here, his new book is called "Casuals of the Sea," and it deals with a small group of English folk, both on land and sea. It reeks with actuality, for the author's sincerity is a form of his talent.

William McFee was born at sea in 1881. His father, a sea Captain, was nearing the English coast after a long voyage when the happy event took place. Dedicated from the cradle, one might say, the boy spent some years before he again sniffed the salt spray. The family settled in North London, perhaps not far from the spot where his story begins. He underwent the usual schooling and was soon in an engineering shop at Aldgate. He fell in love with machinery about the same time he read Kipling. That writer settled his future. He affianced himself to the sea and to letters, and this polygamous union has proved a happy one. When at leisure he spent his time in the reading rooms of the Northampton Institute and the British Museum. He read omnivorously. His appetite for information was voracious. He met down Chelsea way, where he lived for a time at Cheyne Walk, such writers as Hilaire Belloc, Oliver Onions, Nicholls, Tweed, and Herbert Allingham. In 1905 he had his first job on a ship bound for Trieste, and as an engineer he has spent the last decade, with interludes of land-lubbing, in various remote countries as well as in England and America. He began writing "Casuals of the Sea" in 1908 in Japan. He has been in South America, and, since the outbreak of the war, at Saloniki and Port Said. At the present writing he is somewhere in the Mediterranean. With a romancer's luck he was in the Liverpool Street Terminal at the moment of the Zeppelin raid in 1914, and wrote an extensive account of that thrilling episode.

But it is the formidable amount of literature that he devoured on his voyaging that impresses most. He has said: "I know that one's luck must be backed by hard work, and writing in one's bunk after eleven hours' manual toil, plus anxiety and the certainty of being hauled out at midnight, is horrible." Horrible,

By James Huneker

too, the list of his favorite writers, Sallust, Livy, Florus, Paternus, Shakespeare, Gibbon, Horace, Balzac, Tolstoy, Whitman, Goethe, Emerson—not to mention Joseph Conrad and Hawthorne. A seemingly indigestible mess if absorbed by a weak or dyspeptic stomach. Fancy an engineer reading and assimilating a library, and in his own composition leaving little or no traces of those magnificent mental rations. Whatever his faults, and he has many, his books are not "literary." He has temperament, for without temperament there is no talent; he has vision, and no doubt the voice will be perfected as to express his own native music.

The man has been described by a friend as "reserved." He is big boned, with blonde hair, blue eyes, a typical Briton. He is as strong as a bull, very gentle, fond of children and cats. His physical endurance is remarkable. "I have never seen him tired," adds our informant. Evidently strong, even stronger than a professional book reviewer, with the muscular equipment of a blacksmith. His opinion of himself and his work is not exalted, but behind the diffident mask are an iron will and plenty of ambition. He does not write for a popular audience, nor does he despise the public. But he insists on telling his tale in his own fashion, and if the verdict is favorable, well and good; if not—that won't keep him from sleeping. It is my notion that Flaubert is his major god; indeed, he has been compared with the great Frenchman, which rather taxes one's idea of critical credulity; also with Dickens, Zola, Conrad, and William De Morgan.

These comparisons are not altogether futile taken as indices of Mr. McFee's literary ancestry, yet they are in the air. The new man is individual. As an artist he is incomplete, faulty, given to proximity; above all, not an architect. "Casuals of the Sea" leaves much to be desired in the matter of construction. Whether the author emulated Conrad's elliptical method in "Chance" is not for us to say; certainly he has failed if he did, for with all its apparent discursiveness "Chance" is carved from the single block, and, as if at a sitting.

"Casuals" might be split asunder in three parts. The three sections, "The Suburb," "The City," "The Sea," are in reality three separate stories, lightly yoked by a conventional manoeuvre. You have assisted at the evocation of a sordid family history. This loosely spun pattern does not interfere with the reader's enjoyment, and after finishing the novel and getting the proper perspective, you are struck by its persistent if unobtrusive design, and in his modulation of events his simplicity is sometimes baffling. McFee envisages life in this desultory, unrounded manner. It is all an enigma, this existence of ours between earth and sky.

He is not a romantic pessimist like Hardy, nor does he philosophize brilliantly like Meredith. He is not "modern," not "smart." He is not a stylist. He reminds one at times of Dickens, especially in his humorous passages, but otherwise he does not see life in the least like that master. I should say that, personal temperament aside, McFee has been influenced more by the Russians, Dostoevsky and Tolstoy, and the French realists, Balzac, Flaubert, and Zola, than he would care to admit. He sees objectively. He has the gift of projecting upon paper vivid images that instantly evoke a character, a place, a situation. He is a romantic realist. Never sentimental, like the majority of his contemporaries, nevertheless his book is suffused with pity. He loves humanity. Art will never get in the way of his sympathy for

suffering and the lowly, the stepchildren of nature who lead humble lives in corners of cities and ships. Best of all, he has genuine power, and that is worth a wilderness of technical shortcomings. A writer of virile power is a rarity in this hour of insipid embroidery and mucilaginous sentimentalists.

Little Hannibal Gooderich—whose surname throws much light on the mental processes of his parents—became first fond of the sea in the schoolroom. No one suspected it. He was more than a backward pupil; he was positively stupid. A lazy child, he grew up into a loutish lad. His mother fairly despaired of his future. She was a widow when she went to live in Jubilee Street E., after leaving Maple Avenue, in North London. Her other son had gone to Africa and had been killed. Her daughter, Minnie—the fruit of an unconventional union before her marriage—was off on the Continent in God knows what company. So Mrs. Gooderich had only Hannibal to console her, and the filial consolation was still to come. She did charwork in offices hard by her home. Her brother-in-law, a prospering builder over at Kennington, got her the job. It was poorly paid and the work exhausting. The poor woman had not always been in such a strait. Her husband, an engineer, had kept the roof over her head, and if Minnie had been less intractable and if Bert had not gone soldiering, the conduct of Hannibal might have been better regulated.

But Minnie had left for parts unknown with a moneyed man, and the elder Gooderich had fallen into a pond while drunk, and the widow was practically alone. Her nearest friend, an American woman, Mrs. Gaynor, lived in North London, but one day came with her son to see Mrs. Gooderich. That put a flea into the worthy lady's ear. If young Gaynor could go to sea why not the obstreperous Hannibal? She consulted Mr. Brown, her portly brother-in-law, who scoffed at the idea. Preposterous! Let Hannibal be apprenticing himself to some master who won't spare the rod. Then Amy Brown, one of the three delightfully vulgar daughters of the builder, burdens herself with the cause of Hannibal. She sets up a shop, the "Little Brown Box," where the pair of young people play at selling tobacco. The business proved unexpectedly successful. But Hannibal has the growing pains of an embryo sailor. He is bored by the shop, bored by Amy's evident preference for his company, and he resolves to cut the whole enterprise. An unexpected encounter with a seafaring man settles the matter. Without a word to Amy, who deserves gratitude, he goes to sea on a tramp steamship, first as a boy in the mess room of its engineers, later as a coaler in that hell called the boiler room.

Alas! the romance of the sea vanishes at the first qualms. Hannibal is deadly sick. He recovers and attends to his prosaic duties as steward for three engineers. These characters are carved with crystal clearness. The author has a gift of characterization, and while he is often diffuse in his descriptions, his humans are always veracious portraits. Hannibal's mother and the American woman, a practical mystic—as are most mystics—Hannibal, his father, his brother Bert—for the few chapters in which he appears—the Brown family, the crew, officers, engineers, are all viable figures.

McFee's pages are sometimes overcrowded; he has at least a tinge of Zola's aptitude in the handling of masses; but the clarity of his style, combined with his eye of a painter, never fail to produce precise, sharply defined images. Hannibal suffers, develops through suffering, and when we part with him he is almost a man. That you will like him is another question. There is no reason

why you should, if you adhere to that most venerable of heresies in the Church of Fiction, the "sympathetic character." However, Hannibal interests, and that's the next best thing. His passive adventures in the Far East—he is hardly a dynamic nature—make admirable reading. Mr. McFee has "lived" all these happenings. I shan't call him the "Conrad of the engine room"—Conrad the archangel of the phrase magical—nor make other fatuous discoveries; but he has strength, sincerity, and a marked talent for painting a picture, evoking a mood, creating atmosphere. And, somehow, his story of the sea is "different" in the Stendhal sense. He plays with the same counters as Kipling, Conrad, and the rest, and he, no more than any writer handling such an enormous theme as the sea, does not escape monotony.

There is little danger that Minnie Gooderich will ever become a "Burning Topic" at the women clubs. She is not a downright bad one; she is like the majority of men and women, neither black nor white, a mediocre gray. She "sins" with wide-open eyes, sins joylessly, though profitably. She is not a Magdalen over whom sentimentalists weep becomingly. Her motto is: Get money! But to accomplish her ends she is not an lagoon in petticoats. She will never enter Lady Gophir's House of Reclamation. She sees through that exhausted sensualist's philanthropic game. Her speech to Antony Gilfillan, the man with whom she enters the primrose path, is illuminating: "Was I right, after all, when I said it was money did everything?" This rings as true as Balzac. She craves luxury—she does not possess a planturous temperament; because it means power, freedom. The metallic clink of gold coin reverberates in her own metallic soul. She is as hard as steel, and not particularly attractive. The adventures are not in her make-up, despite her talk of adventures, her desire to see the world. She is not the harlot of the romancers. She will never go to the devil. Well-poised, absolutely devoid of morals—rather on the other side of good and evil—she neither enthralls nor disgusts. Firmly etched this girl lives before us. She runs off with Gilfillan, does not pose as a "deserted" victim, and catches a gullible sea Captain, who later marries her.

Mr. McFee balances the scales in his moral judgments. He is, I venture to say, an immoralist, that is, he does not condemn Minnie's action, nor does he pronounce it good. He knows that evil and good have been since the beginning of time, and still are bedfellows. There is no Lecky-like embellished pity for the prostitute as a class. So he casts no stones, does not moralize. Life is his quest and Minnie is alive, and if her profession—surely the saddest in the world—is abhorrent she is not set before us on the pedestal so often accorded her sisters, the pedestal of the "reclaimed woman." That way sentimentalism lies.

The frame in which she is shown is both real and diverting. Mrs. Olga Berenice Wilfley, "authoress" of such a "sobbing" book as "The Licences of Love," is a "lady journalist"—may her tribe never decrease because of the gayety of nations!—and engages the greenhorn Minnie as typist and general houseworker. Minnie has one weakness concealed within the iron carapace of her nature. She is given to reading "At the Mercy of Tiberius," which she prefers to her employer's effusions. How she goes to Mrs. Wilfley, how she sits through a "conversation" at the studio in company with a half dozen concrete cults is all the finest fooling. Mr. McFee has a light hand with the knout. Antony Gilfillan, the advertising magnate, looms up in the page portentously, and is the unvarnished portrait of a semi-monstrous personality. But Minnie and her ineluctable selfishness tops him. "Casuals of the Sea" is more than a promising book from a beginner. If it may be chopped into a trinity of tales, if it is too episodic, if it slowly gets under way, it is, withal, a novel of undeniable distinction.

Mr. McFee has written especially for The New York Times his impressions of life in the British transport service. They will be published in the Magazine Section next Sunday.

will not yield himself willingly to execution as a franc-tireur, is to measure right by different standards, according to whether it is applicable to one's self or to another. We call that arbitrary and unrighteous.

The Gazette de Hollands of July 30 said:

When with a sudden and unseen blow the Lusitania was sunk and over 1,000 defenseless men, women, and children were drowned, Germany found cause for rejoicing. A medal was struck in honor of the event, and the school children were given holiday. When the Captain of the Brussels endeavored to save his vessel from a similar fate by forcing the hostile submarine to submerge, he committed a deed punishable by death. At least that is the view taken by German Kultur.

It is interesting to compare these two instances. When the German submarine commander was lying in wait for the Lusitania he knew that if he failed he could sink away. When the Captain of the Brussels endeavored to force the German submarine to submerge he knew failure meant instant destruction. Yet, according to that Kultur which Germany has been so anxious to spread in Europe, while it was right and honorable to sink the Lusitania and her human freight, it was wrong and treacherous of Captain Fryatt to attempt to save his ship from a similar fate. The shooting of this luckless Captain should help to bring home the fact that the ideals for which Germany stands are utterly and fundamentally different from those of the rest of Europe.

Everybody remembers by the cable dispatches the fury of the press of the Allies over the matter. On July 31 the British Premier, on the interpellation of Sir Edward Carson in the House of Commons, made the following statement:

Yes, sir, I deeply regret to say that it appears to be true that Captain Fryatt has been murdered by the Germans. His Majesty's Government have heard with the utmost indignation of this atrocious crime against the law of nations and the usages of war. Coming as it does contemporaneously with the lawless cruelties to the population of Lille and other occupied districts of France, it shows that the German high command have under the stress of military defeat renewed their policy of terrorism. It is impossible to guess to what further atrocities they may proceed. His Majesty's Government, therefore, desire to repeat emphatically that they are resolved that such crimes shall not, if they can help it, go unpunished. When the time arrives they are determined to bring to justice the criminals, whoever they may be, and whatever their station. In such cases as this the man who authorizes the system under which such crimes are committed may well be the most guilty of all. The question of what immediate action should be taken is engaging the earnest consideration of the Government.

Although the German Government, after the communiqué of July 27, continued to remain silent, the German press justified the deed as follows—the first from the Weser Zeitung of July 29, under the heading "Punishment for Attack by a British Freight Steamer on a German U-Boat":

The capture of the English steamer Brussels by the German naval forces is one of many fortunate incidents of the war, another being to put into our hands the crew of the trawler King Stephen, who have on their conscience a refusal to help the crew of the sinking Zeppelin. Captain Fryatt was known to the German Admiralty for an insolent, treacherous attack on U-33. The British Captain was given the highest rewards for his franc-tireur stroke, but before he could try another act of illegal warfare he fell into German hands and was shot, as justice required.

This will not fail to arouse everywhere the greatest excitement, and our enemies will certainly start another indignation campaign. We can pass it by with a cold smile, for there is no shadow of doubt about the justice of the sentence, and, moreover, there is not even any ground for the slightest feelings of human compassion as there might be for ordinary franc-tireurs who forget themselves when the enemy appears on their hearth. In this case the Captain of the merchant ship, out of vanity and greed of gain, deliberately overstepped what he well knew to be the international bounds of naval warfare and tried to destroy a whole German crew with their ship, while he must have been aware that his own life and the lives of his crew were fully secured against any German attack. Such a crime permits of nothing except the required punishment, and that punishment is rendered particularly valuable because it also smites the British Government and its system.

The second is from the Kölnische Volkszeitung of the same date with the heading, "A Just Execution":

The necessity of protecting honorable and chivalrous combatants against perfidious and murderous attacks compels the military command to visit all unpunished attacks with the strictest punishment. The Captain who beneath a harmless smile flashes a dagger against an unsuspecting person is a traitor; that he acts on instructions from higher authority does not exonerate him. But the offense of the British Admiralty is ten times greater than Captain Fryatt's. This is the first time that the German Navy had an opportunity to show what it thinks of British merchant Captains who seek to destroy German submarines, and of those who give these Captains their instructions. It is language which will be understood in London, because it is not expressed in diplomatic notes, but uttered in powder and shot.

It will probably arouse the same storm of

indignation against German barbarism as was evoked by the Cavell case. That must not disturb us, because we have right on our side. The judgment of the Bruges court-martial was severe, but just.

Another German view of the affair published only a few days ago in the Kreuz-Zeitung of Berlin, by Professor Krockman, puts a political aspect on the case. Professor Krockman is quoted in part as follows:

Captain Fryatt was murdered with the

March 20 is amply justified. But Germany appeared late in the history of the seas and had no laws, customs, or traditions which, for seafarers, often amount to laws. Therefore, what has Germany to say on the subject?

The German Admiralty admit in their Appendix to the Naval Prize Regulations, June 22, 1914, and published Aug. 3, 1914, that the crew of an armed enemy merchant vessel are to be treated as pris-

oners of war if they resist capture. Thus, if Captain Fryatt's vessel had been armed, had resisted capture, and had later been captured, he would have been treated as a prisoner of war.

But the nature of arms is not designated and Dr. Hans Wehberg, a German international lawyer, does not specify what shall constitute defense, the legality of which he admits (Das Seekriegsrecht, 1915):

The resistance of enemy merchant ships to capture would be then only not permissible if a rule against this had found common recognition. But in truth no single example can be produced from international precedents in which the States have held resistance as not permissible. Much rather in the celebrated decision of Lord Stowell in the case of the

Catharina Elizabeth resistance was declared permissible, and Article 16 of the American Naval War Code takes up the same standpoint. Also by far the greater number of authors and the Institute of International Law share this view.

(Article 12, Paragraph 3 of the Oxford Rules says that it is permissible to public and also private enemy ships to defend themselves against the attack of an enemy ship.)

Also de lege ferenda the prevailing view is to defend. Should great merchant ships worth a million allow themselves to be taken by smaller ships only because the latter comply with the requirements of a so-called warship?

(This consideration also led the Committee of the Institute of International Law to recommend to that body that resistance should be declared permissible. Of the remarks of Rolin-Jacquemyns, Annuaire de l'Institut, XXVII, Page 518 et seq., Page 524.)

The enemy merchant ship has then the right of defense against an enemy attack, and this right he can exercise against visit, for this is indeed the first act of capture. The attacked merchant ship can indeed itself enter the over-powered warship as a prize.

(See also Fiore, Annuaire de l'Institut, XXXVI, Page 517, and the prevailing opinion hereon. See Triepel, Zeitschr. f. Völkerrecht u. d. G., Page 285.)

Thus in the light of German law and German legal interpretation thereof Captain Fryatt was acting well within his rights in attempting to ram a hostile submarine. Had he been armed even he might have been successful. Armed then he would have been a prisoner of war, for the Germans would have been estopped, under their own regulations, from treating him otherwise. As it was he used the only arm available—his ship. And because he used his ship and not a gun he was tried, convicted, and executed by a court of German naval officers as a "franc-tireur of the sea."



Captain Charles Fryatt

deliberate intention of exasperating British public opinion and of enabling pan-German Annexationists and anti-Bethmannites (opponents of the German Chancellor) to cry: "England will never forgive us now. We must fight her to the last drop of blood."

Nobody who knew England could be in the slightest doubt that the shooting of the English Captain must produce the final development of the war into one of pitiless fighting to the bloodiest of ends. By shooting Fryatt we have begun this new phase, and now there is no turning back.

It would be an act of supererogation to cite the laws and customs of the seas formed and commonly acknowledged by the great seafaring nations, past and present. An opinion of Chief Justice Marshall covers them all. And in that opinion the act of Captain Fryatt on

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and glanced over the correspondence of the societies to which he had been contributing. He found that during the previous year he had contributed \$270.

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This man said he had been under the impression that he had been giving something between five hundred and a thousand dollars to charity each year. This is one of the incidents which lead the persons interested in the Jewish charities to believe that the aggregate income will be very materially increased by the federation plan. When the plan was brought up for discussion many other men were found who had no idea how much their annual contributions to charitable institutions aggregated. They were willing to give a stipulated amount each year, they said, but instead, in the past, they had made numerous small donations and had patronized generously large numbers of "entertainments for charity."

The "entertainments for charity" are to be done away with under the new plan. The consensus of opinion of persons interested in the charities is that these entertainments are frequently expensive in that they leave the impression of rather generous contributions, despite the fact that a large percentage of the receipts go to pay the expenses. In not a few cases, of course, the entertainments have resulted in a loss instead of a profit. The elimination of entertainments is one of the many features of this plan, which is to end duplication of effort and introduce efficiency into philanthropy.

Felix M. Warburg of Kuhn, Loeb & Co. has been chosen Chairman of the Organization Committee. He has always been deeply interested in Jewish charities and is Chairman of the Joint Distribution Committee of Funds for Jewish War Sufferers, which has sent over \$5,500,000 abroad since the outbreak of the European war.

"The financial burden of our societies has grown heavier each year until, at the present time, more than \$2,000,000 must

be raised to enable the societies to meet their urgent needs," Mr. Warburg said in discussing the Federation plans with a representative of THE SUNDAY TIMES. "The Federation has set itself to the task of procuring adequate support for our societies. The existing methods must be improved. Today each society sends out its own appeals for members and contributors, and all compete for public support. The contributor is dismayed by the number of appeals he receives; the procedure is wasteful, costly, and ineffective."

"Some who give often, but in dribs and drabs, overestimate unconsciously the amount they subscribe to charities, and would gladly give a larger sum if they could make a single contribution for the benefit of all societies. Persons whose means are small, but who would give \$10 or \$20 to all the charities combined, are often afraid to have their names appear on the list of members of one society because to do so invites appeals from fifty other organizations."

"The federation will introduce co-operation; it will create a central agency to

collect for all. The contributor will be able to make a single subscription for the benefit of all societies and to designate how much he desires to be paid to any particular institution, and there will be no need of endless appeals. Collections will be made more economically and more efficiently by the new means than was the case under the old method."

"At present we have more than 50,000 contributors to our various charitable societies, of whom about 20,000 are women. Some give thousands of dollars; at the other end of the scale there are thousands who make sacrifices for 25 cents a month. We hope to enroll in the federation the multi-millionaire and the shop worker."

"We shall need the co-operation of all who have at heart the needs of our charitable and philanthropic societies, and we shall have to call upon them for their personal exertions. I am certain that the leaders in the community will rise to the opportunity and meet the need, and that before the year is over the federation will have been successfully launched."

Case of Capt. Fryatt, Shot as "Franc Tireur"

British Commander of the Brussels Was Betrayed to Germans by a Watch Presented to Him for Attempting to Ram Submarine

NEVER has this war produced a stronger contrast than the pleasant scene in the Harwich Council Chamber and the grim scene in the Town Hall at Bruges four months later. The first honored a brave man. The second sent the brave man to his death on account of the deed for which he had been honored.

At Harwich the Council Chamber sometimes serves as a police court, for the Mayor is also the City Magistrate; and over the bench hangs a brace of Mauser rifles, a trophy of the South African war. On this occasion the dock had been turned into a place of honor, festooned with the union jack. There sat Captain Fryatt, the hero of the occasion, nervously twirling his cap while he listened to what the Mayor said about him.

Everybody in Harwich knew Captain Charles Fryatt. He had lived all his life in the suburb of Parkstone. He was well known to the Dutch of Rotterdam, too, for between Harwich and Rotterdam for years he had made fortnightly trips as the Captain of the Great Eastern Railway Company's steamship Brussels. At Parkstone he had a wife and seven children. They, too, were in the Council Chamber, all clad in their best.

On the last trip the Brussels, on March 20, off the Maas Lightship, had encountered a German submarine. The crew and passengers of the Harwich boat first knew of the presence of the submarine when they felt the quiver of the keel grating upon the U-boat's upper works. The Brussels stopped almost instantly. The submarine came up alongside, so close "that you could have leaped over the bulwarks and hung your cap on the periscope." With the dreadful tales of the Dutch liners Tubantia and Palembang a week old the passengers and crew were too horror-stricken to move. Death seemed certain.

Then a strange thing happened. The propellers of the Brussels began to churn. As the ship turned the submarine began to slide along her side aft. If once the swirling propeller blades touched the German craft they would rend her plates like paper. By an extraordinary maneuver the submarine suddenly swung clear and then dived and was seen no more. The men on the Brussels kept long watch. No shot came. No torpedo was discharged.

All this Captain Fryatt told in the simple language of a Harwich sailor to the people assembled in the Council Chamber. Then the Mayor presented him with a gold watch inscribed with his name and the deed. That watch and the inscription it contained led to his death.

Three months passed, when on June 23 the Brussels was captured by a couple of

submarines and taken to Zeebrugge as a prize of war. At Zeebrugge the prisoners were searched, the watch found, and Captain Fryatt identified and sent to Bruges, together with his officers and crew. Later they were all sent to the Ruhleben Prison Camp. On the night of July 26 Captain Fryatt was hastily brought back to Bruges—indeed, information differs as to whether he had really left Bruges. The next morning he was taken to the Town Hall, arraigned before a naval court-martial on the charge of being "a freebooter of the sea," and was sentenced to death by shooting. That afternoon, against a wall behind the Town Hall, the sentence was carried out.

The world first heard of the tragedy through the following German communiqué, sent to Amsterdam the next day, Friday, July 28:

On Thursday, at Bruges, before the court-martial of the Marine Corps, the trial took place of Captain Charles Fryatt of the British steamer Brussels, which was brought in as a prize. The accused was condemned to death by a court-martial. He was not a member of a combatant force, he made an attempt on the afternoon of March 20, 1916, to ram the German submarine U-33 near the Maas Lightship. The accused, as well as the first officer and the chief engineer of the steamer, received at the time from the British Admiralty a gold watch as a reward of his brave conduct on that occasion, and his action was mentioned with praise in the House of Commons.

On the occasion in question, disregarding the U-boat's signal to stop and show his national flag, he turned at a critical moment at high speed on the submarine, which escaped the steamer by a few meters only by immediately diving. He confessed that in so doing he had acted in accordance with the instructions of the Admiralty.

The sentence was confirmed yesterday (Thursday) afternoon and carried out by shooting.

One of the many nefarious franc-tireur proceedings of the British merchant marine against our war vessels has thus found a belated but merited expiation.

On the same evening the British Foreign Office published the following correspondence with the American Ambassador at Berlin, through the American Ambassador at London, which began soon after the Brussels was captured:

Foreign Office, June 28, 1916.

Immediate.

The Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs presents his compliments to the United States Ambassador, and has the honor to state that he would be much obliged if the United States Ambassador at Berlin could be requested by telegram to ascertain the names of the British subjects who were on board the S. S. Brussels when she was recently captured by German warships and taken to Zeebrugge.

Sir E. Grey understands that there were six British stewardsess on board, and he trusts that they will be repatriated at an early date.

Embassy of the United States of America, London, July 1, 1916.

The American Ambassador presents his compliments to his Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and, in reply to the note Sir Edward Grey was good enough to address to him on June 28 (No. 1213-18)

concerning the British subjects who were on board the S. S. Brussels when that vessel was captured by German warships, has the honor to state that he is now in receipt of a telegraphic communication from the Ambassador at Berlin to the effect that the officers and crew of the Harwich steamer Brussels are safe and well, and are now interned at Ruhleben.

The master of the vessel desires that his wife may be informed, and it is requested that parcels may be sent from England to these prisoners.

It appears that the five stewardsesses were separated from the crew at Cologne, and Mr. Gerard is inquiring of the German Government as to their present whereabouts and urging their prompt repatriation.

Foreign Office, July 13, 1916.

The Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs presents his compliments to the United States Ambassador and has the honor to refer to his Excellency's note of the 1st instant, relative to the situation of the officers and crew of the captured S. S. Brussels.

His Majesty's Government are now in receipt of information to the effect that it is stated in the Telegram of the 18th instant that Captain Fryatt of that vessel is to be tried by court-martial at Ghent on the charge of ramming a German submarine, and Sir E. Grey will be greatly obliged if the United States Ambassador at Berlin could be requested by telegram to be good enough to inquire whether this report is correct.

Sir E. Grey will be grateful if Mr. Gerard's reply can also be communicated by telegram.

Foreign Office, July 20, 1916.

The Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs presents his compliments to the United States Ambassador and has the honor to refer to Sir E. Grey's note of the 18th instant, respecting the report of the pending trial of Captain Fryatt of the S. S. Brussels for ramming a German submarine.

Sir E. Grey would be greatly obliged if the United States Ambassador at Berlin could be requested by telegram to take all possible steps to secure the proper defense of Captain Fryatt in the event of the court-martial being held, and if his Excellency could be informed confidentially that his Majesty's Government are satisfied that, in committing the act impugned, Captain Fryatt acted legitimately in self-defense for the purpose of evading capture or destruction.

Foreign Office, July 25, 1916.

Immediate.

The Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs presents his compliments to the United States Ambassador and has the honor to refer to Sir E. Grey's note of the 20th instant respecting the reported trial of Captain Fryatt of the S. S. Brussels.

Sir E. Grey would be greatly obliged if the United States Ambassador at Berlin could be informed that should the allegations on which the charge against Captain Fryatt is understood to be based be established by evidence, his Majesty's Government are of opinion that his action was perfectly legitimate.

His Majesty's Government consider that the act of a merchant ship in steering for an enemy submarine and forcing her to dive is essentially a defensive and purely defensive act, and that the use by a defensively armed vessel of her defensive armament in order to resist capture, which both the United States Government and his Majesty's Government hold to be the exercise of an undoubted right.

The next day the British Foreign Office addressed the American Ambassador at London, prefacing its remarks with a

copy of the German communiqué of July 28, and adding:

His Majesty's Government find it difficult to believe that a master of a merchant vessel who, after German submarines adopted the practice of sinking merchant vessels without warning and without regard for the lives of passengers or crew, took a step which appeared to afford the only chance of saving not only his vessel, but the lives of all on board, can have been deliberately shot in cold blood for this action.

If the German Government have in fact perpetrated such a crime in the case of a British subject held prisoner by them, it is evident that a most serious condition of affairs has arisen.

The Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs is therefore obliged, on behalf of his Majesty's Government, to request that urgent inquiry be made by the United States Embassy at Berlin whether the report in the press of the shooting of Captain Fryatt is true, in order that his Majesty's Government may have without delay a full and undoubted account of the facts before them.

July 29, 1916.

The American Ambassador presents his compliments to his Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and, with reference to the notes which Lord Grey was good enough to address to Mr. Page on the 18th and 20th instant, respectively, has the honor to inclose herewith a paraphrase of a telegram regarding the case of Captain Fryatt, of the S. S. Brussels, which has been received from the Ambassador at Berlin.

Berlin, July 27 (5 P. M.).

Referring to your telegrams Nos. 821 and 824, I brought the case of Fryatt, Captain of the S. S. Brussels, to the attention of the Imperial Foreign Office in writing on the 20th and 22nd, and requested an opportunity to engage counsel. A verbal reply was made yesterday, stating that the trial was fixed for today at Bruges. It was added that the Foreign Office had requested a postponement if possible.

I have today received a written reply stating that it is impossible to grant a postponement, inasmuch as German submarine warfare could not be further detailed.

Major Neumann has been appointed by the German authorities to defend Fryatt. He is in civil life an attorney and jurist.

Meanwhile throughout the world there had been an expression of great indignation over the work of the German court-martial at Bruges. And nowhere was this indignation more vehemently expressed than in Holland, where it was a tradition that a shipmaster should preserve the lives of his people on board even to the extent of armed defense. Said a leading article in the Nieuw Rotterdamse Courant of July 29:

Submarine war at the time Fryatt made his unsuccessful attempt was a discredit to humanity. It was carried out in the most remorseless manner. To get a German submarine in sight meant death for hundreds who, in the German communiqué, are now referred to as "franc-tireurs." To escape death one had, of necessity, to defend one's self, and this was admittedly permitted, because the submarine war was against all right. It may be right to call these men franc-tireurs, but the Germans will have to acknowledge that it was not the men themselves but the German method of warfare that made them franc-tireurs, and this element must be considered before any sentence passed can be called righteous. To claim the right to kill hundreds of citizens on sight and then mark out the man who

Pennsylvania Tries New Government Methods

Economy Commissioner Says That State Has Best Machinery in Union and Tells About Administrative Changes Planned

PENNSYLVANIA went on a tour of the country recently to see if any of her sister States were better managed and governed than herself and to learn wherein she might improve the economy and efficiency of her methods at Harrisburg. She found nothing in New York that she considered worth copying. Michigan and Illinois had nothing to show in the way of an improvement on Keystone ways, and as for Wisconsin, says Harry S. McDevitt, the man who made the inquiries of the State, "Wisconsin told us a lot about the glory and greatness of La Follette, but she can't buy corn or anything else more economically than we can." The State of Massachusetts had some worth-while institutions, in the opinion of the efficiency hunters, but nothing that they have yet decided to adopt. The most helpful suggestion was found in Ohio's central Board of Control of all the State institutions for the insane and other classes of dependents.

McDevitt is the Solicitor of Pennsylvania's comparatively new Economy and Efficiency Commission and the man who is doing practically all the work preliminary to tearing down and rebuilding a lot of the machinery of the State Government. Having arrived at their conclusion that Pennsylvania, even as it is, is as well governed as any other State in the Union and much better governed than most of them, the Commissioners are working to devise something entirely home made in the way of improved administrative methods.

Pennsylvania has the best of underpinning to rebuild upon. There is a population of 8,000,000 and as varied an assortment of natural riches and resources as any State in the Union can boast, a list of products ranging all the way from steel to scrapie. There is no State debt, no direct tax and, so says McDevitt, no graft in the Government. The public property of the State itself is worth \$70,000,000. It costs about \$60,000,000 to run the State for each two-year period, for which appropriations are made, and that is just about what the State's revenue, mostly from taxes on corporations, amounts to. It is the opinion of the Efficiency Commission that a million or so could be added to that revenue without finding any new sources of tax income, and that the State's expenditures could be reduced by a million or more without impairing the quantity or quality of the service it is now getting; that, on the contrary, the service might be improved at a smaller outlay.

As a matter of fact Pennsylvania is much better than she is painted outside the State. Her reputation suffers more or less, no doubt, from things that are now ancient State history. The Capitol scandals of ten years ago, with the long string of ruined reputations, three prison sentences and eleven deaths in the sequel, are still remembered.

"We have entirely outlived our Capitol sins," says McDevitt, "but we are still profiting by the lessons that we got out of them."

When the head of the Efficiency Commission says that Pennsylvania has no graft in her State Government he means that there is nothing big going on in the way of corruption, none of that dishonest "honest graft" once made famous by a statesman of New York. There are still some survivals of the traditional petty forms, but they are so very petty that the money that might be saved by abolishing them would not compensate for the amusement loss of such absurdities, free shaves and hair cuts for Senators, the Legislature's loot packages, and the like.

The loot package is a collection of trinkets that is given, at the State's expense, to each member of the Legislature and each legislative correspondent at the opening of every session. It consists of a hair brush, hat brush, clothes brush, leather card case, pocketbook, pocket knife, fountain pen, and a cake of soap. Each package now costs the State \$18,



Harry S. McDevitt

but there has been marked improvement in the price from the taxpayers' point of view.

Two futile efforts have been made in recent years to reform the loot package out of existence. A Socialist member from Reading took his package home and exhibited it in his plumbing-shop window as an example of the way the Government robbed the people. But he never returned the goods to the State. The other reformer was a clergyman member. He refused to take his package at all and he let everybody know that he had so refused and he used his good example as a text for an often repeated little sermon on civic probity. But when he was re-elected for a second term on a platform of political integrity and civic virtue he not only took the loot package that was then his conventional due but asked if he could not have, besides, the one he had not taken before.

The Economy and Efficiency Commission hopes to eliminate a great many expensive and confusing lost motions and duplications of effort, to adjust and standardize salaries and co-ordinate departments and institutions that are now running haphazard and overlapping each other without rhyme or reason. The commission also hopes to offer a new constructive plan for the making over of the tax assessing and collecting machinery of the State that will put an end to the annual losses now due, not to willful neglect or dishonest favoritism, but to lack of expert, long-trained service at the disposal of the Government. As it is now, the Auditor General assesses and collects all the taxes. But he and his entire staff go out of office every four years, leaving nobody with both experience and authority to carry on this very complicated piece of public work upon which the amount of the State's revenue entirely de-

fault is, for the most part, with the system or lack of system, and not with the individual employe.

"Reorganization and co-ordination are to be two big features of the work of rebuilding the Government of the State. There are now seventy-five different departments and all of their work could be much better done, done with less confusion and greater economy and satisfaction to the public by about fifty departments. We have five thousand employes in departments and four thousand more in institutions. I don't know that we could get along with less, but we surely could get more service from all these men and women if so many of them were not following each other around in circles and duplicating each other's work.

"For example, the game wardens and the forest wardens and the State police were all doing the same things and making the same inspections in the same districts. We have got them to co-operate on such parts of their work as they have in common, and the result is that the duplicating and triplicating have been stopped, and we now have this very essential sort of service in much larger measure and spread over a much greater area of the State without an added cent of cost. If we could get the Department of Labor and Industry and the Department of the Fire Marshal to work together we could save ten thousand dollars a year on fire escape inspections alone and get better results. Four or five different departments have to go over the same ground before a bridge can be built in this State. And so it goes throughout the State government. These things I have mentioned specifically are only illustrations."

The first big reform that the Commission has picked out to go at in detail and put through is that of the State institutions. There are thirty-five of these, each with its own Board of Trustees, appointed by the Governor, but answerable to nobody, and each board going its own way, wise or foolish, without the slightest reference to what any of the other thirty-four boards are doing. They hold State property worth thirty millions of dollars and spend two and a half millions a year. McDevitt has charts showing what they are all spending for supplies, and apparently no two institutions get the same article of supply at anywhere near the same price.

The reform that is to be suggested in this matter of the institutions for the insane and other classes of dependents after all the work of inquiry is completed will be the creation of some central organization through which the purchases for all may be made at an estimated saving of a million dollars. That is only one phase of the proposed reform of institutions. They can become much more self-supporting than they are now, for example. There are more than a thousand acres of tillable land connected with these various homes for the unfortunate. Under the present arrangement not an acre of that land is being used for food production. That is another thing to be corrected.

It takes at least half of the term of each incumbent in the office to learn what it is all about. In the meantime the work of the corporations to show why they should pay less rather than more is being done by thoroughly trained experts who make a life job of the matter. One of the reform measures to be recommended by the commission will be the creation of a Tax Commission of three with terms ending at different periods to provide for continuity of policy.

"One of the hardest jobs that we have to tackle," says Mr. McDevitt, "is the equalization or standardization of public salaries. I would not say that many of the State salaries are excessive, but they are unequal, and in some cases changes can be made which will yield to the State much more service that is really needed than is now being rendered by this or that employe. The present

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War May Eliminate French Money Marriage

Custom of Demanding a Dowry with the Bride and Principles Governing It Cause Discussion Among Prominent Frenchmen

OF the many problems confronting the nations after the present war one of the most important is that concerning marriage. It is generally agreed that the principles formerly governing the negotiation of marriage among the young persons of the older civilizations of Europe must experience a radical change.

In France the whole subject is now being taken up for consideration on its broadest lines by legislators, noted writers, and the great body of the public. As with regard to most of the problems awaiting a new solution, the other nations look for the decision of France in the matter as a guiding light for their own resolutions.

French writers frankly put the questions to be discussed in the following terms: After the war, will a dowry be needed for girls in order for them to find a husband? Will the moral reform which is undoubtedly on the way bring an end to the so-called "money marriage"?

As far as the next generation is concerned, the question is expected to find its solution in an extraordinary phenomenon, first announced from Budapest, then from Vienna, later from German cities, and now receiving a certain confirmation in Paris. This is the fact of the great excess of male children being born in the belligerent countries, a verification of the old-time belief that nature brings a prompt remedy for the destruction of men in warfare, an apparent mystery for which, however, some medical authorities have recently presented seemingly adequate scientific explanations.

In the Baudeloque ward of the great Maternité Hospital in Paris there were born on one day—recently twenty-three children. Of these twenty-one were males. On the same day in an adjoining ward of the same hospital seventeen children were born, sixteen being males.

"If this phenomenon should prove to be general," says M. Urbain Gohier, the famous French editor, in the *Paris Journal*, "it will be the girls who will be scarce and who will be at a premium between the years 1940 and 1950, and money marriages will then probably be no longer discussed."

The problem, however, of immediate interest is that of today, intensified by the fact that marriageable girls are in the majority, while, with every day that the war continues, the men available for marriage are growing fewer. In accordance with the laws of supply and demand it would naturally be expected that men should show themselves more and more exacting when they consider entering the bonds of matrimony. The question is: Will they be exacting in the way of demanding more virtues, qualities, and accomplishments in the girls? Or will they simply insist on more dollars and cents?

M. Gohier tells of the mother of a young man who, in June, 1914, expressed her willingness to have her son marry a girl with a moderate dowry, but who, as the son did not wed, has now withdrawn her consent in that regard. She says: "My son has the Cross of the Legion of Honor and the War Cross. He is now worth more." Such is the attitude of the older generation. It is important to know what influence that attitude will have on the marriage problem in this year and in the immediately succeeding years.

An agitation was recently begun in France to abolish pensions by finding employment, with remuneration equal to the pension, for persons needing it. This is recognized as a movement in accord with the very latest theories regarding the improvement of social conditions by works of an ennobling kind. A similar purpose is set forth as the reason for a campaign which has been undertaken for the total abolition of the dowry.

There are two main sides to the dowry case and an infinity of dependent problems.

On the one side is what is termed in Europe the "American system." In the

United States young men take their wives without dowry. They assume the charge and burden of the life in common. They count only on their own energy for the future of the family. Such, at least, is the way the arrangement seems to be; such is the theory held in Europe of the marriage arrangements as they appear to exist in America.

In reality, of course, even in America there is no way of preventing young men from counting on future inheritances when they undertake matrimony. Even though she has no dowry when she marries, a girl of rich family in America is not married like a girl of poor family. But, on the whole, conclude the French writers, there undoubtedly is an American system different from the European system.

In the American system is displayed that "manly dignity which proclaims the determination and the ability of the husband to support his wife and children." Many in Europe follow this American system. In the "European system" there seems to be lacking that assertion of manly determination.

M. Gohier writes:

Among non-civilized peoples the husband buys his wife. Among ultra-civilized peoples the wife buys her husband. In sound and healthy communities neither buys the other, and love alone is the motive power bringing about unions.

However, there are many problems which do not admit of the same solution when one considers them as affecting the ideal man and the man of actual life. Universal suffrage, for example, and income tax are now questions outside the realm of controversy, since all voters are well informed and all persons liable to taxation are scrupulously anxious to pay their taxes. What would happen if the voters were ignorant, or the taxpayers dishonest?

In the same way, the custom of exacting a dowry is a shocking one where all men are chivalrous and high-minded. Suppose—just for mere argument's sake—that there still existed among men a certain trace of meanness and selfishness, and suddenly the condition of the woman without a dowry becomes a matter for compassion.

The honeymoon does not last always. An hour arrives when the brutal husband about in violent tones—or the well-educated husband hints by gestures, allusions and insinuations: "Since I support you, you are my servant, my slave, my object." In other days women put up with this. Now they do so no longer. For a woman to owe her support to a man whom she adores and who adores her is pure joy; but if the adoration has grown cool, it is humiliation.

In the home, as in outside life, the question of money carries on its work of destruction and dissolution. The abyss is dug between the person who has money and the one who has not, between the one who gives money and the one who receives it. Now this very question of money and all the alien comparisons which it causes, all the bitter calculations and all the ignoble reproaches disappear only with the equalizing of the pos-

sessions which each of the parties brings into the wedded life.

The custom of the dowry shocks our sensibilities, but the suppression of the dowry puts the woman in a position of inferiority in the conjugal association. How is this dilemma to be met? It is not a matter for legislation; it is a matter for morals and ethics.

It is proposed to abolish the dowry completely. But how are we going to induce all parents to abandon the custom of the dowry, and how are we going to induce the future brides to insist on being taken in marriage without a dowry? If there is not unanimity, how are we going to reform the practice, when "the prospective bridegrooms, greatly reduced in number on account of the war, shall in consequence have vastly increased in market value?" "My son is now worth more," may be taken as the typical phrase representing the views of one generation summarizing the ideals of an epoch and of a class, crudely exposing its secret thought and obscure sentiments.

Such was the selfishness of the period before the war.

M. Gohier affirms that the war will have brought about a radical change in views on what may be considered as the financial side of matrimony.

The young generation now of marriageable age will despise the rather ignoble prudence of an older generation. The girls will be proud to show their gratitude and admiration for the defenders of their country in accepting marriage without dowry, the marriage of love and of abnegation. The young heroes will not degrade their heroism by counting the pennies.

They will want a disinterested marriage, the marriage of love and devotion. They will have met so many perils, so many trials, so much suffering, that they would blush for shame at the idea of not meeting life with all its risks, in order to create the happiness and well-being of a wife and children without receiving a reward for doing so. And this is the program of marriage without a dowry.

To be young together, to be poor together, to face together the brief and rapid adventure which life is—life is not that far more amusing than taking up quarters in a ready-made and fully equipped nest?

The whole war will purify, elevate and ennoble. Parents may perhaps obstinately insist on the obsolete trades and combinations and continue to calculate real estate values, bags of gold, bonds and stocks and annuities and hopes of inheritance. But the young generation will not need to pay attention to the ancient methods and undoubtedly will not do so.

Eugène Brieux, member of the French Academy and an author of dramas known to the United States, including the much-discussed "Damaged Goods," takes an important part in the discussion regarding the future of the marriage problem. He foresees a far nobler and higher view of matrimony and, most important of all, a new vogue for large families.

There will be an emulation among women in the immediate future as to which can display the greatest number of fine children. A woman will only be-

gin to be in the running when she can say: "I have four of them."

Landlords will no longer be allowed to refuse to rent houses and apartments to couples with young children. Business houses will not be permitted to dismiss employees who desire to get married.

A committee to be formed immediately after the war by a select group of society women "from among the most elegant, the most distinguished, belonging to the finest families of France, queens of the aristocracy, of the arts and of finance," will have for its object to bring back motherhood into fashion. The finest picture in the next exhibition of the Salon, M. Brieux says, will be that of a mother and child.

Young mothers will drive out with their babies in the Bois, proud of exhibiting them as they formerly were of displaying their new hats or gowns or equipages. Women of the bourgeois class will follow the example of the society women, until it will come to be a reproach in France for a wedded couple not to have children.

A further task for the nation will be the saving of infant lives. M. Brieux adds:

The times assuredly will be changed. Motherhood was not sufficiently respected and positive cruelty was reserved for motherhood outside the bonds of wedlock. Indeed, in this latter regard there might be danger of exaggeration in the opposite direction. Some now suggest that there be shown a like consideration for motherhood in both cases. Undoubtedly maternity courageously accepted may redeem and efface any fault. The latter view is the best guarantee for women against the lightness and egoism of certain men, and any interference with marriage should be for the purpose of strengthening it. It is not to be desired that the population be increased by offspring born out of wedlock.

France needs good married couples, united by love, happy in work, with sufficient confidence in life to wish to perpetuate it and increase it, courageous and conscientious enough with regard to their duties. When the good example is given by those whose imperious obligation it is to give it, when the directing classes are the first to perform what hitherto they have only preached, when the lowly, at last certain of not bringing into the world creatures destined to misery, welcome the newcomers at their table there will still be much to do.

The plant will have been born, but it must be assured of the possibility of development; puericulture must be undertaken. The plant must bear fine blossoms and give fine fruit—this will be the part of proper rearing. The infant coming into the world is waylaid by many enemies. The frightful figures of infant mortality are well known. In the first year many of them disappear. If we were determined in the right way almost all the infants might live.

Put to approach the realization of this dream the mothers must be educated. Heretofore we took little heed in the matter, and science, of which we are so proud, was devoted in greater measure to the improvement of animals than of the human race. My master, Professor Pinard, had the honor of being the first to advance the principle that consideration for the child must begin before it is born.

The agriculturist does not limit himself to caring for the plant after it has grown out of the soil. He prepares the ground for it. The birth of a child is surely a vastly more important matter. Men and women for the most part do not suspect the sacred grandeur of the event, nor the responsibility which they assume with regard to it. It depends almost entirely on them to create happiness or misery; it depends almost entirely on them to create health, that is joy and goodness; or sickness, that is suffering and hatred.

In the alcoholic countries "Sunday children" are known, the offspring of partial drunkenness, and physicians recognize the children of the contaminated and the specialist can tell the children of mothers who have worked hard up to the time when the child was born. Professor Pinard, in his own practice, has increased the average weight of newborn babies ten ounces by imposing rest on the mother during the last two months.

We all know that a baby has a far greater chance of dying the more it is kept from its mother. We know that infant mortality is low for children nursed by the mother. We know that the mother who takes a wet nurse imperils the life of two children, her own and the nurse's. The baby must be preserved from all these dangers and also from those which careful hygienic rules can remove.

There should be a new double rule or formula:

"Bring into the world all those who can be made to live, and make all those who have been brought into the world."

Random Bits

THE Paris representatives of some of the largest exporting and importing firms of the United States and the representatives of French organizations of manufacturers and merchants as well as of the University of Paris and other educational institutions were brought together recently by the American Commercial Attaché in Paris, C. W. A. Veditz, to discuss the possibility of devising a scheme for the interchange of students of commerce between France and the United States. It was suggested at the conference that, while the two countries now exchange professors, it might be more advantageous if they exchanged students who proposed to make foreign trade their career. A committee representing the United States and France was appointed to prepare a tentative plan.

Soldiers at the front in France now enjoy performances of a traveling theatre company, financed by a group of philanthropic French people. The entire paraphernalia necessary for these performances is packed in three big wagons which travel from point to point along the lines in France. The plays are

given under a modest canvas roof, and across the front of the stage are the words "Theatre of the Front." The proscenium is decorated with patriotic and warlike insignia—bursting bombs, laurel wreaths, medals of honor, &c. The scenery is limited to two sets, one an interior, the other a rural scene.

A new diamond field has been discovered in the Transvaal, about six miles from the famous Premier diamond mine and eighteen miles from Pretoria. The first finds, it is reported, were exceedingly promising, and there has been a rush of diamond diggers to the new ground.

New steamship service through the Panama Canal from Wellington, New Zealand, to London was inaugurated when the steamer *Remuera* of the New Zealand Shipping Company passed through the canal last month en route to London. Formerly the vessels of this company sailed around the Cape of Good Hope in the voyage from England and around Cape Horn on the homeward lap, going completely around the world on each trip.

A Source of Innocent Merriment

Well Tended.

George was hampered by a mother whose idea of gentility was cleanliness. Notwithstanding the frequent baths to which he was condemned George thrived exceedingly. One day a neighbor remarked on his rapid growth.

"Yes," said George, "that's Ma's fault. She waters me so much."

Rest Needed.

The pretty restaurant cashier had applied for a holiday.

"I must recuperate," she said. "My beauty is beginning to fade."

"That so?" said the proprietor. "What makes you think so?"

"The men are beginning to count their change."

She got her holiday.

Too Much Watchful Waiting.

Mother (to battered son)—Willie, how often have I told you to stop before fighting and count up to a hundred!

Battered Son—That's what I did, but Charlie Jones's mother only told him to count ten.

Easily Satisfied.

I want to marry a pretty girl Who never nags or hollers; She must be very generous And have two million dollars!

Was His Humor Conscious?

A YOUNG woman in Pittsburgh was recently looking at material in one of that city's leading dry goods stores in an attempt to select what would make an attractive skirt for the summer. The clerk rather strenuously suggested the availability of several patterns.

"But," said the young woman, "they are rather loud, don't you think?" Without a gleam of a smile, and in a perfectly correct tone for a salesman to assume, he replied: "Too loud for awnings—just right for skirts."

Regularity Personified.

THE doctor had listened to his patient's heart, taken his blood pressure, in short, made a thorough examination of his physical condition. Then he announced his verdict.

"What you want is to get more exercise, walk more regularly."

"Well, doctor, I don't see how I can do that," answered the man. "I'm a postman!"

Think of Noontime!

THE ship's officer was talking to the inquisitive old lady who was making her first sea trip.

"There goes eight bells," he said. "Excuse me, it is my watch below."

"Mercy on us!" exclaimed the lady. "Does your watch strike as loud as all that?"

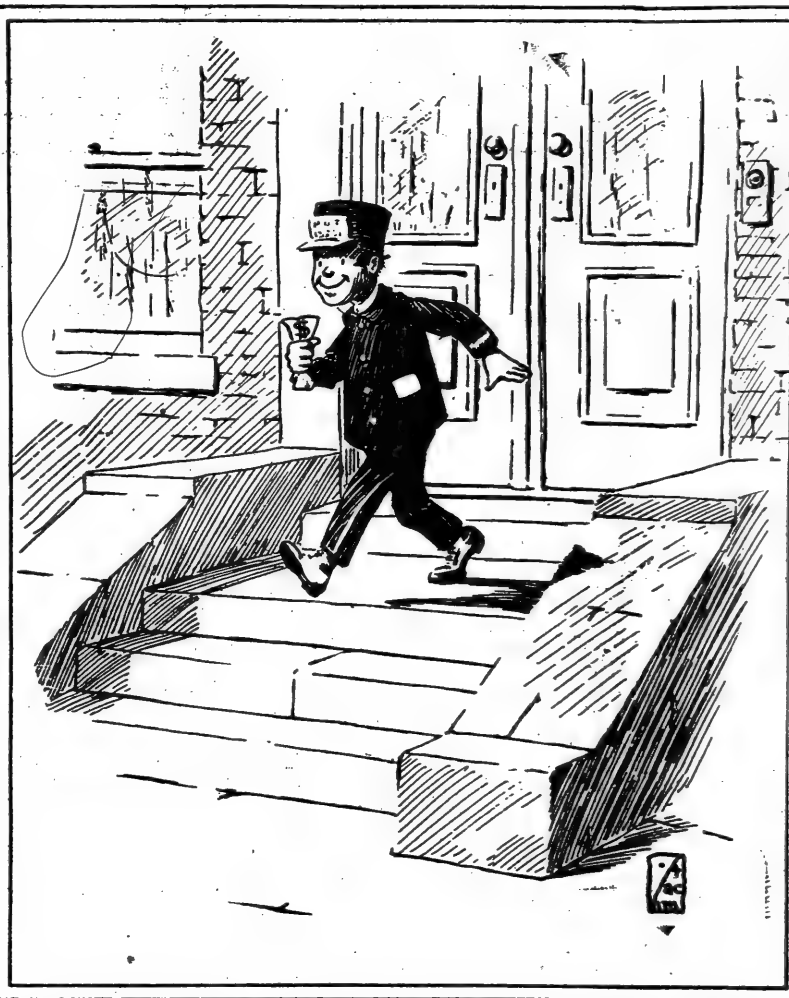
Restricted Range.

MARIE, supple and slender, and Aunt Clara, bulky and benign, had returned from a shopping expedition, during which each had been trying to buy a ready-made suit.

At the house Marie was asked what success each had had in her efforts to be fitted. "I got along very well," said Marie, "but Aunt Clara is getting so fat that about all she can get ready-made is an umbrella."

Incredible.

CITY-BRED Doris had arrived at grand-father's farm for a visit. The first morning she came running into the house to her mother, crying excitedly: "Oh, mamma, come see the dear little pigs, but just think, they have a hog for a mother!"



"Gee whis! If I could take some guy a letter from his best girl every day there'd be money in this business."

IF MEALS BECOME MUSIC

By Thomas R. Thayer.

(A Chicago Professor says that musical compositions all have distinctive food tastes. Beethoven being like a steak, Chopin like luscious fruit, &c.—News Item)

WAITER, get a plate Of nice Tschakowsky stew. Some hot Beethoven From the oven And pickled Verdi too— Some fresh Rachmaninoff! No cannoroli—that's fine!— These trifles

Chaud Debussy With lots of Rukminin.

Then—well, some Chopin, sharp. But not too sharp at that.

A bit in G Will do for me But—mind it isn't flat! Then get a glass of Gluck And, from your Wagner, bake The Valkyrs' wheep And—oh, well, soup And just a bit of steak.



Colored Customer—I'll take some lady fingers. Salesgirl—You mean chocolate eclairs. Colored Customer—Don't contradict me. I know lady fingers when I see them.

Handicapped.

First Stranger (to second stranger, who is sporting a massive watch charm)—What's the time, friend?

Second Stranger—Can't tell, just now, Mister.

First Stranger—Can't tell me? You've got a watch, ain't you?

Second Stranger—Yes, I've got a watch, Mister; but the blamed thing stopped about a month ago, one noon-time, an' ever since I ain't been able to tell whether it's right unless I hear the 12 o'clock whistles blow-in'.

Not Exactly Affectionate.

He—Shall I write you every day during my travels?

She—Yes, do! I'm collecting souvenir postals!

Test to His Powers.

Salesman (recommending blue necktie with large pink spots)—But wouldn't you like one like this? I am selling a lot of them this year.

Sarcastic Customer—Very clever of you, I'm sure.

Terrible Mishap.

Bess—Isn't it just awful about Clara? Jess—Why, what's the trouble?

Bess—You know how she used to hang on Dick's every word?

Jess—Yes. Bess—Well, the other day he broke it.

Keeping It Quiet.

Little Margaret lived in a gossip neighborhood and, being an observant child, she had got some ideas into her curly head. One day, having done something naughty, she was sent upstairs to confess her transgression in prayer.

"Did you tell God all about it?" asked her mother when she came down again. "Dead I didn't," she declared. "Why; it would have been all over heaven in no time."

—Boston Transcript.

Spelled His Luck.

Boozey Bill—Once I was in a fair way of makin' a fortune. But a labor-saving device ruined me.

The other Boozey (lastly)—Speak on, Mac-kid.

Boozey Bill—I was getting on nicely as a barman in a pub, when the boss bought a cash register. Ideas.

The "Growth."

"I 'spect they refused Jim cos o' that growth at the back of 'is nose."

"Growth? 'E never mentioned no growth to me."

"No. 'E called it 'is lice."—Passing Show.

Not Doing It.

Father—Tommy, stop pulling that cat's tail. Tommy—I'm only holding the tail, the cat's pulling it!—Pearson's Weekly.

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New Prints on View at the Public Library

THE recent accessions in the Print Department of the New York Public Library are more than usually interesting. Much of the material displayed in the glass cases of the exhibition room shows distinctly modern feeling and reflects the spirit of different nations. The visitor who remembers similar cases in the British Museum, where a few years ago brilliant little exhibitions began to disturb the dust of tradition in the newly opened galleries of the Museum, will notice a clear resemblance to these exhibitions in the type of work shown.

A considerable number of British prints heighten the effect of the comparison. Here is Spencer Pryse emphasizing the most expressive side of London poverty, as he has done most effectively in his posters for the Underground. Possibly his scene in the present instance is laid in the Underground. In some public conveyance, at all events, are seated a harsh-visaged mother and her sleeping child. The child's misshapen and buttonless shoes, thrust out as a signpost of that peculiar thriftless poverty which is London, tell us as plainly as speech could the story of a class. Mr. Pryse seeks his drama in strong contrasts of dark and light and the blotting out of detail. Occasionally his bold shadows fail to convince the observer of underlying structure, but the blacks are so rich in quality and so decoratively spotted on the paper that the first impression given by them is one of strong authority.

The lithograph by Ethel Gahain is in a different mood, sprightlier and finer if not so surely appealing to the casual observer. Her "Départ Fantastique" is an ingenious little composition, all long, slim lines and carefully planned diagonals and perpendiculars. A woman in a long skirt, a high hat, a habit coat, her hand on a cane, opens a door with an elaborate gesture. Her shadow on the door successfully modifies the transition from the dark figure to the light background. Miss Gahain, (who recently has become Mrs. John Copley, wife of the Secretary of the Senefelder Club,) is thoroughly in possession of her medium, doing most of her work directly on the stone, and turning easily from one type of subject to another without missing the light distinction of style characteristic of her personal talent. The "Départ Fantastique" is more mannered than the delightful "Caprice" which was exhibited two or three years ago at the Salon of the Société Nationale in Paris and won for the artist her election as Associate. In the "Caprice" a shadow is again used with great subtlety and the darks in the composition are vigorously massed. A small figure of a woman with fan wide spread is seated on the end of a divan, her feet drawn up under silken skirts. The brilliant accent made by her light gown with its crisp reflections balances the deep black of the divan, a black in which there is air, however, and the intimation of the light that permeates shadow. The straight lines of the background drapery have a certain simple severity that commands the imagination to the same degree as the stage sets of Gordon Craig by the absence of all pretense at realization. It is rare to find in combination such vivacity and such a sense of the monumental, and one would like to see this particular print added to the library collection.

In salient contrast with the half Gallic, half British, genius of Miss Gahain, at once scrupulous and imaginative, is the work of John Copley who in style is as masculine as his wife is feminine, and who is at least her equal in dexterous craftsmanship. His "Rome: The Café Greco" shows the interior of the café with chess players at one table, a priest drinking at another, a fashionably dressed man crossing the foreground plane. The types are admirably discriminated.

You are there in the room, the scene is passing before you. You recognize the old priest and the young elegant, the pictures on the wall, and the heterogeneous sculpture. Nothing could be more real, and the chalk is beautifully handled; the spacing also has a fine amplitude, but the design is not quite inevitable. Instead of feeling that no item could be subtracted from the whole or changed without injury to the effect, the

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spectator is teased by a desire to move the parts of the composition about, in search of a still more logical arrangement, to try a plain background, to obliterate those black diamonds of the foreground floor which insist upon attention. Yet the print is one to which you return from the abundant commonplace of the modern output, one that you would like to own and that rebukes specific faultfinding by its general effectiveness. The German Klinger is represented by

engaging are the Acadian subjects. "The Old Acadian Inn-Yard" is a bit of outdoor genre as witty and individual as though a Babel had made it. The group of men seated at a table in the foreground are differentiated with brusque competency; all the details of the life of a rustic inn—the well, the tools, the chickens, the little maid—are given their right places in the composition, and the delightfully pure, crisp line is a golden merit toward proper ap-

with the detached truthfulness of vision that usually results in humor. The attitudes responding to the special strain and resistance of the muscles, the suggestion of swift, smooth motion, the very tang of the cold air, all are reproduced with an admirable synthesis that preserves the nervous tenseness of the exercise together with its freedom and joyousness.

Spain is represented by one lithograph by Zuloaga, a Spanish type of pedestrian walking with book and staff through a mountainous country. It is obviously from studies such as this that the painter gained the freedom of his



Rome: The Cafe Greco. From Lithograph by John Copley at New York Public Library. (Photo by Peter A. Juley.)

the loveliest of his adventures in "Griffelkunst," the "Mondnacht," in which delicately related values are held in one superbly simple tone. The mysterious beauty of the moonlit scene is familiar to every one acquainted with the outdoor world under these conditions. The artist has rendered with extraordinary truth the spirit of the irradiating moonlight that leaves no shadow uninfluenced by its pervasive illumination. A pale sky is crossed by drifting shreds of cloud. It bends over houses with sloping roofs, plain walls, and picturesquely grouped window openings; a river besides which straggles a little path, like a child trying to keep up with the stride of a man; a little bridge, trees with bushy foliage drenched in moonshine—a pleasant commonplace scene, made exquisite by the magic of light and shade. Nothing of Klinger's eccentricity and passion for experiment appear in this serene and authoritative masterpiece.

The neighboring landscape by Georg Jahn, powerful in the massing of dark and light, is more schematic. White cottony clouds, immense blocks of foliage, a broad stream banded heavily with light, are brought together in a simplification, letting the eliminations be known to the most casual.

Hans Thoma is another German in the group, and in his etching, "Schwarz-wälder Vordach," recalls to many a traveler the pleasant incidents of Summer journeyings. Technically the work is not remarkable, although the clear, open line, quite innocent of those films of tone which entreat the aesthetic sense in the works of masters of printing, will give pleasure to the purist. There is plenty of humor of the childlike variety still to be found among Germans of the older school and outside of Berlin. The expressions of the cock and the cat staring at one another in the doorway are amusingly done without undue emphasis. Stephen Parrish is seen in a number of etchings, of which the most

preciation of which popular taste is again turning, after a long period of worshipping the indeterminate blur and the ragged edge.

Among the later American etchers B. J. O. Nordfeldt is conspicuous with his plate of the Public Library, one that has much more than the virtue of appropriateness to commend it for the collection. The qualities of restraint and discrimination are rare enough in any art, but in the art of etching where they seem most essential they are least often present in marked degree. No public character has sat oftener for his portrait than this classic building guarded by its patient, stupid lions. Mr. Nordfeldt begins his work of discrimination by leaving out the lions. He lets the broad, simple spaces have their due in the architectural plan, he makes the most of the shadowy arched recesses, and he introduces with Italian tact a sensitive embroidery of ornament within restricted limits, drawing the eye to the significant centre.

Mr. Plowman's work is less reticent and his attention less concentrated, but his representation shows him at his dignified best, careful of the character of his subject and with a positive genius for the pictorial point of view.

Among the woodcuts in the exhibition are a number of particular significance. There is the little series by Emil Orlik, in which with an adroit adaptation of the Japanese manner he shows the development of a Japanese print as it passes in turn under the hands of the artist, the wood engraver, and the printer. Many columns of description would do less than these three unobtrusive prints to instruct the uninitiated, and into the bargain a charming and decorative arrangement in color and line has been produced.

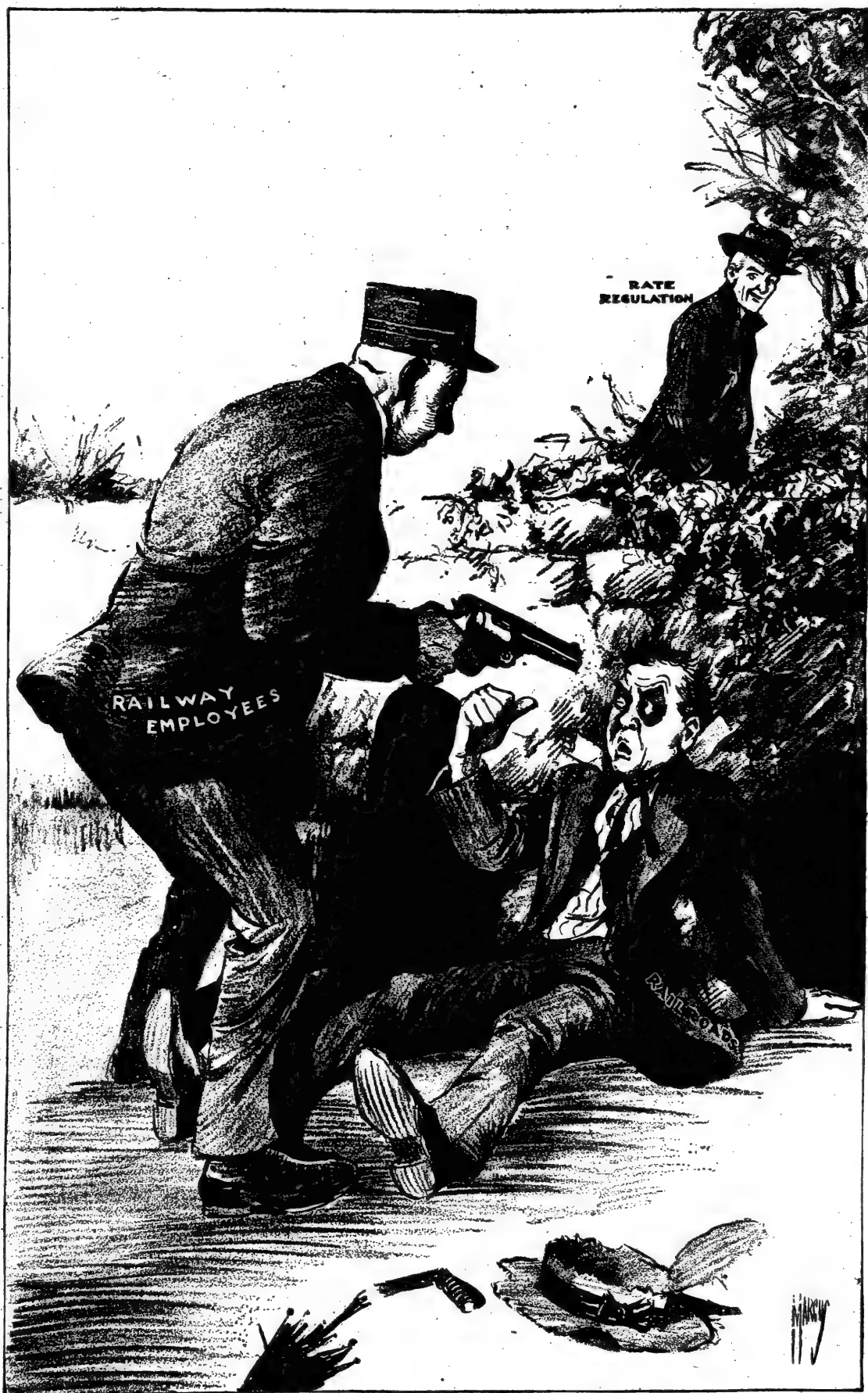
Another German woodcut printed in color is by the clever Walter Klemm, who takes for his theme a party of skaters on a lake. The ice is rendered by a flat tint of strong blue, and on this in black are the figures of the skaters seen

interpretation in his painting "The Hermit," recently sold to the Museum.

These are only a few of the prints on exhibition. Many of them belong to the Avery collection and these are together in one group. A rehearsal of the names and artists would give very little idea of the range which is a range in ideas and influences. There is, of course, no sequence or homogeneity, as the individual prints have been chosen to fill definite gaps in such a general collection of which they have become a part. The value of this general collection hardly can be estimated. It is at the disposal of all the art lovers of the city for study and comparison, and the practical worker will find in it a peculiar humanity of interest the stimulus of which only a practical worker knows. It lacks the numbers of the Library of Congress and the superb orderly development of the Boston collection. These can be supplied by diligence and generosity. That which it has evaded analysis. It has its root in the Avery collection, the product of personal taste and personal adventure. The rare flavor of such a product cannot be manufactured or imitated and it cannot be mistaken.

In addition to the general exhibition of prints, a group of chiaroscuro prints by various masters has been placed on view in the exhibition room of the library. This particular method was "born of the desire to reproduce wash drawings executed in a few tones, with or without outlines, with white body color for the high lights. To do this wood blocks were engraved, one for each tone in combination or not with one for the outline. The whites were produced by simply cutting away those portions of the wood so that they would not print, the resulting white spaces so standing out by contrast to the surrounding color that they seem whiter than the white paper margin of the print." The chiaroscuro method is not very well known to the public and forms an interesting little department of the larger subject of print making.

Railroads: "You're too late; he saw me first"



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MRS. DELAND'S FEMINIST HEROINE

"The Rising Tide" a Forthcoming Novel in Which Are Analyzed Some of the New Ideas and Tendencies Among Women—Latest Works of Fiction

THE RISING TIDE. By Margaret Deland. Illustrated by F. Walker Taylor. New York: Harper & Brothers.

THE significance of Mrs. Deland's title for her new novel, which will be published the latter part of this week, is to be found in the "rising tide" of feminist ideas which have swept many women away from their old moorings. Her heroine, Frederica Payton, known to her friends as "Freddy," and "Old Fred," is a striking and interesting example of the far reaches to which that tide can carry a young woman who gives herself up to its full force. Mrs. Deland breaks violently with one of the time-honored traditions of fiction and makes her heroine plain. Frederica is told also several times in the course of the story that she has no "charm." It is an inkling of her character that this does not disturb her in the least. She makes a light and ready reply and goes on with her own plans and activities. Mrs. Deland speaks, when Freddy first comes on the scene, of her "wolfish, unhumorous young face, pathetic with its hunger for life," and later on gives this description of her:

She was plain, but she had one of those primitive faces which, while sometimes actually ugly, are, under the stress of certain emotions, extraordinarily handsome. She was never pretty; there was too much thought in the jutting lines of her brow and chin, and her cheeks, smudged sometimes with red, sometimes, slightly pale, had no dimpling suggestion of a smile. Her gray, unhumorous eyes held one by their nakedly direct gaze, even while a bludgeoning truthfulness of speech made her hearers wince away from her.

The scene of the story is in a city somewhere in the eastern part of the Ohio Valley, a city with wealth and poverty and social castes, workingwomen's problems, suffrage parades, and old-fashioned ideas. Frederica's father had been a man of abilities, commercial power, and ruthless selfishness, and bequeathed left to wife and daughter plenty of money and an unloved memory. The daughter did not hesitate to voice her scornful opinion of him when she felt that the demands of truth made it necessary for her to speak, but the mother kept his silk hat always hanging on the hatrack and held nervous guard over her tongue, lest her daughter's truth-speaking should some time trick her into admission of her long years of unhappiness.

It is the old, old tale, as old as humanity, of "fathers and sons," which the twentieth century has feminized into "mothers and daughters"; the old tale of cross-purposes between the older and the younger generation, of cast-off ideals, of forward looking young eyes and backward looking old ones. Frederica knows that she has brains and she wants to use them; she has as much energy as an engine under full head of steam and she is eager to do something with it. She considers her mother and her aunt and various other women of her acquaintance parasites and tells them so. And at the opening of the story she shocks most of her little circle of relatives and friends by opening a real estate office. When they tell her that men like this and that in women and do not like women to do this or that she answers unconcernedly that she doesn't care what they like. She smokes cigarettes, sits on tables and desks, uses much slang, and talks straightforwardly to men and women alike with not the least self-consciousness about the single standard of morals and the need of a law requiring health certificates of men before they can be married. She belongs in the most select social circles of her city, and they are constantly buzzing with stories of what Freddy has said or done. But Freddy does not care a copper—she herself would say a "darn," if she did not use a stronger word—what any one else says or thinks of her conduct as long as it conforms to her own standards of truth-speaking, being square, not playing the hypocrite, and being always a "good sport."

Frederica is a gallant young figure, pathetic because she does not realize her own crudity, irritating because of her impenetrable egotism, repellent because she is hard and selfish, but yet always a gallant figure, a figure that interests and inspires tenderness because she is so young and brave and eager-eyed and avid of life. She is a wild young rebel upon whom the constant talk of her relatives about her duties inside the four walls of her home makes no impression. But she is quite ready to do no end of disagreeable things, even going to jail—which she finds an interesting experience—if she thinks that she can thereby

better the lot of the women workers in a factory. She takes great pride in being able to meet and talk with her men friends as if she were "another man," and the one complimentary speech which she remembers with the greatest pleasure is that of Howard Maitland, who tells her that he would rather talk with her than with any man he knew. But when he wants to get a sympathetic response to his interest in oncology he goes to Frederica's pretty cousin, Laura, who frankly admits that she has neither brains nor "sand," but greatly admires her



Margaret Deland

relative's endowments in both of these qualities. Frederica recognizes within herself a growing restlessness of vision concerning Howard and with exultant heart plunges on, quite sure that under her influence he will cast aside the despised oncology and throw himself into work for suffrage, or politics, or social betterment, or something worth while. And her awakening to many things does not come until, in the exercise of what she is thoroughly convinced is her inalienable right, she proposes to him. That gives him some difficult minutes, but he finally makes her understand that he does not care for her in that way.

Afterward it is Frederica who has the bad time, and in her shame and wounded pride she thinks out for herself a good many things and discovers that underneath the surface and conventional chidings and small-minded precepts which formerly she had despised and ignored there lurk biological and sociological truths that are really worth thinking about.

Mrs. Deland's hand is often a bit heavy in her depiction of character, especially when she intends her story to point a moral, for then her people must serve her didactic purpose, whether or not they lead logical and consistent lives. In this novel her theme seems to be that, no matter how much men and women may frolic upon a "rising tide" and amuse themselves with the seaweed it carries, when it comes to the important affairs of their personal lives they plunge through and set their feet firmly upon the same solid old earth. And, intent upon her purpose of bringing out strongly Howard Maitland's reaction to first principles, she neglects to make plausible his long devotion to Frederica. He is not really interested in the

questions that absorb her, he does not read the books and pamphlets she sends him while he is away in the Philippines, and his part in their conversations is mainly confined to such sympathetic remarks as "You bet" and "Bully." Frederica's mother and her Aunt Bessie, illustrating in their ideas the old-fashioned conception of womanly sweetness and charm, are drawn with a rather heavy hand, and the placid cow-likeness of such intellects as they are credited with is made unnecessarily emphatic. The author in her endeavor to bring out the contrast between the old and the new has made it so violent that it loses convincingness. The reader's sympathies fly at once to Frederica when her mother appears on the scene. The same violence of contrast appears in two elderly maiden sisters, to one of whom, Miss Eliza Graham, the author has given some attractive touches in the slight and sketchy outline of her occasional appearances. She is 70 years old and has the look of "a frayed eagle." For she also would have been one of the rebels if rebellion had been possible when she was young. But she can understand the rebels, such as Frederica, now. Their freedom, she says, has gone to their heads. Like "champagne on empty stomachs." Another old character, as subtly portrayed as any in the book, is Frederica's grandmother, a terrible old woman who wants to be thought young and will not allow death to be mentioned in her presence—although Frederica, of course, insists upon speaking of it to her whenever possible. But she can recognize and give a word of grudging, selfish praise to the courage and intellect of her granddaughter, however much she disapproves of her heedlessness about possible husbands.

Almost every one in the book talks more or less for or against woman suffrage and woman's freedom and other phases of feminism or philosophizes over those questions. Mrs. Deland also does some philosophizing marked by good sense, the ability to see both sides of the question, and the desire to give each side its due weight. But, after all, it is Frederica who is the book, Freddy, the most modern of girls, and one of the best portrayals of the extreme type of feminist young women that has yet appeared in fiction. Will Mrs. Deland some day write a sequel and tell us how her marriage with Arthur Weston turns out? For the reader cannot view with entire confidence in the outcome the vivid Frederica's mating with a man twenty years her senior, for whom her feeling evidently does not touch the depths of her heart, notwithstanding his love and sympathetic understanding of her.

THE BRIDE OF A MOMENT

THE BRIDE OF A MOMENT. By Carolyn Wells. New York: George H. Doran Company, P. S.

AN elaborate church wedding in a fashionable colony near New York City is the setting which Miss Wells gives to the opening of her new novel of criminal mystery. The bridal procession moves down the aisle, the music of the vested choir floats out over the select assemblage, the service is finished, the minister congratulates the bridegroom, and the bride turns, while the music peals forth and the gay crowd breaks into chatter and laughter, for her departure down the aisle on the arm of her husband. And then, without the sound of a shot or the sight on any death-dealing instrument, she suddenly crumples up and falls to the floor with a bullet wound in her temple.

The dense mystery which her friends and the law officers face is, Who killed her, and why? Miss Wells sets it up like a stone wall across her pages at the end of the first five minutes of her tale. There is much busing of leagues and the first installment of the officers of the law appears on the scene and at the end of another few minutes the first tentative suspicions have been directed in part against the bridegroom and in part against her cousin, his best man. The bridegroom's possible motive is furnished by the fact that unless he was married within a few weeks he would lose his right to his father's fortune and by his entanglement in another love affair. The motives impugned to the best man are that the bride had willed her small fortune to him, that he feared he would lose it by her marriage, and that he was in love with her himself. Back and forth between and around

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MR. MacGILL'S STORY OF THE GREAT PUSH

Continuation of the Young Irish Novelist's Account
of the Campaign in Flanders—Recent Books on the War

THE GREAT PUSH. By Patrick MacGill. The George H. Doran Company.

SIX months ago we revisited a book on the war in Flanders, or rather such of the incidents as came under the observation of a young Irishman in the London Irish Regiment, recommending it to the attention of any and every one who wanted a vivid and biting picture of things as they are on the line of battle. Written by an author who had proved before this how strong he was in getting what he had seen and experienced before his readers, the book fully kept the promise held out by the name of the title page.

Now comes a sequel to the first account, if possible even more thrilling than the earlier volume. For here the long months of waiting are past, and the Great Push begins. Here we have the war-hopper going at full speed, mangling, tearing, throwing out the fragments of the bright young Mac poured into it as lavishly, roaring for more of the same food. Here we sit by the men who are to leap out and charge up to the German guns in the next few hours, we follow them in that leap and charge, we watch them as the iron hail rips through them. And the charge over, we enter with them the terrific confusion of Loos, look upon the heaped bodies left behind by the fleeing foe, listen to the diaphanous of pain that sounds above the battlefield.

"Practically the whole book was written in the scene of action," says the author, in a brief preface. "The chapter dealing with our night at Les Bœres, prior to the Great Push, was written in the trench between midnight and dawn of Sept. 20, the concluding chapter in the hospital at Versailles, after I had been wounded at Loos."

Not only the present death, but the past, was revealed on the battlefield. MacGill is a trencher bearer, and perceiving this as the dawn of night a figure on the ground before him, where his regiment is busy digging a new trench under the constant fall of shells and shrapnel, he goes forward to see whether the kneeling figure wants his help.

"I found a Frenchman, a mere skeleton, with the flesh eaten away from his face leaning forward on his trenching tool over a little hole that he had dug in the ground months before. . . . The man, no doubt, had been in a charge. . . . and had been wounded. Immediately he was struck he got out his trenching tool and started to dig himself in. . . . A bullet struck him, and he leaned forward on his trenching tool, dead. Thus I found him; and the picture in the gray night was one of a dead man reaching for a moment as he dug his own grave."

Felan is cook the day of the charge for the London Irish company in which MacGill belongs, and when the charge is ordered he is one of those who, according to regulations, "would not join it."

"Blimey! you're not 'arf a lucky dog!" said Bill, glancing at Felan. "I wish I was the cook tomorrow." "I almost wish I was myself." "Not d'yer mean?" "Do you expect an Irishman is going to cook, bully-bug, when his regiment is going into the line?" asked Felan. "For shame!"

When the charge is over we get a look at Felan. He is crawling along slowly on hands and knees, desperately wounded, his head almost dragging on the ground.

Here is a picture of one of the happenings in the phantasmagoria of horror:

"As I handed him (a wounded man) my match box a big high-explosive shell flew over our heads and dropped fifty yards away in a little hollow where seven or eight fellows in khaki lay prostrate, face to ground. The shell burst and the wounded man died rose slowly into the air to a height of six or seven yards and dropped slowly again, looking for all the world like a puppet worked by wires."

There was humor in the first book, rough horseplay, jokes. Here there is none. The day has gone for that. Death stands too

close and too terrible. "The wages of sin and the soldier is death," is the motto of the trenches.

The extraordinary chances of the battlefield are constantly in evidence. MacGill leaves a bay, because it is crowded, and settles down a bit further on to write a letter. He had just been exchanging words with the Cherk, a boy, gentle and shy, who remarked diffidently, "You know, I got tired of these trenches sometimes; I wish the war was over and done with." And with Felaherty, who was going back to England to see his wife. A shell falls into the bay. The Cherk, Felaherty, five others, dead. The rest all wounded, some horribly, some slightly.

Finally he, too, is wounded in the arm and taken back. The account ends. It is not possible to do justice to the effect it produces.

GERMANY IN DEFEAT

GERMANY IN DEFEAT: A Strategic History of the War. Second Phase. By Count Charles de Souza. With twenty-two maps and plans. New York: H. P. Dutton & Co., 25

THE "First Phase" of this strategic history of the war bore the names as authors of Count Charles de Souza and Major Haldane Macfall. In a brief personal prefatory note Major Macfall explains that he does not share authority in this second volume of what will eventually be a series for the double reason that he does not always agree with the judgments expressed in it by Count de Souza, and that his time is too much taken up with more important matters connected with the creation of England's armies to spend any of it in stating and arguing his reasons for disagreement. The former volume, treating the "First Phase" of the war, carried its history as far as the battle of the Marne, whose issue, its author declared, was a defeat for Germany so final and irrevocable that whatever has happened since or may happen later on is merely a continuation of that downfall of the enemy's hopes and plans. This new volume takes the story as far as the battle of Ypres, which the author describes as "almost unique in the annals of war, as an example of the movement carried out in front of a formidable and fully concentrated enemy," the only similar action of the kind being the battle of Austerlitz, 1805.

As the work deals solely with the strategy of the war on the western front there are no details of movements or descriptions of fighting. The masses of troops are only so many chessmen moved about by the fingers of the men planning and ordering the battles. But the author knows how to make the science of war interesting and his pages are more lively and fascinating than are sometimes the pages of a novel. He takes the view that the Russian operations during those early days of the war had little, if anything, to do with the movements and strategy of the western front, and that the eastern and the western theatres must be treated separately as to their strategy, at least until the close of the "Second Phase." The sum in general of the author's opinion is that Germany was defeated at the battle of the Marne by the complete wrecking of her plans, and that the new strategic scheme of war with which she turned in her retreat and set down to carry into effect was no improvement upon the first. For this stupendous effort ended in "complete fiasco, a fiasco expressed in the deadlock which Joffre imposed upon the invaders and which was not less decisive because the world at large failed to appreciate it." He thinks also that if the defeat at the Marne had been generally recognized as the defeat of Germany, and not merely of von

Moltke, Turkey would not have joined the Central Powers and the war would have come to its inevitable and much sooner.

FORE-ARMED

FORE-ARMED: How to Build a Citizen Army. By Granville Fortescue. Philadelphia: The J. B. Lippincott Company, N.

AMONG the many books that the discussion of "preparedness" has instigated Captain Fortescue's stands out prominently by reason of its moderation, its judicial temper, its entire lack of both hysteria and rhetoric, and the very interesting quality of the information it offers. The author left college—the University of Pennsylvania—to join Colonel Roosevelt's Rough Riders, and afterward served in the Philippines. Later he graduated from the Staff College at Washington and served as Military Attaché with the Japanese Army. Since the beginning of the present war he has been correspondent from the front for several London papers. Therefore, it will be seen that he can write of military affairs at home and abroad with first-hand knowledge. He analyzes and describes, with a chapter for each, the military systems of Switzerland, Germany, France, Austria, and England, following these with a chapter discussing the changes in military science occasioned by the developments of the European war. One chapter is devoted to a consideration of the strategic problems of the United States and another to "The Instinct of Defense," with special reference to the United States. A final section presents a scheme for the building up of an efficient American Army.

The crowning virtue of Captain Fortescue's book is that it deals not only with the material facts of each national army system but that it considers, but also with its influence upon individual and national character. He recognizes and discusses with admirable coolness and fairness of temper the spiritual as well as the physical results that come from the general methods of making an army. He tells, for instance, of the gale to both physical and mental efficiency by the Swiss militiaman and of the intense patriotism of the Swiss people. In Germany he thinks that the many excellent results of military training are prostituted to unworthy ends and that the way in which the German system develops and emphasizes the essential fault of the soldier, vanity, has been the direct cause of the national megalomania. In France he was deeply impressed by the democracy of the army, the fraternity between officers and men and far away beyond that of the American army, where lines of caste have a Prussian tinge. Captain Fortescue's discussion of the best

means of supplying the United States with a genuine and adequate army does not wholly follow conventional lines and contains some original offerings. He would like to see an elementary course in military in the public schools and he thinks the nationalization laws should be so changed as to require a term of service in the volunteer army. Two other suggestions that he makes from personal experience of their need are the creation of a number of machine gun regiments and a point upon which all civilian observers of the regular army will heartily agree—the establishment of a finer and broader spirit of democracy among the officers of the army that will make it not only possible but pleasant for an enlisted man to rise by merit from the ranks. He thinks also that West Point graduates should serve for a time in the ranks before being commissioned.

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WITHIN the two fiscal years 1914-16 the favorable trade balance of the United States, that is, the excess of its exports of merchandise above the imports, was \$1,230,000,000. Since the world began no country ever had so much owing to it by "abroad," and within such a brief period of time, as the United States during the great war. Those stupendous figures were not known to Mr. Withers when he wrote the book, which is important to more Americans than have any idea of it. It was an American Senator who was capable of asking what the United States has to do with abroad, meaning to express his opinion that the United States was so self-sufficient that foreign happenings were comparatively unimportant.

Even that Senator would be incapable of asking that question today, but there are millions of Americans who own good securities and who are liable to a rude awakening as to their worth under such unsettling events as those through which we are passing. For the first time American investments are being subjected to an appraisal relatively with foreign in the American market. Hitherto that appraisal has been the function of London, the only place where West met East in world finance. Now the world is offering the cream of its credit in New York and American investors are dazed. It was thought New York rose to the opportunity when it took a half billion of unsecured paper offered jointly by England and France. Never before had either nation humiliated itself to make a joint loan. Never before was a loan of such proportions made between countries. The cause of the loan was one which appealed sentimentally as well as financially to those whose funds in the aggregate were manifold the amount asked, as attested by billions of idle bank credit. Yet the offering sold at a discount, and is barely at the offering price now. Still our banked millions are idle, and yet no reputation of the offering is wanted. When France asked for a mere \$100,000,000 it had to offer collateral through the intermediary of an American corporation and the securities of half a dozen neutral Governments were pledged. The world's best borrowers can offer nothing better, and yet American investors are manifesting an indifference which is reacting upon themselves. They fail to see that when credit of that quality is offered their own credit can sell no higher in the same market. Either the foreign offerings must sell higher, or the American offerings must sell lower.

All securities will not sell to the same unit in figures, but the only difference in the figures of the prices will be the market's estimate of the relative values, everything considered. At present all securities are depressed because there has been an expenditure of \$75,000,000,000 of paper in the purchase of goods urgently demanded. When the issue of paper ceases and the demand for goods becomes normal these relations will be reversed. The goods will sell with more relation to cost of production and with less relation to the life and death necessities of nations. The sellers of goods are now at the height of their harvest. The consumers of securities, investors, are laying in their supplies according to their judgment of values. Some prefer the securities of industrial corporations which hardly know what to do with their prosperity. Others who remember that only within a few months those same undertakings were not earning their obligations take a longer view and prefer to take the obligations of the taxing powers. Not all think that industrial securities are at their highest, or that Government securities are at their lowest. That is a matter of judgment, and the best opinions differ. But all agree that we are living in epochal times, and that wealth awaits those whose judgments are correct.

Mr. Withers's book is of great assistance to the ultimate consumers of securities. Our bankers do not need his instruction. They have been bold and ingenious in rising to the occasion. But they do not take securities to keep. They must be able to sell them, or their funds will be congested and our trade will be checked. It is a pity that so few

Americans follow this subject. Those who read Mr. Withers will find their instruction made easy. His style is attractive and his prestige is great. He was long the financial editor of The London Times, more recently was the adviser of the British Treasury, and now is editor of a financial weekly of world influence. The point which he stresses is the relation between international finance and domestic trade. The billions of exports which are drowning us in gold and securities better than gold for those seeking income rather than the means of instant expenditure would not have been possible unless we had bought equivalent amounts of foreign securities and repurchased our own securities held abroad. Normally we lent dollars. Actually in effect we sold goods. To deliver we had to produce. That is the explanation of the marvelous awakening from the collapse of the security and commodity markets which followed the closing of the world's exchanges, including our own, although we were so removed from the struggle. There is urgent

necessity that Americans should learn that finance is the result of trade. Activity upon exchanges and in bankers' parlors does not produce trade. Profits in trade, large earnings by workers make the activity of the exchanges. National prosperity is to be sought in the booming of the stock market. National prosperity shows itself best in commodious homes, in quantity and quality of food, and clothing and shelter, in the happiness and good character of the common people. Many of these blessings are actually ours as the result of what we have to do with abroad now and in the near future.

The solid foundations of many a modest competence, and of a national strength surpassing anything the world has ever witnessed, are offered to those who grasp the truths which are expounded to us by this Englishman. No other country is so competent to teach. No American has written with such authority and lucidity upon these subjects. He writes without a trace of jealousy of the future which he sees within our grasp, but which we can attain only in the manner of England, that is, by making finance the tool of trade and not a game of speculation. Finance in England, he says, is cleaner than either law or politics.

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The problems with which New York has had to deal are primary lessons to those which London has struggled with like a giant. Nerve, skill, resources, wealth have stood an acid test in England which compels respect for the methods which have achieved such results. It is not suggested that the same methods are best for us. But what a contrast there is between our ways and the British! Our banking laws and decisions fill a volume, and the country banks are now haggardly the proposals of the Federal Reserve Bank, whose managers are fit to rank with the best. Truly we are a provincial and backward people in these matters. Great is the need that books like Mr. Withers's should be read more generally than there is hope for.

LATEST WORKS OF FICTION

(Continued from Preceding Page)

these two Miss Wells deftly tosses the skein of complications, now seeming to lessen the strands that are lying up one and again letting him breathe more freely while the bridegroom's implication as to make him declare to the girl whom he has really loved and wished to marry for a long time that in order to win her he would have killed his bride.

At last a famous detective, Alan Ford, enters upon the scene, brought thither, against the bridegroom's earnest pleas, by the sweetheart and her father. The latter is a professor of psychology who has made some study of what he calls "the wonderful connection between mental processes and criminal impulses." The detective also is somewhat learned in psychological lore and they hold interesting discussions as to the application of its principles to the suspects in the case. The author has been very careful in her contrivances that condition all the smallest details of the mystifying affair. The method of noiseless and smokeless weapons, for instance, is carried to an expert in runs, who tells and shows just what can be done with them. Much is made to depend upon small things, such as whether or not the bride had turned around before the shot was fired, or was in process of turning at the moment. A note had been sent to her, by way of the minister, as she entered the church door, and this proved to be a musical cipher which she had tucked into her glove. This scrap of paper after a while advances to an important place in the evidence. The theory that the shot had been fired through one of the church windows gains plausibility and helps to trap the reader in his endeavors to unwind the complicated skein of incidents and argument for and against the chief suspect.

Miss Wells has many times shown herself an expert in the weaving of complicated plot which stories of this sort demand. But in all her several tales of crime and its detection there is none which exceeds this in the ingenuity of its plot machinery and in the cleverness with which the reader is kept on false scents while the evidence is accumulated with which to surprise him and capture the real villain.

BIG TIMBER

BIG TIMBER. By Bertrand W. Sinclair. Frontispiece by Douglas Duer. Boston: Little, Brown & Co. \$1.35.

LITTLE as she shows, in the opening pages of the story, all the complexities and forces of her nature, Stella Benton, Mr. Sinclair's heroine, finally measures up to "big timber" after she has passed through all

the relentlessly demanding and shaping influences of a few years of life in the lumbering regions of British Columbia. The first chapter shows her on her way to join a brother at Roaring Lake in a vast forest of huge timber. Sudden death had claimed her father and she had found herself, from moderate luxury, reduced to dependence upon the brother, who five years before had gone into the Northwest forest lands. She is an ordinary, conventional girl, who has never done or looked forward to doing any useful thing, and whose work, so far, has been to play. But the "big timber" swallows her as remorselessly as it has her brother and makes her over into a new sort of being. She does not enjoy the process. It means little for her but weariness and suffering and revolt, until at last she suddenly comes into her own, knows what the vast land has done her, loves it and is glad.

The picture of life and the people in the logging camps, in the few homes along the lake shore and in the little town which forms the connecting link with the far-away world is very realistic. Mr. Sinclair seems to know the "big timber" and the men who conquer it quite thoroughly and to have much respect for both. The course of his story makes necessary much description of the work of the men who do it and of their life, and this is all done with graphic simplicity and with an evident truthfulness that makes it interesting merely as description of a virtue, distinctive kind of life. Its influence upon the men, according to their individual temperaments, is also worked out with some subtlety. It makes, for instance, two quite different specimens of manhood out of the heroine's brother, Charlie Benton, and Jack Fyfe, whom she marries, although they had started into the life from very similar surroundings and antecedents. The author has done also a good piece of work in the depiction of his heroine and of the influence upon her of the surroundings. The plot,

which has some unexpected turnings and complications, is woven out of the work and the happenings, from tree-felling to forest fires, of the land of "big timber."

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QUERIES AND ANSWERS FROM READERS

Who Is Richard Realf?—Jean Ingelow and "The Brides of Enderby"—Completing a Chapter Heading

ANSWERS BY THE EDITOR

F M. D.—Will you kindly give me, through this book review, some information about Richard Realf, the author of "Isidirection," and tell me where to find the poem?

Richard Realf was born in Framfield, near Lewes, in Sussex, England, in 1834, and committed suicide in Oakland, Cal., in 1878. He began writing verse when but 15 years old. His first volume of poems was published in London in 1852. He came to this country in 1854 and went to Kansas. Soon after, he came to New York, and was assistant manager at the Five Points House of Industry. He became acquainted with John Brown, entered into the anti-slavery movement and went to Europe to deliver lectures in behalf of the abolition of slavery. When the civil war broke out he enlisted in the Union Army, and was commended for gallantry at Chickamauga and elsewhere. A posthumous edition of his poems with a memoir by his friend and executor, Colonel Richard J. Hinton, was published in 1880. The poem "Isidirection" is printed in Steadman's "American Anthology," and in Stevenson's "Home Book of Verse," published by Henry Holt & Co.

Martha McC. Williams

L. I. R.—Will you please give some information about Mrs. Martha McCulloch Williams, her writings, and through what publishers she may be addressed by an old schoolmate?

Mrs. Williams is a native of Montgomery County, Tenn., and the daughter of William B. Collins. She is a widow. Her husband, Thomas McCulloch Williams, died some years ago. She began literary work on removing to New York in 1867, and has written over 200 stories and several serials, and has also contributed to Youth's Companion and other magazines. Her publishers are McBride, Nast & Co., New York.

Lech Lomond

S. M. C.—Where can I find the old Scotch song "Lech Lomond" and the music which was written for it?

"Lech Lomond's" words and music are printed in "Heart Songs," which is published by the Chapple Publishing Company of Boston, Mass.

Force Made Conquest

G. R.—Will you kindly indicate in what poem the line quoted below is to be found?

Force first made conquest, and that conquest law.

The line quoted by our correspondent is from Pope's "Essay on Man," and the context is as follows:

Force first made conquest, and that conquest law.
 Till Superstition taught the tyrant awe,
 Then shamed the tyrant, then lent it aid,
 And gods of conquerors, slaves of subjects made.
 She 'midst the lightning's blaze and thunder's sound,
 When rock'd the mountains, and when ground the ground,
 She taught the weak to bend, the proud to pray,
 To power unseen and mightier far than day.
 She from the pending earth and bursting skies
 Saw gods descend and fiends infernal rise.
 Here fixed the dreadful, there the bliss'd abode,
 Fear made her devils and weak hope her gods.

Paul E. Stevenson

McW. BEERS—Will you kindly give me a list of the books written by Paul E. Stevenson and say where they may be obtained?

Paul E. Stevenson was the author of "By Way of Cape Horn" and "Deep Water Voyage," which were published by J. B. Lippincott & Co., Philadelphia, and the "Races for the Rudder's Cup," which was published by the Rudder Publishing Company, New York. Mr. Stevenson died in 1911.

Max Ehermann

JAY P. TAGGART—Who is Max Ehermann, author of a book called "Kindly Light," and who are his publishers?

Max Ehermann was born in Terre Haute, Ind., on Sept. 28, 1872, and was educated in the local public schools. He is a graduate

of the De Pauw University, receiving the degree of Ph. D. in 1894. Subsequently he took a two years' post-graduate course in philosophy at Harvard University. He is a member of the Authors' Club in London and of the Authors' League of America. He is unmarried and lives in Terre Haute. Some of his works have been published by the Dodge Publishing Company, New York, and others by the Bobbs-Merrill Company of Indianapolis, Ind.; Mitchell Kennerly, New York, and the Baker-Taylor Company, New York.

ANSWERS FROM READERS

HORATIO G. COCKRENE—I have noted the request of Adelaide M. Prime in your issue of July 9 for the words of "The Brides of Enderby" and the time accompanying the same as "played by the bells of Boston, England," at the time when an extraordinary tempest of wind and rain, together with a tide so high as to engulf whole villages, visited that coast in 1571, but, as far as I have been able to discover, neither of the above is obtainable.

In "Notes and Queries," issued in London, under date July 31, 1880, I find an inquiry to the same effect as in your issue of above date, and the answer to same in a subsequent number of that periodical reads as follows: "W. S. C. (inquirer's initials) cannot have the words of the tune, because they never existed. A few years ago when the chimes were put in the Boston Church a friend of mine, thinking this tune ought to form a part of them, wrote to Jean Ingelow for information. She wrote back that there was no foundation whatever for the tune—that it was all invention on her part. Something further followed in this communication, but it had no bearing on the point in question. It was signed 'R. B., Boston, England.'"

It will be remembered that in the first verse of Jean Ingelow's poem, "The High Tides of the Coast of Lincolnshire," appear these lines, which form the basis for this controversy:

Play uppe, play uppe, O Boston bells!
 Play uppe your changes, all your swells,
 Play uppe "The Brides of Enderby."

"At Last"

The Rev. CLARENCE S. MCLELLAN—in reply to the inquiry of A. D. McK. in the "Voices Out of Darkness" in this book review of July 22—would say the quotation is from a poem by John Greenleaf Whittier entitled "At Last." The quotation gives the first of seven stanzas, and next three, at the inquirer's desire.

In the Cambridge edition of Whittier's poems the verses are introduced by the following statement:

Recited by one of the little group of relatives who stood by the poet's bedside as the last moments of his life approached.

Answers to this appeal were also received from William Keith, Albany, N. Y.; Helen Armstrong, New York; Lindley M. Stevens, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; Mrs. Florence Cradwell, Englewood, N. J.; Irving E. Strickland, Hartford, Conn.; H. S. S. Wheeler, Grove Beach, Conn.; E. J. Seelye, Oswego, N. Y.; J. T. Dennis, Woodbrook, Md.; J. H. Root, Glen Ridge, N. J.; N. W. Wendell, Arlington, N. J.; Adele M. Farrell, Belmar, N. J.; L. C. Baker, Hartford, Conn.; Dorothy Reimer, Point e Woods, L. I.; Emily Dutton Proctor, Lake Placid, N. Y.; Mrs. J. Clarkson Hill, Springfield, Conn.; Miss A. Forman, Norfolk, Va.; J. Joseph A. Fortie, New York; E. S. Gowing, Caldwell, N. J.; G. E. Smith, Guelph, Canada; Helen Des Brisay, Toronto, Canada; C. W. Shaw, Mountainville, N. Y.; Dorothy Aldis Pugsley, Pawling, N. Y.; C. A. Fomewy, Yonkers, N. Y.; Horatio G. Cockrene, New York; Foster A. Rhea, Pasadena, Cal.

"What Is Time?"

RALPH C. HARRISON—The author of the poem "What Is Time?" for which inquiry was made in your issue of July 2 by M. A. B., was William Harrison, a noted English Oriental scholar who died in 1898. The poem was contained in the "National Pre-

ceptor," by J. Olney, a school reader which was published in 1882 and used for many years in New England schools. It is also included in Bryant's "Library of Poetry and Song."

A copy of the poem has been received from L. B., Kingston, N. Y.

Tired Woman

E. E. COULON.—The verse asked for by "E. E. C." July 9, is said to be an epitaph on a tombstone in an English churchyard, and is as follows:

Here lies a poor woman who always was tired,
 She lived in a home where the work
 wasn't hired.
 Her last words on earth were: "Dear friends I am going
 Where washing ain't done, nor sweeping,
 nor sewing,
 But everything there is exact to my wishes,
 For where they don't eat there's no
 washing up dishes;
 I go where loud anthems will always be
 ringing,
 But having no voice I'll get clear of the
 singing.
 Don't mourn for me now, don't mourn
 for me never,
 I'm going to do nothing for ever and ever.

Answers to this appeal were also received from Annie B. Herndon, Geneva, N. Y.; F. S. Leeds, Upper Montclair, N. J.; K. F. Kuntz, Richmond Hill, L. I.; Loretta D. Everett, Boston, Mass.; Miss Laura N. Bunting, Cooperstown, N. Y.; George A. Sturdy, New London, Conn.; A. M. Worrell, Sound Beach, Conn.; C. Gerrard, Greenwich, Conn.; Katharine C. Harper, New York; Annie B. Tuttle, Waterbury, Conn.; Charles Savage, Alhamburst, N. J.; G. G. Wells, New Haven, Conn.; Olivia C. Liddle, Elizabeth, N. J.; Mrs. J. A. Britton, Stamford, Conn.; J. F. Sherman, Brooklyn; E. M. Gaylord, Bristol, Conn.; H. A. Dederick, Paterson, N. J.; Mrs. M. H. Downing, New York; Mrs. Jacqueline Cooper, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. G. M. B. Smyth, Brooklyn; Clara Hietzschelt, Hoboken, N. J.; W. E. Parker, Cambridge, Mass.; L. L. Posen, Washington, D. C.; Edith E. Robinson, Wellington, Ohio; Florence Wellington Severy, Brooklyn; Mrs. W. E. Brown, Ithaca, N. Y.; Mrs. Jean P. Wynne, New Haven, Conn.; Elizabeth A. S. Pennell, Brunswick, Me.; Edith J. Calquist, New York; Curtis Conway, Waterbury, Conn.; Miss F. Perkins, Montclair, N. J.; Louise Byers, Salt Lake City, Utah; Ada I. Young, New York; A. L. Sargent, Medford, Mass.; Kate V. Dowd, Orangetown, N. Y.; Mrs. Jennie C. Knapp, New York; Lettie W. Vioth, Montclair, N. J.; M. F. Chad, Casanovia, N. Y.; S. G. Kinch, Nyack, N. Y.; T. Jenkins, New York.

APPEALS TO READERS

J. S. C.—Some years ago I read a little quotation which was used as a chapter heading in a book which, otherwise, was absolutely worthless. I have wondered if there was any more of it and what it might be. If some reader could help me out with a copy of the whole poem I should be greatly obliged. As near as I can remember the lines are:

There would no man do for your sake, I think.



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What I would have done for the least word
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Across the Bridge

MILES J. KEHOE—I would greatly appreciate it if some one of your many readers would give me the words of a song, or inform me where I may obtain it. I do not know the name of the song, but recall the following lines:

Across the bridge at midnight
 Stood I in dismay,
 Watching weary stragglers
 Panted on their way;
 Silently reflecting
 Dreaming there alone,
 All their joys and sorrows
 Seem to be my own.
 For I step across the bridge,
 Come the common thief,
 Hunted like a deer,
 Trembling like a leaf;
 Whether will be warden
 Or slave, only know,
 Cruel and heart-rended, too,
 Across the bridge he goes.
 If memory serves me right, the name of the song is either "Across the Bridge He Goes," or "Across the Bridge at Midnight."

The Stars

L. C. P.—Will any kind reader furnish the author and name of the poem of which these are some of the lines:

A thousand stars were in the sky,
 A thousand in the sea,
 For every wave, with dimpled cheek,
 That leapt into the air,
 Had caught a star in its embrace
 And held it trembling there.

The Tropics

R. M. D.—Will some kind reader furnish the complete poem of which the following is the first verse? Its title and author are not known to me:

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NOTABLE BOOKS IN BRIEF REVIEWS

Mr. Edward Carpenter's Volume of Autobiographical Notes and Other Recent Publications

MY DAYS AND DREAMS: Being Autobiographical Notes. By Edward Carpenter. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons.

MR. EDWARD CARPENTER is now 72 years old. He has gathered together autobiographical notes written at various periods, and published them in a large book, illustrated with five portraits of himself and pictures of his friends and relatives.

Although Mr. Carpenter's writings and speeches have had little effect upon the society of which he has been so loud a critic, nevertheless this book of reminiscences is not without its significance. It has a certain historical importance in that Mr. Carpenter has been from time to time associated with radicals and "advanced thinkers" of different sorts, of whom some, like William Morris and Bernard Shaw, deserve the world's attention because of their contributions to literature, and others, like Annie Besant and Anna Kingsford, have played the world's curiosity by their picturesque personalities. The book is of importance as a psychological study because of the extraordinary way in which Mr. Carpenter narrates events in his life which most men would gladly conceal. He tells of unusual propensities in which he has taken a leading part, of strange speeches and strange acts, with what his friends would call expanding frankness and others gross and shameful egotism.

After his graduation from Cambridge University, Mr. Carpenter was for a time a clerkman of the Established Church of England, being curate of St. Edward's Church, of which F. D. Maurice was vicar. During the time that Mr. Carpenter was a clerkman, it was his custom to spend his Sunday evenings after church at a club of students and Fellows of Cambridge. At this club, Mazzini's "Duty of Man" was read aloud, and the presiding genius was W. K. Clifford. Mr. Carpenter speaks enthusiastically of Clifford's "saw-like face, tender heart, wonderfully suggestive, personal manner of conversation, and blasphemous treatment of the existing order."

With one exception, Mr. Carpenter tells us women have not influenced his life. This one exception was a woman who he calls "Elizabeth." She was about 50 when he came under her spell, and he was about 28. Here is his description of her:

Married, but separated from her husband; artistic to the finger tips; brought up in Italy and loving the South; hating everything British and philistine and commercial; devoting the Bible and religion, she had fought her way through scorn, odium and discredibility, and then through severe illness and suffering, till she was but the wreck (she used to say) of her former self.

In 1874 Mr. Carpenter began a series of lectures under the auspices of the University Extension Lecturing Scheme in Leeds, Halifax, and Skipton. In April, 1877, he visited the United States. There he met Whitman, but he says little about the poet in his book, referring the reader to his book "Days With Walt Whitman." Emerson he found "very charming and friendly." He says of him:

His conversation generally seemed very literary in character, and I could not get him to express any views or ideas about America's place and progress. When I spoke of Walt Whitman he made an odd, whimsical sound: "Well, I thought he had some merit at one time but there was a good deal of promise in the first edition; but he is a wayward, fanciful man. I saw him in New York and asked him to come to my hotel. He shouted for a tin mug for his beer. Then he had a noisy, fire-eating society. And he took me there and was like a boy over it, as if there had never been such a thing before."

Mr. Carpenter tells us that Oliver Wendell Holmes did not please him so well. He describes him as "a good-natured little spiteful creature, one might say, with shrewd underlife and bright gray-blue eyes under a low brow,

a dapper, active man of 70-his vanity qualified by gentility and humor."

In the fourth chapter of his book Mr. Carpenter tells of his own mental and physical state, and develops those unpleasant theories as to the "Uranian temperament" which are the subject of several of his books and pamphlets. In the fifth he tells of his conversion to vegetarianism, and of his settling down in the hamlet of Bradway, near Sheffield, with Albert Pennington, a mechanic of radical tendencies, whose acquaintance Mr. Carpenter had made at one of his lectures. Here it was that he wrote "Towards Democracy," and engaged in various sorts of manual labor.

In 1883 Mr. Carpenter delivered what he calls his "first semi-political lecture." Then he got in touch with the Social-Democratic Federation, and made the acquaintance of William Morris, John Burns, and other radical leaders.

In 1884 Mr. Carpenter again crossed the Atlantic this time coming to the United States as a stowage passenger on the City of Berlin. He visited Whitman and other people in Massachusetts and Pennsylvania, but the days to which he looks back with most pleasure were spent at the insane asylum at London, Ontario, with Dr. Boche. One friend, of whom Mr. Carpenter writes at length, is Edward J. Trevelyan, the friend of Shelley and Byron. He writes of him:

I found him at the house which he was then occupying in Pelham Crescent, S. W. No. 7. I think a gentle old man, of about 50 or 58, rugged to a degree, with sunken eyes, projecting cheekbones, but with a strange gleam of fire about him even at that age—not unlike some semi-extinct volcano—and the appearance of what had once been a rather massive and powerful frame. He was sitting in a high chair near the fire, with a pile of books on the floor beside him. "You are interested in Shelley?" he said. "Then, without waiting for a reply: 'He was our greatest poet since Shakespeare,' and then: 'He couldn't have been the poet he was if he had not been an atheist.'"

Mr. Carpenter wears sandals instead of shoes, and these interesting articles of footwear are prominently displayed in his photographs. He devotes some space to an account of his discovery of sandals. In 1888 his friend Harold Cox sent him a pair of Indian sandals from Cashmere. Mr. Carpenter writes:

I had asked him, before he went out, to send some likely pattern of sandals, as I felt anxious to try some myself. I soon found the joy of wearing them. And after a little time I set about making them. I got two or three lessons from W. Lill, a bootmaker friend in Sheffield, and soon succeeded in making a good many pairs for myself and various friends. Since then the trade has grown into quite a substantial one. G. Adams took it up at Millthorpe in 1890, making, I suppose, about a hundred or more pairs a year; and since his death it has been carried on at the "garden city," Letchworth.

WILLIAM BUTLER YEATS

REVERIES OVER CHILDHOOD AND YOUTH. By William Butler Yeats. Illustrated. New York: The Macmillan Company.

WHILE reading this book one realizes that close acquaintance with the boy, Yeats, serves to make a clearer mental picture of the man. The volume, written in charming simplicity, records fragmentary memories of the sensitive, imaginative youth of the Irish poet.

He was a lonely child with queer fancies. He writes of, "having prayed for several days that I might die. I had begun to be afraid that I was dying and prayed that I might live. There was no reason for my unhappiness." His grandfather, a stern, silent seaman of matchless courage, was greatly feared by the little boy. The child was taught to read by his father as a penance for not going to church. This occurred later

than most children learn to read; but he must have made up very quickly for the delay, for he soon amused himself by reading in a many-volumed encyclopedia. He was a religious child, whose religion was connected with clouds and "cloudy glimpses of luminous air, perhaps because of some Bible picture of God's speaking to Abraham, or the like. At least I can remember the sight moving me to tears."

A gentle mother, with her tales of Sligo, her anxiety about money matters, and her complete absorption in her children and husband, made life easy for the father, who was an artist of such humility that he scraped most of his pictures away. Among his friends was Dowden, who read to them some chapters of the unpublished "Life of Shelley." Yeats says:

I was chilled, however, when he explained that he had lost his liking for Shelley and would not have written it but for an old promise to the Shelley family.

The elder Yeats had a great influence over the boy, who also studied to be an artist. Much of the color in his writing is evidently a result of this early training. Through the book runs the love of beauty, the imagery and growing mysticism that contributes to the work of the poet. Tales of ghosts, and spirits and supernatural beings he heard from the old women in the neighborhood, and they became a part of his belief. At one time he persuaded himself that he had a passion for the dawn:

and this passion, thought mainly histrionic like a child's play, an ambitious game, had moments of sincerity. Years afterward, when I had finished "The Wanderings of Odysseus," dissatisfied with its yellow and its dull and with all that overcast color inherited from the romantic movement, I deliberately sought out an impression as of cold light and tumbling clouds. "It is a natural conviction that a painter's sense of beauty and there may be a landscape symbolical of some spiritual condition that awakens a hunger such as cats feel for valerian."

As a study in child psychology, as a contribution to the literature of beauty, and as a key to Irish poets as well as to the one man, Yeats's "Reveries Over Childhood and Youth" is a delightfully satisfying volume.

FROM PILLAR TO POST

FROM PILLAR TO POST. By John Kendrick Bangs. Illustrated by John R. Neill. New York: The Century Company.

IF you haven't time to take a rambling tour around America—personally conducted by a famous humorist—then the next best thing to do is to read "From Pillar to Post," by John Kendrick Bangs. Mr. Bangs has chronicled some of his experiences as a lyceum lecturer, and has managed to inject into the book a goodly share of the kindly, humorous spirit of America-at-large.

On being dubbed a "kiddier" by a barber in a Middle Western town, Mr. Bangs observes:

A great many of our American humorists, so called, could be more aptly described as kidders. Our geyser propensities, and the tongue-in-the-cheek style of humor so prevalent today, suggest the thought anyhow that the term kiddier is more discriminating than that of humorist, as signifying the qualities of a Cervantes, a Rabelais, a Swift, or a Mark Twain.

The author decries the attitude of the platform lecturer who tries to "get down to the level of an audience instead of feeling an inward urge to climb up to it." He advises such a speaker to give up the platform "and take up some other occupation where conscious superiority really counts; say that of head waiter in a New York restaurant." It is claimed that "one's lecture should be a moderately flexible affair, which can be so adjusted to each and every occasion that

it fits an audience as nicely as a tailor-made garment."

Mr. Bangs speaks of occasional "reluctant men who are dragged unwillingly to the lecture halls by their enthusiastic wives." Long experience has made him recognize the contrary earmarks of this tribe, and, "Once located, this man is the special person I go after. . . . If I can only get him sitting up like a vertebrate animal, using his spine like a prop instead of like a hammock, and returning my gaze with a gleam of interest, I am happy."

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William Morgan Hannon in "The Photodrama—Its Place Among the Fine Arts" claims high rank for some of the work that has been done by the movie-film creator. His opinion seems to be that a great many photodramas deserve to be rated as works of art; but he predicts that, however praise-worthy the best of these productions may be, the future will see immeasurable improvements on them. (New Orleans: The Rafters Press. \$1.)

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MILLS SOLD UP TO 1918

Munition Contracts Since Beginning of August Will Aggregate 300,000 Tons.

Special to The New York Times.
PITTSBURGH, Aug. 19.—Shell steel and plates continue to lead in demand among finished steel and iron products. Manufacturers of shell steel in closing contracts decided that they were not willing to be left with a tonnage of steel and iron, bought at high prices, on their hands should the European war terminate and contracts be canceled. They have specified that buyers of steel for munitions must accept steel in some form equal to the tonnage contracted for should the subsequent orders be placed for plates, bars, structural shapes or other finished or semi-finished lines of steel. Buyers at first refused to accept these conditions. The larger steel producers refused absolutely to accept orders on any other terms. It is said that a number of mills are practically sold up to January, 1918. Numerous concerns have their capacity taken up for the first six months of 1917. Contracts aggregating fully 300,000 tons have been entered into since the beginning of August for steel bars for munitions. There remains a large tonnage to be placed. The American Locomotive Company has placed contracts aggregating 76,000 tons among four steelmakers. Steel Corporation mills accepted the major portion of the tonnage. The Baldwin Locomotive Company has closed for 20,000 tons with the Steel Corporation. A car-building concern closed for 50,000 tons of forgings. A Brooklyn company divided 20,000 tons between two producers. Numerous inquiries from 5,000 to 10,000 tons for rounds nine inches and over have been made. Agents of belligerent nations are also active buyers, and considerable steel will be exported next year. Shell steel is selling from \$3.50 to 4c. Agricultural implement makers have become convinced there will be no reduction in steel bars. Large orders had been placed at 2.50c prior to the advance to 2.60c, which was announced Aug. 6. There remains considerable steel to be placed. Rivet, bolt, and screw makers also bought heavily at 2.50c. Inquiries since the advance have been numerous and buying more active. Advance in Sheet Bars. Billets and sheet bars have advanced in price due to scarcity. Eastern steel makers have been caught short and have been seeking a supply in the West, but their quest has proved futile to date. Makers of munition steel are especially anxious to cover their shortages. An Eastern Pennsylvania shell maker has inquired for 20,000 tons of ingots. Morgan & Co. has asked all steel makers to quote on ingots for delivery during the remainder of the year, and the first six months of 1917. The material is required for 8-inch, 9.2-inch, and 12-inch shells. Other interests have put out feelers for 50,000 tons or more of billets and ingots. Billets are held at \$50. Pittsburgh. A sale of sheet bars has been made at \$44. A representative from a Manchester, England, firm is here and has offered \$47 a ton, New York, for sheet bars which is equivalent to \$45.25, Pittsburgh. There will be a large tonnage of blooms, ingots, bars and billets during the remainder of the year. British interests are buying sheet bars for export, and 6,000 tons were sold at \$46, Pittsburgh. Shipbuilders continue hammering at steelmakers for supplies of plates. Foreign shipyards are also seeking steel in this country. Plate cannot be had for less than \$8.50, Pittsburgh, at convenience of mill. Universal plates are quoted higher, having advanced in some cases to 4c. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company placed orders for 10,000 tons for 1917 delivery, for the Altoona shops, paying 2.90c for tank steel and about 3.80c for greater widths. Pacific coast shipyards are heavy consumers, in addition to former sales, 25,000 tons will be shipped to that point next year. Railroads are continuing for car material for repair work. A number of contracts have been placed for new cars. After investigating conditions railroad managers decide they cannot afford to do any extensive buying of rolling stock at this time. Most inquiries have come out during the past week than have for several months past. No contracts will be placed until the autumn season clears. The New York Central has contracted for 2,000 box cars with the American Car and Foundry Company, and the Haskell and Barker Car Company. Russian State railways have an inquiry out for 50,000 tons of steel. Pennsylvania Road Buys Shapes. An innovation in structural sales was that of 15,000 tons of Bessemer shapes for export during the next four or five months, by a Western Pennsylvania concern. The Pennsylvania Railroad has closed for 2,500 to 3,000 tons of shapes for delivery next year, paying \$2.50 to \$2.60. Pittsburgh. The Western closed for 1,000 tons. Structural buying is slow. As the mills are being used to roll large rounds, no injury is being suffered by steelmakers. The recent advance in wire products has not reduced sales. Buyers are freely paying \$2.50 a keg for nails and \$2.55 per hundred pounds for plain wire. Russia has distributed orders for 25,000 tons of barbed wire among the mills that could make deliveries. Tin plate mills will have to carry over a large unfulfilled tonnage into next year. Buyers are seeking to increase orders before the close of the year, as there, undoubtedly, will be a large advance over this year's quotations. Most of the tin plate was sold at \$3.50 per box. It is now quoted around \$4 per box. Owing to uncertainty as to the cost of sheet bars next year, sheet mills are unwilling to quote contracts for delivery next year. Buying of sheets is at low ebb, especially of lighter gauges. Agents from abroad are inquiring here for large allotments of Bessemer pig iron. British buyers want 30,000 tons, France wants 10,000 tons, and Italy 10,000 tons. Buying by domestic interests is light. This leaves foreign elements to bid against each other. Owing to the threatened railroad strike, furnace managers have become very conservative. If the railroad quit work for a week, schedules will be broken. Shipments of ore and coke are merely maintaining furnaces in operation. It is doubtful if enough ore can be carried from the head of the lakes to maintain operations at the present maximum during winter until navigation is resumed next Spring. Inquiries for at least 100,000 tons of pig iron have appeared in the East. The International Steam Pump Company is seeking to contract for its 1917 supply, which will aggregate 25,000 to 40,000 tons. Inquiries are more numerous from every section of the country. Appearances indicate there will be heavy buying during the next thirty days. Many furnaces will soon be compelled to go out of blast for repairs. 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Women's Serge Dresses



Interesting new Fall models, at very reasonable prices.
The dress illustrated is a straight line belted dress with box pleated skirt. White satin collar and cuffs. The waist is trimmed with black silk braid in a simple design, the same being carried out on the cuffs. Black or navy only. \$21.74
Another model is a combination of serge and Georgette crepe. It is box pleated in long Russian blouse effect, with sleeves, yoke and band on skirt, of Georgette crepe. Sailor collar of white Georgette; narrow black silk tie; narrow sash of serge. Black or navy only. \$19.74
Serge Dresses as low as \$15.74 and up to \$59.75
Macy's—Third Floor.

Misses' Taffeta Petticoats \$2.79

Full, flaring model with pleated and ruffled flounce; made in all the leading shades of solid colors and changeable taffeta. Elastic at fitted waistline. 34 and 35 inches long. Pretty taffeta petticoats, ruffled, pleated or frilled, for wear with the new Fall costumes. We have a large collection, including some of the season's favorite colors in changeable and solid color effects at prices ranging from \$2.79 to \$5.94.
Macy's—Third Floor.

Lining Satin Specially Priced, 79c Yard

Particularly suitable for coat linings is this 36 inch Satin Lining. It is faced with a lustrous silk finish, and has a strong cotton back. Guaranteed to give two seasons' wear. The colorings include:
Ivory Pearl Steel Old Rose Tan Brown Copenhagen Green, Navy, Black and White
Macy's—Second Floor, 54th Street, Broadway.

Presenting New Fall Modes in Women's Blouses

Tuckings, frillings, pleatings and shirrings, ribbons, buttons, hemstitching and embroidery—many things go to compose a dainty blouse this season. The blouses described are artistic creations, effectively combining notes of fashionable femininity.
The Blouse illustrated is a reproduction of an imported model. Taffeta ribbons, drawn through the box pleats of this Georgette blouse and ending in dainty, flyaway bows, give an air of charm. May be had in flesh Georgette with Copenhagen ribbons, navy with Copenhagen ribbons, or all black. \$11.49
Georgette Crepe Blouse has embroidered figures in two-tone effects. The square, flat collar is embroidered on the points. Tucked cuffs edged with frills. Navy and white, white and navy, flesh and navy. \$5.49
Two Styles of Crepe de Chine Blouses. One is embroidered in front, the other has box pleats. Both have hemstitching on collar and cuffs. Flesh and white. \$3.79
As many blouse creations as you may have whims or ideas about, ranging in price from \$2.79 to \$21.74.
Macy's—Third Floor.

An Important Sale of Chiffon Dress Taffeta

About 10,000 Yards
99c per yd.
Our regular price for this identical quality, \$1.19—
36 inches wide; desirable shades for street or evening wear, including navy blue and black.
Macy's—Silk Department, Second Floor, 35th Street.

Our Women's Suits Forecast Autumn Modes

Macy's is fully equipped to meet the important problem of the fall suit with modish, well chosen models, which are not only charmingly fashionable, but also moderately priced.

New Fall Suit of heavy twill gabardine has semi-tailored three-quarter length coat, pleated at waistline. Overlay collar of velvet, cuffs and waistline velvet trimmed. Back of coat finished with three narrow straps of self material. Novelty bone buttons. Semi-circular skirt with yoke in back. Green, brown, navy or black. \$34.75
A Smart New Model is made of lustrous broadcloth in black, green or navy. The large, pointed collar and cuffs are trimmed with Hudson seal (dyed muskrat). The coat is side pleated and finished with an odd belt. Convertible collar. Flaring circular skirt with pleated panel back; half belt. Priced at \$37.75
Macy's—Third Floor.

Furs for Now and Later

The Fur Department is now displaying a distinctive and well chosen collection of the newest and most fashionable fur coats and fur sets. The coats are artistic products of skillful workmanship, and the sets are beautifully made of the finest selected skins.
The wise woman will find it profitable to purchase her furs now, for in the face of rapidly advancing prices Macy's prices are still "lowest-in-the-city."

Handsome Coats

A luxurious coat of broadcloth with voluminous folds is trimmed with ermine; a graceful, rippling coat of mole is banded and trimmed with taupe wolf; Hudson seal (dyed muskrat) and natural stone marten combine to make a rich and handsome coat with a dignified standing collar. Many other beautiful models.

Furs, Fur Sets and Capes

Our very large collection includes stone marten, skunk, seal, kolinsky, white fox, blue fox, cross fox, silver fox, fitch, mole, chinchilla squirrel, ermine, badger and fisher.
Macy's—Third Floor, 54th St.

A New Umbrella that insures itself against loss

You will never leave one of these new umbrellas in the car or misplace it while shopping or calling. Your friends will hesitate to borrow it. When you carry it, it will be securely fastened to your wrist by a simple strap arrangement. This self-insuring umbrella is well made, of serviceable materials, with a stub ferrule, an innovation which prevents the possibility of injury which might result from the long, old-fashioned steel rod. It may be had in various materials at the following prices: \$1.39, \$1.98, \$2.97, \$3.96 and \$4.96.
Macy's—Main Floor, B'way.

New and Charming Misses' Blouses

Particularly designed for wear with the new Fall suit is a blouse of washable white satin in a simple, tailored model. The notched collar turns back to form revers. The buttons are distinctly new, made of silk cord in basket weave. Sizes 14, 16 and 18 years. \$4.74
The same model may be had in pretty, flowered or striped challis. Sizes 14, 16 and 18 years. \$3.79
Other Fall models, especially designed for misses or small women, range in price from \$2.79 to \$6.94.
Macy's—Third Floor.

A New Importation of Dainty French Lingerie

A beautiful collection of French chemises and combinations trimmed with lovely ribbon bows, tucks, hemstitching, veining, Valenciennes lace and insertions,—all beautifully hand embroidered.
Hand Embroidered French Chemises, finished with tape and hand embroidered scallops. Design of spray pattern. 75c
French Chemises, with scalloped edges and embroidery in floral designs. Ribbon drawn through eyelets. \$1.19
Hand Embroidered French Chemises, in six different styles. Dainty floral patterns; scalloped edges; ribbon drawn through eyelets and finished with ribbon bows. \$1.89
Hand Embroidered French Combinations, trimmed with scallops and dot and spray patterns. Special price, \$1.89
Hand Embroidered French Combinations, trimmed with real Cluny lace, tucks, ribbon bows and exquisite embroidery. \$3.74
Other Styles \$4.49, \$4.89 up to \$18.89
Include French combinations and chemises that are confections of exquisite needlework.
Macy's—Third Floor, Rear.

MORE GOLD IS HELD BY RESERVE BANKS

Gain \$6,000,000 in This Classification and \$12,000,000 in Cash Reserves.

LOSS IN EARNING ASSETS

But Deposits Show an Increase of \$2,200,000—More U. S. Bonds Bought by Banks.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 19.—The Federal Reserve Board's weekly statement indicates gains of almost \$12,000,000 in the banks' total cash reserves and of about \$6,000,000 in their combined gold reserves.

Earning assets decreased \$2,400,000, while aggregate deposits increased about \$12,400,000.

Boston's gain of \$4,300,000 in cash reserve is accompanied by a decrease of \$1,500,000 in earning assets and of \$900,000 in the amount due from other banks.

New York's gain of \$3,200,000 in cash reserve goes hand in hand with an increase of \$12,800,000 in deposits and a change of balance of \$4,400,000 due to other banks the week before.

The larger reserves shown for the Philadelphia and Chicago banks are due mainly to transfers through the gold settlement fund; partly, also, to the liquidation of earning assets.

Discounts on hand decreased about \$1,700,000, Boston reporting the largest decrease for the week.

The holdings of acceptances likewise show a slight decrease. San Francisco reporting the net liquidation of almost \$1,000,000 of this class of paper.

About 35 per cent. of all bills, maturing within 30 days, and nearly 40 per cent. after thirty but within 60 days.

Agricultural and livestock paper maturing after ninety days (six months' paper) totaled about \$2,500,000, Chicago, Minneapolis, and Dallas reporting nearly 80 per cent. of the total holdings of six months' paper.

Transactions in Government securities are reported by four banks, resulting in an increase of \$283,000 in the amount of United States bonds and a decrease of \$446,000 in the amount of one-year Treasury notes held by the banks.

The holdings of municipal warrants show a slight decrease. Aggregate earning assets stand now at \$189,596,000, constituting 244 per cent. of the total paid-in capital of the banks.

Compared with 348 per cent. shown the week before. Of the total earning assets, acceptances represent 42.3 per cent.; United States bonds, 24.3 per cent.; warrants, 14.9 per cent.; discounts, 14.1 per cent., and Treasury notes, 4.2 per cent.

Government securities declined \$3,500,000, New York, Atlanta, Richmond, and Boston reporting considerable withdrawals of Government funds for the week.

Net bank deposits increased \$13,900,000, the larger increase in net deposits at the New York and Boston banks being offset to some extent by net withdrawals of bank deposits from Atlanta and some of the Western banks.

No change is reported in the amount of Federal Reserve Bank notes in circulation. Federal reserve agents show a total of \$176,000,000 of notes issued to the banks, a slight increase from \$175,000,000 the week before.

Against the total of \$176,000,000 of Federal Reserve notes in actual circulation, and against the net liabilities of \$12,250,000, reserve notes issued to them by the agents.

A statement of combined resources

and liabilities of the twelve banks at the close of business Aug. 18, 1916:

RESOURCES.

Gold coin and certificates in vault	\$280,930,000
Gold in transit	110,001,000
Gold redemption fund with U. S.	1,001,000
Total gold	372,932,000
Legal-tender notes, silver, etc.	16,986,000
Total reserve	389,918,000
Five per cent. redemption fund against Federal Reserve banknotes	500,000
Bills discounted and bought	2,100,000
Total	\$100,804,000

LIABILITIES.

U. S. bonds	47,020,000
One-year U. S. Treasury notes	7,853,000
Municipal warrants	27,785,000
Total	82,658,000
Federal Reserve notes	11,857,000
Due from Fed. Res. banks, net	21,008,000
All other liabilities	2,200,000
Total resources	\$624,193,000

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POINT TO FLAWS IN RESERVE BANK ACT

Friends of the Law Tell of Inadequacies and Hope for Early Amendment.

STATUS OF NOTES ATTACKED

Should Be Legal Reserve for All Banks or for None—Handicap Put Upon National Banks.

The Federal Reserve Act is admitted by even its friends to be imperfect in many respects, and it has been subjected to criticism which is expected to result in some important changes.

A moot point that has never been settled is the use of Federal reserve notes in bank reserves. This practice is not allowed under the law, but there is a strong sentiment among bankers in favor of an amendment that will permit such notes to be counted as reserve.

A long discussion in the bulletin of the American Institute of Banking brings out many points for and against this practice. The agreement that notes should not be acceptable as reserves was practically unanimous among members of Congress.

The question reaches out in two directions—to the quality of the notes themselves and to the question of their elasticity, and to the question of bank reserves in relation to their sufficiency.

A synopsis of the reasons which impelled the framers of the Federal Reserve Act to restrict the use of reserve notes follows:

First, reserve notes are intended to exist solely as an elastic credit currency which shall expand and contract in volume with the demands of commerce.

There is no question whatever about the goodness of Federal reserve notes.

(a) They are good because they represent 100 per cent. of high grade commercial paper and bear the indorsement of the Federal Reserve banks.

(b) Because there is carried by the issuing bank a reserve against them of at least 40 per cent. in gold.

(c) Because the notes are paramount lien against all the assets of the issuing bank, which is supplemented by the liability of all the members who hold stock in the issuing bank.

(d) The notes are the obligations of the United States.

It is nevertheless contended that there should be no confusion between the Federal reserve notes and their availability as reserves.

Those who believe in authorizing the reserve banks to issue a credit currency think that such currency is justified only when the reserves of the issuing bank are absolutely beyond question.

That is, the reserve must be metallic and held either in coin or coin certificates.

The only guarantee against inflation of a credit currency lies in its redeemability, or if it is proper to permit the issue of Federal reserve notes to be limited to the amount of gold and silver certificates held by the issuing bank.

An epitome of the arguments in favor of the use of Federal reserve notes has been compiled and follows:

It is conceded by the proponents of the Federal Reserve Act that the Federal reserve notes are not a true currency, but it is contended that an issue of Federal reserve notes in response to a demand for currency does not prevent the contraction of the issue, when the demand has subsided.

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COTTON IS EASIER ON STORM REPORTS

October Price Indicates Bear Operations in Process of Development.

CLOSES 3 POINTS HIGHER

Visible Supply of American Cotton Is 1,877,000 Bales, Against 2,334,000 Last Year.

Cotton showed an irregular and somewhat easier undertone yesterday. This tendency was imparted by the character of the news from Texas, which was generally favorable to the crop.

Wires from various cotton centers over the State were generally to the effect that the tropical storm of Friday had brought in its wake the usual aftermath of rains, which, in some instances, have extended as far inland as 200 miles.

The outlook is for further rains in South and Central Texas, extending as far North as Abilene and Fort Worth.

Trading was somewhat confused, owing to the strength of the near positions. October, for instance, closed on the basis of 3 points higher while December and January were 2 to 3 points lower.

It is believed that some bear operations are in process of development, entailing the lifting of the October price to a level that will attract cotton with these purchases offset by sales of later months.

Aside from these technical considerations, the news was without special feature. Bradstreet's summary noted an improvement in the cotton crop, which is more optimistic than for a month past.

A good yield is indicated for the cotton crop conditions as a whole in the lower Mississippi Valley. Improvement also is reported in Alabama.

BOSTON COPPER GOSSIP.

Miami Output for Month of July Totalled 4,310,000 Pounds.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, Aug. 19.—Sept. 10, the French Guian properties of Boston and Montana writes that regular shipments are being made and that he has the stoves well opened with good ore and that there are 200 tons in the bins.

The average copper return from the Hancock Consolidated's original shaft continues to improve and there is a gradual increase in tonnage. Some of the rock being opened runs as high as twenty-four pounds refined. Victoria is said to be making from \$100.00 to \$120.00 a month.

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PALM LEAF FANS.—Wanted, spot, hus

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PITTSBURGH—McCree & Co., G. J.
 Merris, shoes, 22 East 29th.
 SALT LAKE CITY, Utah—Walker Bros.,
 G. Co. Mrs. E. B. Gabol, boys', children's
 clothing, 333 4th St.
 SHERMAN, Texas—Shorman Overall Mfg.
 Co., M. R. Fite, men's furn. goods, hosiery,
 shoes, Brexlin.
 CLEVELAND, Ga.—M. Seligman & Bro.;
 Seligman, N. Seligman, dry goods, cloth-
 ing, Albert.
 TAMPA, Fla.—Balle & Fleming; W.
 Balle, clothing, hats; Wallick.
 TRENTON, N. J.—Ross Wholesale & Retail
 Millinery Fns.; Henry Gross, millinery; S.
 Broadway.
 YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio—C. Livingston & Sons;
 G. F. Livingston, women's, children's, in-
 fants', misses' ready-to-wear, millinery; 30
 5th Av.

SUITS of the better grade at popular prices.
A. JACOBSON CO.,
130 W. 29th St.

Velveteens and Corduroys. Immediate delivery.
A. Bacher & Co., 333 E. 14th, Mad. Co. 564.

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W. S. Kaufman, 5 W. 33d St.

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Phil. Mark & Co., 71 West 23d.

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The champion never came to the forecourt unless the opening was well developed, but when there was such an opportunity waiting he usually finished off the point without difficulty. It looked so ridiculously easy when the net was really Johnston's objective that it was hard to believe that a sustained net attack would not be more successful than baseline play for him. There was criticism heard of his strategy in this particular, but Johnston had high regard for the ability of his opponent.

It was a distinct novelty to see this famous Yankee slugging his way through the rough for the net. He was in a very poor condition, and he was usually greeted with a lightning stroke down the line. The crowd was coasting off the benches to get him back to the net. But it was with respect than ever for the skill of his rival. The looping drive of the Oriental was what spelled disaster for Johnston. Johnston's characteristic stroke of the magazine's game and the product of a heavily topped ball. It was sent deep with a sharp pace, and the high bounce of Johnston's team playing was well up above his shoulder.

several players standing in a loose circle, feet back of the base line attempting to excite the Japanese in steadiness. Volleying, however, was brought with so much peril that Johnston did not fancy the attack. Then, too, his game at the net was not quite up to its usual standard. He was prone to cut into the barrier on both his volleys, and he was not as steady as he sometimes it seemed that he was throwing away points by attempting net play. Kumagae discovered another weakness in Johnston's game, and he every now and then he sent a successful attack in that direction. Probably in no match between men of such caliber has there been so much of a

so little. It seemed nothing for each one to break through the service of the other; in fact, the difficult task was to win an opponent in the last round, for instance, Johnston was broken through four times and Kumagae twice. Kumagae won the first set with astonishing ease, but view of the fact that Johnston has been starting slowly of late there was not so much attention paid to the early victory by the Oriental. There was a bit of wildness in the way he attacked, but he was expected would smooth out, as it had in the match against Throckmorth, but when the second set also fell to the Californian, there was information that perhaps the Californian

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it had been confidently asserted many good judges of tennis skill his game was not adapted to grass and further that he was bound to meet defeat against a strong net player. When he lost the Crescent A. C. match to Lindley Murray a short time ago there seemed to be sound foundation for such judgment, but after his performance

ance here today there must be a revolution, and those who were selected by Johnston or McLoughlin or Williams for the national championship at Forest Hills are beginning to think that perhaps the men's singles may go to a foreigner, as has the women's title.

Japanese Victor on His Merits.
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PLANS FOR A STRIKE GO ON

Railroad Executives Contend That
40 Per Cent of Their Work-
ers Will Not Quit.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—Whether he succeeds in his efforts to prevent the national railroad strike that is now threatened, President Wilson is determined that no such crisis shall again confront the country. Out of the dispute he expects to effect a permanent system of arbitration, with a feature of compulsion. He told the railroad Presidents yesterday that he was in favor of compulsory arbitration, but that there was no machinery now in existence to effect arbitration so long as the brotherhoods refused to accept it.

In a telegram the President sent today to Colonel George Pope of Hartford, Conn., President of the National Association of Manufacturers, in reply to an appeal that he drop the arbitration principle, he said: "The principle of arbitration is preserved; the principle of arbitration is preserved; the principle of arbitration is preserved."

Allow me to acknowledge the receipt of your telegram of Aug. 18, and to say in reply that I hold to the principle of arbitration with as clear a conscience as I can. I mean to say any one, but that unfortunately there is no means in existence by which arbitration can be secured. The existing means have been tried and have failed. This situation must never be allowed to arise again. But it is found to prevent its recurrence. No means can be found to prevent its recurrence. No means can be found to prevent its recurrence.

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To Take Up Compulsory Arbitration.

It is believed that as soon as the crisis is over the President will take up the matter of compulsory arbitration. He has told advisers that he does not believe it would be possible to have the present Congress pass a compulsory arbitration bill.

Compulsory arbitration was proposed in 1913 when the Newlands act was passed, but it was dropped at the time that it was un-American, in that it would force a man to work against his will. Compulsory arbitration obtains in Australia, and it was the Australian system that was advocated in Washington in 1913. Under this system a board of arbitration holds hearings for different industries once in every two years, when there is established a basis of relations to last two years. Both sides are bound under the law to observe the findings of the arbitrators, failure to do so being considered contempt of court.

There is a different form of compulsory arbitration in effect in Canada, under which both sides are compelled to accept the findings of the arbitrators, failure to do so being considered contempt of court. The failure of the board in the railroad crisis was due to the circumstance that no matter what it determined upon it had no power to enforce its findings.

The railroads are in favor of compulsory arbitration. They also contend that arbitration should be used in the present eight-hour crisis, asserting that the President's argument that it cannot be used is faulty. They contend that the President could demand that the brotherhoods submit to arbitration just as easily as he demanded that the railroads grant the eight-hour day. They hold that the refusal of the railroads to grant the men's demand should have as much weight with the President as the brotherhoods' refusal to accept arbitration.

Build Stronger Zeppelins To Brave British Defense

BERLIN, Aug. 19. (via London, Aug. 20).—The principal improvement in the larger Zeppelins, in addition to their greater carrying capacity, is their increased proof against the effect of shell fire by anti-aircraft guns, according to a naval officer who commanded a naval Zeppelin in a recent attack on points in England. The officer said that the measures taken by the British to protect themselves against aircraft raids had improved recently to a state of perfection that traveling in it was perfectly safe.

Questioned concerning the possibility of a super-Zeppelin crossing from Germany to the United States, the officer said such a feat was perfectly feasible when atmospheric conditions were not wholly unfavorable. Under bad weather conditions a drawback would be that the craft probably would be compelled to sail for a time with the wind. The officer said the Zeppelin had now reached such a state of perfection that traveling in it was perfectly safe.

NORMAN ANGELL PUT IN JAIL, BERLIN SAYS

German Agency Circulates a
Report That Pacifist Is
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BERLIN, Aug. 20. (via wireless to Sayville, N. Y.).—According to the Overseas News Agency, an Italian newspaper has published a report that the English writer, Norman Angell, who has been sentenced to eighteen months at hard labor after having been arrested for several months, because he declined to take part in the war.

This report says that Mr. Angell's plea that he had conscientious objections to war service was overruled by an English court.

Ralph Norman Angell Lane, known also by his pen name of Norman Angell, has long been identified with the international peace movement, and he has been especially prominent since the publication of his book "The Great Illusion," which sought to demonstrate scientifically the futility of war. Since the opening of the European war in 1914 Mr. Angell has been unflinching in his wholehearted criticism of the conditions which led to the final tragedy and has lectured extensively on the nature of the peace to follow the war, but the unconfirmed report of his imprisonment here is the first intimation that his views have led him into difficulty with the English authorities.

Mr. Angell spent his youth in the United States, and has since visited here several times. He was in New York for six weeks last winter, when he delivered several lectures on international affairs before the Carnegie University. Before the war he was in charge of the London branch of the Woman's Peace Party, Nov. 11, 1915, he condemned the preparedness agitation in the United States, and predicted a war with Japan unless the international policy of the United States was radically reformed.

After leaving America in his youth, the pacifist spent many years in France, ten of them in charge of the Northcliffe's interests in Paris, where he served as manager of the Paris edition of The Daily Mail. After writing "The Great Illusion," which expressed the keynote of his whole attitude toward international relations, he moved to London to take charge of the propaganda which the book had set in motion.

His idea that the futility of war was a more serious basis for condemnation than its brutality, and that the support of many scientific men who had been repelled hitherto by what they regarded as the barrenness of the peace movement. Many Norman Angell Clubs were formed in England, one of the first at Cambridge University. Among the prominent men in the central organization in London were A. J. Balfour, Sir Bernard Shaw, and Lord Esher, whose interests had formerly been largely military.

His movement spread to the Continent and gained wide popularity even in Germany, where 10,000 copies of a German edition of "The Great Illusion" were sold in a week.

In a letter to The New York Times, written from Berlin, and dated August 22, 1915, Mr. Angell outlined his position after the beginning of the war. "The futility of war will never of itself stop war, and it is that fact which justifies the very ungrateful task in which I happen to be engaged. It is not enough that conquest and power should be barren men must realize that the moments they are not guided necessarily by their interests."

"However necessary it may be to have the very ungrateful task in which I happen to be engaged, it is not enough that conquest and power should be barren men must realize that the moments they are not guided necessarily by their interests."

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Conference Is Held.

If a fifty-mile automobile ride over difficult country roads enables Chairman Oscar S. Straus of the Public Service Commission to make train connections, he may reach New York City today to confer with Mayor Mitchell and representatives of the New York Railways Company and its union employees about the dispute that has threatened to cause a second traction strike. The probabilities are, however, that Mr. Straus will not arrive here until tomorrow morning, and that the conference over the dismissals of ex-strikers by the New York Railways Company will have to be postponed until that time.

Members of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees have announced that they expected to decide before tonight if a second strike was to be called. But Mayor Mitchell, who will arrive in the city from Plattsburg this morning, will endeavor to convince them that it is in their interest to wait until Mr. Straus gets here before taking any radical action.

Mr. Straus's desire to find a refuge remote enough to enable him to enjoy his vacation in peace is responsible for the uncertainty as to his movements. The Chairman of the Public Service Commission has been spending his holiday at Big Island Pond in Maine, thirty miles from a railroad, or a telegraph office. It has been reported that he has received telegrams telling him of the new dispute between the New York Railways Company and the Amalgamated association, but not even Geoffrey Goldmark, his secretary, has heard from him since last Saturday night.

Mr. Straus sent his secretary a telegram at that time, telling him that he doubted his ability to make train connections on Sunday, but intimated that he would make every effort to reach New York City in time for the conference today.

Difficulties of the Journey.

Mr. Goldmark said last night that the only way Mr. Straus could accomplish this would be to go by automobile fifty miles to the nearest railroad station, in the vicinity of Farmington, Me. From there he would go to Portland, where he could make rail connections for New York City. Mr. Straus's age, Mr. Goldmark added, made it doubtful that the Chairman would try to make fast time in the automobile ride.

"It is my opinion that Mr. Straus will reach Portland some time on Monday night and arrive in New York City Tuesday morning," he said.

Mr. Goldmark was of the belief that Mayor Mitchell would have no difficulty in inducing the leaders of the street carmen's union to withhold action until Mr. Straus arrived, although no expression from the labor leaders as to their plans could be obtained. William B. Fitzgerald, General Organizer of the Amalgamated Association, spent yesterday day at Far Rockaway, and Louis Fridiger, counsel for the union, also was out of the city.

P. J. Shea and Edward McMorris, members of the Executive Board of the street carmen's organization, arrived from Detroit late yesterday afternoon, to meet with the union and the official representatives of the labor organization, to be in the city today, and that he and Mr. Fitzgerald were the only ones who could talk with authority about the situation.

"There is nothing to be done until Mayor Mitchell and Mr. Straus get together and hold a conference with the union," said Matthew J. Higgins, one of the organizers of the Amalgamated Association. "It is only courtesy for the organization to hear what the city officials have to say before taking any action. They, of course, have no authority to compel either side to accept their rulings, but they certainly are in a position to tell the public what they understand the agreement between the company and its organized employees to be."

"As Mr. Fridiger and other members of the union have said, we have no doubt the right to discharge strikers after having promised explicitly to take them all back 'without prejudice.' We shall insist that all the men be taken back before we go on with the negotiations with the company."

Arguments of the Company.

Officials of the New York Railways Company could not be reached last night, but it was reported that they would submit to the Mayor and Mr. Straus several reasons why, in their opinion, the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees could not logically refuse to arbitrate the company's right to discharge men who had been convicted of misdemeanors.

"Hello, Fred!" "Hello, John!" Greeting of Worker and Railway President

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—A big purring automobile swung around the west corner of Pennsylvania Avenue and Fourteenth Street today and swept on past a big Capital sightseeing bus.

"Hello, there, Fred," shouted a well-dressed man on the bus.

"How are you, John?" answered the prosperous man in the automobile.

"Fred," was Frederick D. Underwood, President of the Erie Railroad, who was out for a pleasure ride with some of the other representatives of the \$100,000,000 worth of railroads in the United States. "John" was one of the engineers on the Erie, with whom "Fred" used to work, and who now threatens to help tie up the Erie and all the other railroads of the country if "Fred" and his associates don't grant the brotherhoods the eight-hour day. Many of the railroad Presidents who are now defying the brotherhoods and are close to refusing President Wilson's demand that the worker receive the

eight-hour day, came up from the ranks, and are the closest of friends.

This was a day off from the great industrial game being played here, with President Wilson trying to enforce his decision, and for the day the representatives of labor were seemingly on good terms.

The railroad executives took the day easy, going for long automobile rides through the surrounding country, out over the hills of Virginia, across the Potomac and up into Maryland, while the 600 Chairmen representing the 400,000 engineers, firemen, conductors and trainmen, took the more democratic vehicles, trolley cars and buses, for Sunday pleasure trips.

President Wilson, who has been trying for a week to untie the knot tied by the conflicting interests of workers and railroads, also dropped the matter for the day. He went to church with Mr. Wilson this morning and this afternoon took an automobile ride with her.

SAY CALIFORNIA ROW WON'T HURT HUGHES

Republican-Progressive Strife
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POINT TO BIG MEETINGS

In Same Hotel, But Evades Ex-
Justice—Willcox Invites Him
to Speak With Hughes.

Special to The New York Times.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 20.—The Hughes campaign party moved on to Los Angeles today. The people of the city extended a cordial reception to the Republican nominee. For the time being every effort is being made here to eliminate from the national campaign the bitter factional strife between Progressives and Republicans over the State situation, and surface indications tonight were that some success had attended this endeavor.

There was a big crowd at the railway station to greet the nominee when he arrived at 10 o'clock this morning, and throughout the day there were many expressions of cordiality wherever the nominee went. There was present here, as in San Francisco, however, the determination on the part of the regular Republicans not to accept Governor Elfron Johnson, Progressive candidate for the United States Senate, as one of their number, or to let him jump away with the nomination in the Republican primaries, Johnson against the Republican organization, which he disrupted four years ago, is the big issue in the State fight, and there seems no probability at this time of ending the squabble.

Strenuous Day of Rest.

Mr. Hughes spent a strenuous day of rest. Soon after reaching the city he went to church. Later he held a public reception at his hotel, took a hundred-mile motor drive, visiting Pasadena and Long Beach, stopped at the Los Angeles Museum on the way back, and did not reach his hotel tonight until more than two hours after he had expected to do so.

At Long Beach Mr. Hughes spent half an hour in the hotel at which Governor Johnson was visiting, but did not meet him.

Governor Johnson remained in his hotel. The nominee held an informal reception for his hosts at the hotel, and was surrounded by a crowd that choked the hotel and lobby and overflowed into the street.

On his long motor trip Mr. Hughes made a number of short stops. The first of these, at Pasadena, was to greet a group of children at the Boys and Girls' Aid Society Home. The nominee and his wife made a short call on the widow of ex-President Garfield, and Mr. Hughes stopped for a moment to leave his best wishes at the home of ex-Senator George F. Edmunds of Vermont, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Hughes were the lunch guests of the Republican City Committee of Pasadena, where they afterwards held a public reception. The nominee and his wife were the guests of a bed of natural asphalt near this city. The nominee desired to attend church here tonight, but was prevented from doing so by his belated return. He left at midnight for San Diego, where he will speak tomorrow afternoon. His program calls for an address here tomorrow night.

Members of the Hughes party, as well as Republican State leaders, such as National Committeeman William H. Crocker and State Chairman Frank V. Keeling, are outspoken in the declaration that the local trouble will have no effect upon the candidacy of Mr. Hughes and that he will carry the State by a big majority. They say that California has extended a splendid welcome to the Republican nominee and that in the end the Progressives will forget their local differences and support him.

Mr. Hughes reflected this feeling in a brief interview with the local newspaper reporters shortly after his arrival here. Pressed for some expressions concerning the local trouble, he said:

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REVENUE BILL ALONE HOLDS UP CONGRESS

Senators Say They Could Ad-
journ This Week if House
Would Accept the Measure.

CLEAR WAY FOR SHIP BILL

ARMY APPROPRIATION BILL MAY BE ADOPTED WITHOUT REVISAL

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—Adjournment of Congress now waits only on the passage of the Emergency Revenue bill, repackage of the army Appropriation bill, with amendments to meet President Wilson's veto, completion of the General Deficiency Appropriation measure, and final action on a few conference reports, including the Government Shipping bill.

Senate leaders who have grown optimistic over the rapid progress of legislation within the last few days, say they would be ready to adjourn next Saturday if the House could be prevailed upon to accept the amended Revenue bill without a fight. This does not seem likely, however, and because of some discussion that may arise over General Deficiency appropriations, Congress probably will not be ready for the adjournment before Sept. 1 or 2.

Years of indefinite delay resulting from President Wilson's veto of the Army Appropriation bill because of its exemption from the military code of retired officers and men have almost entirely disappeared. On Tuesday the House will pass the bill under special rule with the Articles of War which contained Representative Hay's objectionable amendment eliminated. It will be rushed to the Senate, where the plan is to reinstate the Articles of War in the Hay amendment. Unless present plans miscarry, the House will then go to conference, and Representative Hay, his friends assert, will surrender. There is a possibility, however, that the Articles of War may be thrown out in the Senate on a point of order that they are not germane to an appropriation bill. If any Senator takes this point, that will end the controversy.

TAKE UP REVENUE BILL TODAY

Tomorrow the Senate will begin discussion of the revenue bill, designed to raise \$205,000,000 annually through income, inheritance, munitions, liquor, corporation stock, and miscellaneous taxes. Senator Simmons, Chairman of the Finance Committee, will open debate on the measure, and he has been assured by Republican leaders that the bill will pass without a fight.

The bill is the target for Progressive political assault, that they can finish their attack in four or five days at the most. Some time, however, will be taken by Democratic Senators who oppose certain features of the bill. Senator Underwood will oppose the creation of a tariff commission and the proposed increased tariff duties on dyestuffs and on the ground that vigorous fiscal development actions are necessary against Democratic doctrine. Senator Phelan is dissatisfied with the wine tax schedule and will submit an amendment, and several Senators interested in copper and cotton will assail the section which would tax manufacturers of materials entering into munitions of war.

Some of the House leaders do not like some of the Senate amendments to the bill. Representative Kitchin, the majority leader, said that the House would not accept the Senate changes, and in conference some of them may be dropped. The House will vote on a bill of \$130,000,000 to meet expenses of the Mexican emergency, House leaders will be accepted, having originally been suggested by the Ways and Means Committee.

WAY CLEAR FOR SHIP BILL

The Shipping bill will go to conference on Tuesday, and little trouble is expected regarding it. Senate amendments limiting the power of the proposed Shipping Board in the purchase of vessels and permitting foreign-built ships to enter the American coastwise trade have been urged strongly upon House leaders by Administration heads in order to hasten action on the measure. The Administration does not want to take any more chances with this bill, and the House will pass it without a fight.

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2 BRITISH CRUISERS SUNK BY U-BOATS

German Fleet with Zeppelins
in North Sea Dash Engages
Scouts Near Dogger Bank.

ONE SUBMARINE DESTROYED

And Probably Another, Says Ad-
miralty Account—All but 39
of British Crews Saved.

TEUTON WARSHIPS RETIRE

London Admits Loss of Falmouth
and Nottingham, Second-Class
Craft—Denies Berlin Version.

LONDON, Monday, Aug. 21.—Two British light cruisers, the Nottingham and the Falmouth, were sunk Saturday in the North Sea by German submarines while the vessels were searching for the German High Seas Fleet, according to an official announcement issued by the Admiralty shortly before midnight.

One German submarine was destroyed by the British, while another was rammed and possibly sunk, according to the Admiralty statement, which reads:

Reports from our lookout squadrons and other units showed that there was considerable activity on the part of the enemy in the North Sea Saturday, the 19th. The German High Seas Fleet came out, but, learning from their scouts that the British forces were in considerable strength, the enemy avoided an engagement and returned to port.

In searching for the enemy we lost two cruisers by submarine attacks—H. M. S. Nottingham, Captain C. B. Miller, and H. M. S. Falmouth, Captain John Edwards.

All the officers of the former were saved, but thirty-eight of the crew are missing. All the officers and men of the Falmouth were saved, but one leading stoker, Norman Fry, died of injuries.

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The presence in the North Sea of a German squadron of some fifteen warships, including large cruisers, was previously reported by trawlers arriving at Ymuiden, Holland, a Reuter dispatch from that point says. The squadron was sighted early Saturday morning in the region of White Bank, and was accompanied by two Zeppelins. It was taking a northwesterly course.

FIRST REAL FIGHT SINCE MAY 31

Both the Nottingham and Falmouth were second-class armored cruisers and rated as better than 23-knot warships. The Nottingham was a vessel of 5,440 tons and normally carried 380 officers and men. She was built in Pembroke during 1912 and was 430 feet long. Her armament consisted of nine six-inch guns, four three-pounders, and two torpedo tubes.

The Falmouth was an older vessel, having been built at Dalmuir in 1910. She was 450 feet long and of 5,250 tons. On her trial trips she made more than twenty-seven knots an hour. Her complement consisted of 376 officers and men, and she mounted eight six-inch guns, four three-pounders, and had two torpedo tubes.

The last British war vessel of importance to be lost was the cruiser Hampshire, which was sunk by a mine off the Orkney Islands, while on her way to Russia. Only twelve of her crew were saved, those lost including Lord Kitchener, Secretary for War, and his staff.

On May 31, in the battle of Jutland, off the coast of Denmark, between the German high seas fleet and a greater portion of the British North Sea fleet, 9,500 lives were lost. In this battle the British lost six large cruisers and eight destroyers, while the Germans lost a battleship, a battle cruiser, four light cruisers, and five destroyers.

This is the first time that British cruisers have been torpedoed by German submarines since the sinking of the cruisers Cressy, Aboukir and Hogue during the first few weeks of the war.

William Van Doorn, General Agent of the Holland-America line in the United States, who knows the North Sea well, said that the White Bank, near where the German fleet was sighted, is one of the small sand banks near the Dogger Bank which lies directly east of Scarborough and almost midway of the normal traffic routes in the North Sea. It is situated about thirty-five miles off the coast of Holland. He said it was well known to fishermen because they were in the habit of fishing off the Dogger, Red and White Banks in the North Sea.

According to Captain D. J. Roberts, Marine Superintendent of the Cunard Line, the White Bank is situated twenty-five miles west northwest of Peterhead, on the East Coast of Scotland. This bank, in one of the northernmost Scottish firths, is not believed to be the bank referred to in the stories of fishermen who saw the German High Seas Fleet.

BERLIN'S BRIEF VERSION.

German Admiralty Says One Cruiser
and a Destroyer Were Sunk.

BERLIN, Aug. 20. (By Wireless to Sayville.)—The Admiralty announced today that a German submarine yesterday sank a small cruiser and a destroyer near the British East Coast and damaged another small cruiser and a battleship. The statement says:

A German submarine off the British East Coast on Aug. 19 destroyed a small cruiser and a destroyer. Another small cruiser and a battleship were struck by torpedoes.

Eight Killed in Explosion in Canadian Munitions Plant

MONTREAL, Aug. 20.—Eight persons were killed and more than a score were injured in an explosion early today in a munitions plant at Drummondville.

The cause of the disaster has not been determined.

FRENCH ADVANCING; BRITISH HOLD GAINS

Gen. Foch's Troops Capture a
Strongly Fortified Wood
North of Maurepas.

GERMAN ASSAULTS FAIL

English Recover Ground After Hard
Fighting—Teutons Unable
to Retake Fleury.

LONDON, Aug. 20.—Continuing their attacks north of the Somme, the French scored another success today, capturing a strongly fortified wood between Guillemont and Maurepas, it was announced officially in Paris this evening.

The French artillery continues to pound the German line along the whole Somme front.

The British report, issued this evening, says Gen. Haig's troops captured a further portion of German trenches north of Bazentin-le-Petit. A strong German attack was delivered on the new British positions west of Fourieux (High Wood), penetrating the trenches at some points. The Germans were driven out, however, by the British infantry.

On the Verdun front, the Germans made vigorous efforts to retake the village of Fleury, from which they were driven yesterday. Several attacks were made, but all of them failed, with heavy losses. Other attacks in the region northwest of the Thiaumont work met with a similar fate.

The French official report of this evening says:

North of the Somme we carried a wood, strongly garrisoned by the enemy, between Guillemont and Maurepas. A large quantity of war material remains in our hands. Our batteries showed great activity on the whole Somme front.

Everywhere else there were gusts of artillery fire, except in the Fleury sector, where the enemy's activity bordered the village.

The French War Office's statement issued this afternoon, is devoted chiefly to the Verdun front. It follows:

The night was calm along the Somme front.

On the right bank of the Meuse the enemy displayed great activity during the night. After an intense bombardment, lasting for several hours, the Germans made various attempts to capture the village of Fleury from us. All their attacks, one of which was extremely violent, were repelled by our fire. The enemy suffered heavy losses and left some prisoners in our hands.

At about the same time the Germans attacked our trenches northwest of Thiaumont work. Here, also, our curtain of fire and our machine guns inflicted upon them a sanguinary check. In Loraine a surprise attack by the enemy against one of our small posts near Veho was repulsed easily.

BRITISH REPORT SUCCESES.

The British communication issued this evening reads as follows:

About noon today the enemy delivered a strong attack on the new line which we have established for about half a mile from the western corner of High Wood. He succeeded in reaching this line at certain points, but was driven out again by our infantry, which immediately recaptured the trenches. Subsequent hostile attacks have been repelled.

North of Bazentin-le-Petit we gained today a further portion of enemy trenches.

The enemy heavily shelled different portions of our front, especially High Wood, Hamel, and Mailly. Elsewhere there was nothing of importance.

Despite the low clouds, our aircraft did very useful work yesterday in communicating with our advanced infantry. One of our aeroplanes, coming down to a low altitude, opened a machine gun fire very effectively on enemy infantry in front-line trenches, and also on hostile reinforcements coming up communicating trenches.

The following official statement was given out here this afternoon:

At some points on our front between the Somme and the Ancre local bombing encounters occurred last night, but the enemy made no serious attempt to recover the ground we captured Friday.

On other parts of the line we carried out successful raids, making some captures, including a machine gun, and inflicting a considerable number of casualties on the enemy.

300,000 Men Employed, Says Berlin.

BERLIN, Aug. 20.—British attacks on the Somme front yesterday were repulsed, says the official statement issued here today. The announcement follows:

North of the Somme the fighting gradually decreased in intensity. Near Verdun and on the western bank of the Meuse the enemy made several attacks, but they were repulsed.

Information is now at hand that at least eight British and four French divisions (about 200,000 men) took part in the attack of Friday.

British patrols were repulsed near Fromelles and northwest of Florin.

The official statement admits that French troops have again penetrated the village of Fleury, northeast of Verdun. The statement regarding the Verdun front follows:

BOTH SIDES GAIN IN SALONKI FIGHT 150 MILES WIDE

German-Bulgarian Forces Attack
on Both Flanks as the Allies
Advance in the Centre.

BULGARS MENACE KAVALA

Strengthen Positions on the
Struma, Cross the Mesta,
and Push Toward Coast.

BRITISH LINE ADVANCED

Takes Possession of the Strategic
Point of Dolzeil—French
Also Win Villages.

PARIS, Aug. 20.—As a countermove to the Entente Allied advance in the centre of the Saloniki front, the Teuton-Bulgarian forces are active on both wings. While developing on the allied left the offensive south of Monastir they have seized two Greek forts on the Struma and further west have pushed patrols toward the port of Kavala.

The general engagement which began on Friday is continuing with intensity over an extended front, running from Florina, near Monastir, to the River Struma. This represents an irregular line measuring upward of 150 miles.

General Sarraill is directing the united operations of the Allies, with General Cordonnier commanding the French troops. The operations have been long expected as a part of the co-ordinated offensive of the Allies on all fronts. Its opening follows the arrival of General Cordonnier after extended conferences with officials here.

Seek to Anticipate Movement.

On the left the Serbians had moved up to within twenty-five miles of Monastir, holding Florina as



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FOUR LOSE LIVES IN NEARBY WATERS

Bathers in Pelham Bay See Two Men Drown Within a Few Hours.

ONE DEATH AT CONEY ISLAND

Several Have Narrow Escapes—Life Guards Make Daring Rescue at Rockaway.

Four persons were drowned and several others had narrow escapes from death in the waters near New York yesterday.

Crowds in bathing in Pelham Bay saw two men drowned at different times during the afternoon. Dominick Lurso, 22 years old, of 220 East 228th Street, dived from a high rock near shore a short distance from the Pelham Bridge and sank after coming to the surface once. Edward Brady of 723 Thirtieth Avenue recovered the body by diving and brought it to shore. Efforts at resuscitation were being made when Dr. Conboy, from Fordham Hospital, found that Lurso had fractured his skull by striking a hidden rock in diving and that his lungs had filled with water while he was unconscious, causing death.

Henry Hewig of 963 Caldwell Avenue, the Bronx, who was on the motorboat Nanawaka with a party in Pelham Bay, stumbled and fell out of the boat with his clothes on when it made a turn. He sank and did not resurface. He could not swim and was evidently weighted down by the water taken up by his clothes. The body was recovered later and sent to Fordham Morgue.

Harry Carlson, 40 years old, of 1,140 College Avenue, the Bronx, was drowned while swimming in the Hudson River off Tarrytown in the afternoon. His wife, son, and daughter had pleaded with him not to go into the water. His body has not been recovered.

Simon Kaufman, 25 years old, a tailor's cutter, living at 647 East Thirtieth Street, was drowned yesterday afternoon while swimming at the foot of West Twenty-third Street, Coney Island. While in the water he was seized by a cramp. He was brought ashore by Max Alperin of 1,070 Pitkin Avenue, Brooklyn, who worked over him until Dr. Mensch of the Coney Island Hospital arrived. Kaufman died under the doctor's hands.

Philippe Vos, 25 years old, of 38 North Park Avenue, Rockaway Beach, was bathing at the foot of Park Avenue in the afternoon, when he was caught by the strong undertow and carried out to sea. He was rescued by Nicholas E. Golden, a beach life guard, and taken to the Rockaway Beach Hospital, where he lies in a critical condition.

John Miller, 27 years old, of 93 Elton Street, Brooklyn, went bathing at the foot of Seneca Avenue, Rockaway Beach, and was swept out by the undertow for a distance of 300 feet toward the Iron Pier. The shouts of the crowd on the pier attracted the life guards, and twelve went out to Miller, who had sunk for the third time when Daniel Doran dived and seized him by the belt. He was taken to the Rockaway Beach Hospital, where Dr. Joseph Silverman worked over him for an hour and a half with a pulmonary. He will recover.

Fay O. Kammerer, 26 years old, of Camp 74, Steeplechase Park, was bathing off McNamara's Baths, Coney Island, in the afternoon, when she was seized with an epileptic fit and shouted for help. Several life guards swam to her rescue and brought her ashore. She was taken to a hospital.

Nathaniel Walker, 20 years old, a salesman, of 1,139 Avenue J, Brooklyn, was seized with a cramp while bathing at the foot of West Thirtieth Street, Coney Island. He was rescued by life guards and was able to go home.

DISCORD IN GERMANY

Government's Arbitrariness Develops Bitterness, Neutral Writer Asserts.

Unless the Kaiser's Government takes steps to bring hostilities to an immediate close the political and economic situation after peace has finally been re-established will be almost worse than war itself, according to a report on conditions in Germany written for the

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Food Situation in Germany Found to be Still Serious.

Reports reaching this country in Germany and London newspapers regarding the conditions under which the system of mass feeding is being extended to the principal cities of the German Empire do not accord with the recent cable notices asserting that in Berlin, for instance, the public kitchens are feeding but comparatively few persons, and that, in general, when the new harvests are all gathered Germany will be able to hold out for another year without any particular hardship. When the question of establishing public kitchens in Brunswick was under discussion, a delegation from the military headquarters in Hanover, headed by a Captain, asked the German Government to do nothing to stop the massacres. During the whole business German influence was supreme at Constantinople, and German Consuls were at the posts in all the chief centers through Asia Minor. Besides, the people were swept away with a methodical thoroughness which one does not expect to find in a Turkish ruler, left to himself, acts rather with sudden spasms of fury.

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LANDS LANGDALE SURVIVORS

Five Americans From Shipwrecked Bark Brought to Boston.

BOSTON, Aug. 20.—Five American survivors of the crew of the British bark Langdale, wrecked Aug. 9 outside of Ponta Delgada Harbor, in the Azores, were brought to port today on the steamer Canopic, which arrived from Naples. The Langdale left Portland, Ore., Feb. 12 with a cargo of sack flour consigned to Falmouth, England. Off the Azores a heavy storm threw the bark upon the rocks, where she pounded to pieces. The crew of twenty-nine, composed mostly of English and Scandinavians, escaped and later were sent to their homes by the British Consul. The American members of the crew brought here are James W. Cronin of St. Louis, Charles Sackett of Washington, D. C., William McDermott of Detroit, Mich., Nicholas Mason of Baltimore, Md., and Jack McCarthy of Boyne City, Mich.

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ALBANY, Aug. 20.—Summoned to the home of Stephen Malesta, a tailor, whose wife was found with her throat cut, the police today found in an apartment above the Malvesta flat the body of an unidentified man, who had been slashed to death with knives. Malesta told the police that he returned home late last night and found the body of his wife lying on the floor. The fact that the tailor changed his clothing before notifying the police of his wife's death, and that there were stains on his shoes caused him to be held as a witness in the case.

The police believe the body of the man may be that of Michael Lombardi, caretaker of the building, who had been missing more than a week. He had been dead several days.

Owners of the building said that they had notified Malesta yesterday to move because the structure was to be torn down.

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ROBINS GET ONE BIG RUN

Wheat Makes Three-Bagger and Comes Home on Wild Pitch With the Score That Wins the Game.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—Jack Coombs, pitching the finest article of ball seen hereabouts for many days, proved an unobtainable enigma for the Cubs today and the Robins won a tight contest by the score of 1 to 0. Sixteen thousand perishing fans sat, stretched, and suffering palpitation of the heart and constantly hoping against hope that there would be a break in the first-line trenches of the New Yorkers. There was positively nothing doing, however. Gas attacks, forays, frontal charges in mass formation, everything but bombardment was tried. There was no bombardment to speak of. Max Flack, in the seventh inning, furnished the only bombardment so far as the Cubs were concerned.

Coombs had one strike on Flack and then curved a low one on the outside. Flack met it squarely and it sped fairly inside the right field fence for a single. That was all, but as a result the Cubs learned by other than hearsay evidence that such a thing as a first base existed.

Wild Pitch of Value to Robins.

Opposed to Mr. Coombs was Claude Hendrix, the slippery-elm artist who admits Kansas as his home. Claude was also there with a high-grade variety of twirling, but lost his game in the third with a wild pitch. It was his only break, but the damage done by it was not small. Claude Hendrix also reached first base when Mowrey threw badly to third base, and in the next inning, Hendrix got a momentary reprieve when Mowrey, on his next curve, and Elliott could not get his hands on it properly, with the result that Wheat came home while Elliott was chasing the wild pitch.

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Superbas Active with the Club.

The manner in which the Dodgers opened the affair indicated that Hendrix was due for a lovely evening. In all but one of nine innings the women got a runner to first. They gathered ten hits in the course of the afternoon, including doubles by Johnston, McCarthy and Mowrey, a triple by Johnston, and a home run by Johnston in the first five innings and they had as many men left on base in the ninth as they had in the first.

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Yesterday's Results.

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No games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

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Brooklyn, 1; Chicago, 0.
Boston, 4; Cincinnati, 3.

Standing of the Clubs.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Team	W.	L.	P.C.
Boston	68	47	.594
Chicago	66	51	.566
Cleveland	62	55	.528
Detroit	62	54	.534
St. Louis	62	54	.534
New York	60	56	.518
Washington	54	62	.467
Philadelphia	23	88	.211

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Brooklyn	67	48	.582
Philadelphia	63	42	.600
Pittsburgh	59	46	.562
Cincinnati	58	47	.554
St. Louis	57	48	.543
Chicago	50	55	.476
Cleveland	43	72	.374

Where They Play Today.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Chicago at New York.
(Game starts at 3:30 P. M.)
Cleveland at Boston.
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CARDS WHITWASH GIANTS.

Betzels Bat and Slow Fielding Factors in Defeat of McGraw's Men.

Special to The New York Times.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 20.—First one person, then another, makes the warning superfluous for the Cardinals. Yesterday in Chicago it was Zimmerman, today in St. Louis it was Betzel. In the fifth inning of the New York-St. Louis arbitrament of arms Betzel started in to pilage Ruhe Benton's pitching. With a two-base hit in that inning and a three-base hit in the next he fomented insurrection which yielded four runs, and the Cardinals beat the backsliding Giants, 5 to 0.

The Giants are getting a surfeit of whitewash. The game egg trimming fastened to them today was their fourth since they began their campaign in St. Louis. They are now in nine engagements which they left New York. With it they have lost four of five games, and the percentage.

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AMERICAN SOCCER

TEAM VICTORIOUS

Picked Eleven of Stockholm Players Beaten in Hard-Fought Match by 3 to 2.

STOCKHOLM, Aug. 20.—(Delayed by censor.)—A clean-cut victory rewarded the efforts of the American soccer team representing the United States Football Association in the second of the series of five international matches played yesterday in the Stadium of the Stockholm Gymnastic and Sporting Association against a picked eleven from the ranks of the local soccer clubs identified with that organization.

Although the margin was a narrow one—three goals to two—the Americans, who had already displayed their prowess to good advantage by recording a tie in the first match, held the whip hand at all times. Taking the lead in the first half, at the end of which they had the advantage by 1-0, the visitors were never overtaken.

With only one of the backs to bar the way, the Americans presented the same front as in the first game, but none of the members of the attacking team was in the lineup in the initial attack. Ellis of the Brooklyn Celtics joined the half back division in the lineup of the visitors, and his appearance by shooting a goal in the second period of play. The footing being less secure than on the first day, the combination of the forward line was not so accurate, but nevertheless the backs proved to be at the greatest disadvantage in consequence of the change of conditions.

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Comment on Current Events in Sports

Is Kumagata to be Champion?

During the progress of the Longwood tennis tournament a few weeks ago when Mark Burs made half in ten perhaps half seriously, that a season or two more would see the national singles championship resting in the Far East. It was a rash statement, or at any rate it sounded so to the many who heard. Two Japanese were here, to be sure, but there was little then which seemed to indicate that they might become formidable rivals to the best men of this country, although Ichiji Kumagata had scored a marvelous success in the first round when he defeated the leading player of this country, Bill Johnston, in a five-set match. With the national championship only a week away, this little Japanese must be considered as a formidable factor, while in the minds of some he will rule favorite.

With one exception there were two former national champions, Richard Norris Williams, 2d, and William J. Johnston, who were in the lineup in the initial attack. Ellis of the Brooklyn Celtics joined the half back division in the lineup of the visitors, and his appearance by shooting a goal in the second period of play. The footing being less secure than on the first day, the combination of the forward line was not so accurate, but nevertheless the backs proved to be at the greatest disadvantage in consequence of the change of conditions.

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Clouds.

WEST WIND BEST FOR RAIDS

Then the Great Ships Can Best
Make the Return Trip After
Carrying Out Orders.

From a Staff Correspondent.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

BERLIN, Aug. 21.—Anton Fendrich,

who is about to publish a book on the

war, is giving to the German public its

first real view of the German air fleet,

which he visited "among the sand

dunes." Here is his story:

"Somewhere amid the white sand

dunes and the salt meadow winds dwell

the mariners of the air who have

brought some notion to Albin that it no

longer is an island. I was taken at

evening in an automobile over cause-

ways and dikes to a group of buildings,

dark airship hells, silhouetted against

the sunset clouds in great lines of modern

steel construction.

"How many?" I hear the question

asked. Quite a confidence-inspiring

number.

"The commanders were sitting at a

flower-decked horseshoe supper table—

not all of them, for some were 'under

way.' From the wall smiled the Suab-

ian, Count Zeppelin, without whose

decade of struggling all this would

never have been.

"These men were mostly between 20

and 40 years and already had many a

time participated in a wild hunt

through searchlights and bursting shells

and though they lived among these

peaceful meadows the same keen look

of the huntsman which one finds at the

front was stamped on their faces.

"In the midst of the conversation

one of the commanders, tall and

smooth shaven, rose and said it was

high time to go, as he had to sail that

night. Would I come to the hall?

"It was midnight as we approached

the dark structure with brightly illu-

minated windows which, at first broad

and red, soon shrunk to narrow

slits as the whole hall turned on

its axis in order to bring the airship

into line with the wind.

"Hurricane from Propellers.

"The turning of a single screw on

the ochre-yellow body of the air-cruiser

filled the giant hall with the roaring

and howling of a hurricane.

"In front of the airship unbelievably

thin steel rods to which were affixed

the screw propellers were high wooden

platforms on which mechanical covers

and watched the whirling propellers.

These wooden propellers, each as tall

as a man, soon became visible again,

turned awkwardly a few times, then

stopped. A mechanic adjusted a few

screws, hammered a few bolts, and then

the slender thin wooden blades again

roared. The mechanic notes the faults

first always with the ear only, but af-

terwards discovers them with the eye.

"Now they had caught the right tone.

"The ship is clear for sailing," the en-

gineer replied to the commander.

"In the front wall a gap opened slowly,

like the pulling of a giant stone curtain

in a theatre, only much slower.

The motors took seven minutes to slide

back the steel wings on the front door.

The commander disappeared in the di-

rection of the forward gondola. From

the portholes of the connecting gang-

way grinned the faces of happy man-

ners, who called out jokes to those who

were staying behind. Then the wondrous

monster was led out of the hall with an

ease which the eye could hardly credit.

"Gas cells between the ribs of the

air cruiser catch the laws of gravitation.

GERMANS REMIT \$250,000 FINE Imposed on City of Brussels

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 21. (via London.)—The Echo, Belge says it learns that General Von Bissing, Governor General of the occupied portions of Belgium, has remitted the fine of 1,250,000 francs (\$250,000) imposed on the City of Brussels for celebrating the Belgian national fête day July 21, and which the municipality had refused to pay on the ground that it was illegal.

Dispatches late in July from The Hague and Amsterdam announced the imposition of this fine on Brussels. It was said then that Acting Burgomaster Lemmonier wrote to General Von Bissing declining to pay the fine as an illegal and inadmissible tax on patriotic sentiment.

FRENCH CORPORAL CHARGES WITH FOE

Stripped by a Shell Explosion,
He Dons the Uniform of
a Dead Bavarian.

THEN CRAWLS TO FOE'S LINES

Gets Their Views at First Hand and
Takes Part in Attack—Wounded
by His Own Men, but Not Badly.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Aug. 21.—One of the most re-

markable stories of the war was told

by Corporal Marcel B., of the 1913

class, belonging to a French Regiment

d'élite, who is the space of twen-

ty-four hours took part with his com-

rades in a successful charge and later

with a Silesian battalion in a less suc-

cessful counterattack. He experienced

two furious bombardments, first from

the Germans and then from his own

guns and finally was wounded by a

French bomb while trying to approach

an outlying French trench along a Ger-

man communication trench.

Corporal B., who is now in a hospi-

tal near Paris, lived with his parents

in Munich for five years before the

war. He only left to undertake

military service in the Autumn of 1913.

Early wounded in the battle of the

Marne, he rejoined his regiment in time

for last year's Champagne offensive.

He passed three months at Verdun and

has been on the Somme front since the

beginning of July.

"Last Thursday evening," he said,

"my battalion was moved up to a point

just beyond the road from Maurepas to

Cléry, with orders to assault the line

of four German trenches opposite at

dawn. Throughout the night it was

impossible to sleep owing to the terrific

din of French shells exploding over the

enemy's position in a continuous roar.

"The first streaks of daylight showed

a regular wall of black and yellow

smoke stretching along before us lit up

at rapid intervals by bright stabs of

light. Everything was shrouded with

extraordinary suddenness, but the sing-

ing in my ears was so loud that I

guessed rather than heard the order the

Lieutenant was shouting.

"I followed the rush forward, now

stumbling in shell holes, now ripping

through what was left of the wire en-

tanglements. The enemy's artillery was

feeble. At times came the swish of

shrapnel, exploding above us, but

everything was drowned by the roar

of the French curtain fire like a long

barrier of flame shutting off our ob-

jective from reinforcements.

"The advance was absurdly easy. The

few enemy survivors offered little re-

sistance and half an hour after the

charge began we of the leading com-

panies were already building barricades

to close the communication trenches

leading to the enemy's fourth line, now

became our first.

"All through Friday we worked under

fire steadily growing heavier. The enemy

had the range to an inch and the air,

despite the masks, was almost unbear-

able through the fumes of picric acid,

coating everything in red wetness and

covering everything with a fine brist-

le dust power.

"About 3 o'clock I decided to crawl

forward for shelter to a little hollow

about twenty yards in front of the line,

where shells did not seem to be falling,

and I ordered four of my squad to fol-

low, thinking that we might also do a

ALLIES HAMMER BULGAR CENTRE IN THE NEW DRIVE

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fenses Near Seres.

GREEK ARMY FALLS BACK

Retires from Frontier Positions
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Start an Advance.

ITALIANS NOW AT SALONIKI

King Victor's Troops Cheered by the
People—Sofia Parliament
Told Victory Is Sure.

PARIS, Aug. 21.—An official state-

ment issued by the French War Office

tonight admits for the first time that a

general offensive along the entire Sa-

loniki front was launched on Sunday by

the Allies. The Anglo-French forces

have crossed the Struma and are attack-

ing a strong line of positions northeast

of Seres. The Serbians have captured

the first line of the Bulgarians on the

left of the battle front, but have lost the

town of Banica, south of Florina.

Italian troops began to disembark at

Saloniki yesterday, says a Havas dis-

patch from that point. On leaving

their ships the Italians passed through

Saloniki to camp, preceded by military

bands of the Allies and cheered by the

population.

The official statement issued to the

War Office follows:

On Aug. 20 the allied forces at

Saloniki took the offensive on the en-

tire front. On the right wing the

Anglo-French forces have crossed the

Struma and are attacking the enemy

on the Kavakli-Kalendera-Tapalava

front, northwest of Seres. They are

in contact with a position strongly

held by the enemy at Barakli, eight

kilometers southeast of Demir-Hissar.

In the center violent artillery actions

are taking place on the southern slope

of the Velez Mountain and on both

banks of the Vardar. In the region

extending from Lake Dolan to the

Vardar the Allies have consolidated

positions they occupied on the pre-

ceding day.

On the left wing, in the mountainous

region between the German and Mos-

leucia Rivers, the Serbian troops have

taken the first-line trenches of the

Bulgarians on the heights of Kikuruz

and have occupied the forts of Ka-

mak-Cler. On the extreme left,

after inflicting heavy losses on the

Bulgarians, they are advancing in Eastern

Thrace, where they have crossed the

Maritsa and have crossed the

Neatos (Mesta) River and advanced to

Kavala.

These developments are considered of

secondary importance, and the Allies

take a hopeful view of their plans.

In the fighting at Moglen, Bul-

garians, according to a dispatch re-

ceived here, had killed 400, 900 wound-

ed, and 40 were taken prisoners.

"Bulgar Advance Explained.

ATHENS, Aug. 20. (via London, Aug.

21.)—The Bulgarian forces moving to-

ward Kavala have already pushed their

outposts to a point seven miles from

that Greek seaport. The Greek Govern-

ment has ordered the evacuation of the

Greek army still remaining in the vic-

inity of Drama and Serres to retire be-

hind the Bulgarian advance, which was

explained to The Associated Press cor-

respondent by a military authority.

"The Serbians had not finished the

consolidation of their positions in the

Demir-Hissar and Sarichan sectors

and therefore the Bulgarians found it

easy enough to force a certain retire-

ment, but it is difficult to see what

they expect to get by an advance at this

part of the line. East of the Struma,

the Demir-Hissar and Sarichan sec-

tors were not held by the Entente forces

and offered no impediment to the ad-

vance. Where the enemy attacked the

regular defenses of Saloniki, namely in

the Dolan-Gievski sector, they ac-

Plan to Film the British Cabinet Shocks the Commons and It Can't Be Done

Special to The New York Times.

LONDON, Tuesday, Aug. 22.—Ever

since it was announced that the Min-

isters had consented to allow a Cabinet

meeting to be filmed by a syndicate of

British producers there has been con-

siderable discussion as to whether the

Cabinet's dignity would be lowered by

this revealing its secrets to vulgar gaze.

The scheme is said to have origi-

nated with "some distinguished

woman," who in discussing a

charity in which the king and Queen

were jointly interested desired to ap-

proach a film company with a view to

inducing it to produce a picture, the

public exhibition of which would ben-

efit this charity. Mrs. Asquith ap-

proached one of the leading men in the

industry. The idea was received with

enthusiasm. A scheme was drawn up

for a film which would show the public

the whole machinery of war admin-

istration, including a meeting of the

and \$1.25 for the other two hours, a total of \$6.25, increasing his pay 25 per cent.

If, by reason of traffic delays, he is held idle on a sidetrack, so that he does not complete his trip until the end of twelve hours, he now is paid \$6 for his time, no matter how little work he performs. The demand is to pay him \$7.50 for this twelve hours service.

Meanwhile the employees would continue to have the same opportunity as now to make still larger pay on the mileage basis. For example, the man who makes a round trip, making, say, 150 miles in only seven hours, earns \$7.50 for his day's work. If after this he is called for a short period of emergency work, say, only two hours, he gets another full day's guarantee of \$5, making \$12.50, in this example, for only nine hours' service.

Any other schedule providing for greater wages of their well-paid men without increase in their hours of service. It is because of these opportunities to take pay under mileage or arbitrary rules that their yearly earnings are so far beyond those of other workers charged with no less responsible duties.

Would Cost \$50,000,000 Yearly.

The proposal from the President now before the railroads is:

1. To adopt the eight-hour day, "as a basis for wages, the actual work to be done cannot be estimated within eight hours," to quote the President's words.

2. To increase the hourly rate of pay 25 per cent.

3. The result of the acceptance of this proposal would be:

1. No change in the length of the train workday.

2. An increase in wages of more than \$50,000,000 a year to about four-fifths of the train employees, or less than one-fifth of all railroad employees.

3. In other words, an unfair wage preference would be granted, without increase in the hours of service of the railroad service.

The weight of public opinion must be considered. It is the calm judgment of the country that we should sacrifice principle to the threat of a national strike, under a threat to tie up the commerce of the country.

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Made Personal Appeal.

They believe this in spite of the fact that when Mr. Wilson addressed the Presidents this afternoon he made not the slightest change in his terms of settlement he outlined to the managers the first of last week. But the President did make his appeal more personal, making it a matter of the national spirit, rather than a matter of the national spirit, rather than a matter of the national spirit.

Railroads and Defense.

He also said that the accommodation and adjustment of those interests was another necessary part of national defense. He said that the great national resources could not be made available or mobilized in an emergency as a necessary part of national defense unless the railroads are made serviceable in all respects for backing up any plan of national preparedness. The President also referred to the plight of millions in Europe, fed from America, if the strike came.

Presidents Are Determined.

They argue that the success of the President's plan would mean that not only the 1,600,000 railroad workers outside of the four brotherhoods, but every worker in American industry who labors under the eight-hour day, would be made a part of the movement for a reduction of hours, having been set by the President's plan.

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W. F. Morgan to President.

William Fellows Morgan, President of the Merchants' Association of New York, today sent the following telegram to President Wilson:

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WHITE ATTIRE IS VOGUE OF RAIL CONFEREES

Washington's Sweltering Heat Makes Change from Heavy Garb Necessary.

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The brotherhood Chairman have patronized the shops along Pennsylvania Avenue, which sell lightweight suits from \$4.98 up and canvas shoes from \$1.98 up. The railroad executives are wearing new silk suits and white buckskin shoes. Elissa Lee, Chairman of the National Conference Committee of Railways, is considered the nattiest dresser of the lot. Next to Mr. Lee, President Hale Holden of the Burlington is regarded as "the best-dressed railroad man."

DENY THE RAILROADS ARE OWNED BY A FEW

Railway Officials Say Small Investors Hold Most of the Stocks.

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Unions "Stand Pat."

In the meanwhile the brotherhoods are standing absolutely pat. The leaders refuse to discuss anything except to say that they have accepted the President's terms, and that all they are called upon to do. But it was discovered that many of the Chairmen, who are men of some political influence at home, had conferred with their Congressmen. They were seen about the Capitol, and the union leaders were seen about the Capitol.

Willing to Strike.

They say they will wait as long as the President wishes them to, but that they are very indifferent as to whether the President succeeds or fails. They are confident that if the strike comes, they can beat the railroads and obtain not only what the President demands for them, but the additional concessions they demanded, but gave with their acceptance of the President's proposal.

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AUSTRALIAN CYCLISTS LEAD.
Goulliet and Grenda Ride 54 1-3
Miles in Two Hours at Newark.

NEWARK, N. J., Aug. 21.—Seventeen teams started in a modified six-day race at the Newark velodrome last night, the contestants riding two hours a night. Among the starters were Champion Frank Kramer and the Australians Alfred Grenda, Alfred Gouillet, Jackie Clak, Reggie McManara, and Bob Spears.

Intermediate money of \$3 for the leader at each five-mile mark revved up the

race, and the sprints were ably contested. Lap prizes also made the going fast. In the first hour the riders covered 27 miles 680 yards. At the end of the two hours the leaders were: Goulet and Grenda, first; Clark and Kramer, second; Hanley and Madden, third; Cameron and Kaiser, fourth; Magin and Hill, fifth. The distance covered was 54-1-3 miles. The fifty-mile mark was passed in 1 hour 51 minutes 22-2-5 seconds.

ARCHERS AFTER TITLE.

Large Entry for Tournament Beginning Today at Jersey City.

For the first time in many years the annual tournament of the National Archery Association of the United States will be held this season around New

West Side Park, Jersey City, today, tomorrow, Thursday and Friday. A large entry has been received and practically all the title holders, together with many champions of the past are among the nominees. There is sure to be an interesting fight in the team competitions between archers from Nar-

The shooting today will be in the American round for men and Columbia round for women, tomorrow and Thursday the New York round for men and National and Columbia rounds for women will be decided. On Friday, the program calls for the team round.

the high shoot, the wand shoot, and several novelty archery competitions. On Thursday, the annual business meeting of the association will be held at Fairmount Hotel, Jersey City.



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FEW TENNIS STARS IN PLAY TODAY AT SOUTHAMPTON

MANY DEFAULTS IN SOUTHAMPTON PLAY

Few of the Tennis Stars Actually Compete in First Two Rounds at Meadow Club.

WILLIAMS WINS EASILY

Beats Watters, but Injured Ankle Retards Ex-Champion McLaughlin in Singles Today.

Special to The New York Times.

SOUTHAMPTON, N. Y., Aug. 21.—The last of the tennis skill before the national championships at Forest Hills began here today when the annual invitation tournament opened at the Meadow Club with an entry of eighty-eight players, among whom were some of the strongest in the country. Included in the entries are such men as William M. Johnston, present singles champion, Richard Norris Williams, ex-champion of two years ago; Ichihya Kumagae, who conquered Johnston at Newport, and Maurice E. McLoughlin, who will make his first Eastern appearance of the season at this event.

Interest centres about the appearance of McLoughlin, who, despite his wonderful record, stands at a disadvantage in relation to the singles championship. The Coast star did not appear for play today, but positive assurance was received that he would come to Southampton late tonight or early in the morning and that he would compete in the singles.

Players as well as spectators are waiting to see the former champion in action, for only a rest of the conflicting rumors this year regarding his ability. The Californian drew a first-round bye, and according to the schedule will play Reginald Cook in the second round.

In the upper half of the draw, with McLoughlin, are included Williams, Watson M. Washburn, Willie E. Davis, and Kumagae, Theodore, who defeated Kumagae at Longwood. The prominent men in the lower half are Johnston, George M. Church, William J. Clothier, national champion of several years ago, and Mathew E. Roland, Robert, and E. F. Whitney.

Robert Lindley Murray, the Palo Alto star who has been injured, season conquering Kumagae, is in the lower half of the draw, but he defaulted in his first round match.

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GOLETS WINS GOLF TROPHY.

Defeats Good Field on Newport G. C. Links for President's Cup.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 21.—Robert Walton Golets won the President's cup, offered by Royal Pines Golf Club, at the Newport Golf Club today. He had a net score of 73, gross 78, in an eighteen-hole medal play match against a field of seventeen other players. The match was played on the links of the Kent Country Club here.

The lowest score of the day was turned in by Miss Laura Kaiser of Chicago, who went out in 40 and came back for a total of 80, bettering the women's par at Kent by four strokes. Mrs. W. F. Anderson of Chicago, who was second, with 84, and Miss Marjorie Edwards of Indianapolis, Chicago, third, with 85. Others who qualified today and their scores follow:

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WOMEN AT ALLIERS OF RACING YACHTS

Mrs. E. V. Willis Sails Altair to Victory in Atlantic Yacht Club Regatta.

Members of the Atlantic Yacht Club were exceptionally fortunate in having perfect weather conditions for the opening of their week yesterday. There was just enough of a southerly breeze to tempt the ladies to try their hands at sailing the small yachts, the only trouble being a shortage in the number of twenty-three yachts were mustered for the opening regatta, one of the conditions of which was "ladies only permitted at the tiller from the time of preparatory signal to conclusion of race." So those of the fair sex who came to the Gravesend Bay club house prepared to sail in the races, but doomed to disappointment for lack of a yacht, sat about on the roomy veranda and made more or less kind comment and criticism on the sailing ability of those fortunate enough to find a yacht.

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QUAKER BOYS LEAD NEW YORK RUNNERS

Philadelphia Clubs Take First and Second Point Honors in Catholic Union Title Meet.

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NEWPORT YOUNGSTERS WIN.

Defeat the Hempstead Quartet at Polo by 3 to 5 Goals.

Special to The New York Times.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 21.—The Newport youngsters had little difficulty in defeating the Hempstead team at polo here today by 3 to 5 goals. The game was marked by the extraordinarily good playing of the youngsters. Cups were offered by J. A. Burden, Jr., and the contest was the first of the championship of Newport.

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INTERCIRCUIT POLO PLANS.

Teams from East, South, and Southwest Entered for Matches.

At least three circuits will be represented in the inter-circuit polo matches, which are destined to fill as far as possible the gap in competition caused by the forced abandonment of the international contests. H. L. Herbert, Chairman of the Polo Association, said recently that teams had already been entered from the Eastern, Southern, and Southwestern circuits and that there were prospects that both the New England and the Pacific Coast districts would arrange for teams.

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PLAN WELCOME FOR ROONEY

Clubmates Will Honor Sculling Champion at Long Island Regatta.

Thomas J. Rooney, amateur sculling champion, will receive his homecoming welcome, after his victory over Kelly at Duluth, when he competes at the Long Island Regatta next Saturday. Rooney returned from the West last Friday in time to give an exhibition at the Bayonne Regatta on Saturday. The reception he got then was cordial, but it is believed that it will be in the shade by the demonstration of his clubmates when he appears in competition on his home course.

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COTTON PRICES HIT NEW HIGH LEVELS

Closing Range Makes a Record for This Season Not Attained in Generation.

NET GAIN 33 TO 46 POINTS

Figures on October Option Are \$25.30 a Bale Above Prices of a Year Ago.

Cotton yesterday displayed a great deal of strength with prices working up to new high levels and closing practically at the top. In fact, the closing range represented the highest level for this season of the year in more than a generation. The net gain for the day was a matter of 33 to 46 points. October was ominously strong and closed at a discount of only four points under December, compared with a discount of 13 points on Saturday.

As pointed out in this column last week, there is evidently an effort to attract cotton to New York through the medium of booking the October price. The certificated stock in New York is now less than 25,000 bales, while the licensed New York warehouse stock is only 60,000 bales. The amount of cotton that can be delivered on contract, therefore, is exceedingly small. Bulls are predicting a corner in the October option.

The market opened firm at an advance of 11 to 13 points, influenced by a strong report from Liverpool. Private advices from the English market stated that the tone there was very steady on Continental buying, and that by continued dry weather in Texas and a scarcity of offerings.

The weather over Sunday was considered unfavorable, chiefly from the point of view of continued drought in the Southwest. It was reported that their lack of comparative heavy rain showed temperatures of 100 to 105 degrees. Texas advices were generally to the effect that the crop was rating on account of the dry hot weather.

The bulls made the most of their advantage, and with the market so much stronger at the opening, they found their task comparatively easy. Reactions were trifling and heavy buying orders sent in just before the close struck gave the market a very strong tone at the close.

The high price of cotton is beginning to be reflected in the Texas movement. Yesterday's receipts at Houston were 9,000 bales, against 4,500 last week, and last year. Present prices, however, the October option as a basis, are now 500 points, or \$5.00 per bale above the level prevailing very early.

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WILKES-BARRE, Penn.—Wilkes-Barre Dry Goods Co., A. Lattimer, ready-to-wear; 25 W. 2d St.
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WACO, Texas—Siegler's Supply Co., Mr. Siegel, cloaks, suits; 15 W. 2d St.
WASHINGTON, D. C.—Woodward & Lothrop, S. J. Watts, house turn goods, china; 25 W. 2d St.
YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio—Youngstown Dry Goods Co., J. W. Kemper, ready-to-wear; 72 W. 2d St.
YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio—George L. Fordyce, Miss Prosser, books; 130 Broadway.
YORK, Pa.—J. McLean & Sons; J. R. Walker, ready-to-wear; 432 4th St.
YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio—R. Strouss-Hirschberg Co., H. Goldstein, bargain basement; 1 W. 2d St.
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NO REAL PATENT LEATHER.
Patent Kid Will Take Its Place—Some of the New Shoes.

Real patent leather is a material which will be practically minus in the shoe world this season. Ask a shoe man if the price of patent leather has gone up and he will tell you that you cannot raise the price on something you do not possess. Real patent leather is made of calfskin and it comes from Germany. The shoe that approaches it in made of calfskin, and the patent leather which will appear on the shoes of the season will be patent kid.

It will be possible to find a pair of women's slippers of the real patent leather and they will cost \$12. There will be no more of the leather to discuss. Dress shoes will be made of the patent kid, with mat uppers. These have the Louis-Cuban heel, high but not as small or with as decided a curve as the pure Louis-Cuban heel. One of these slippers in effect, High shoes are a little higher than they have been, 8 1/2 inches. The fine morning or walking shoe of the buckskin in shades of tan and gray, with the gray patent kid on the toe, will run \$6.50 to \$8.00, or lace, the former for dress and the latter for walking.

The average evening slipper is in plain satin to match the gown or in white or delicate tones to match a note of color in the costume. Black always is popular, and there will be clippers of gold and silver cloth. There will also be a few broadcases, usually made of silk. Any amount of money can go into a dress slipper by means of the trimmings. One of these slippers in effect, is solid gold, hand wrought, and costs \$45. That means \$55

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COULDS SECURITIES
Trading in the Curb Market in Fair Volume, with Prices Irregularly Changed.

Fine Gray Cottons Very Active.
Yesterday was a big day in the fine gray cotton market. The market was very active and prices were generally higher than in the previous week.

Italian Silk in Lingerie.
New Italian silk underwear for women is coming in largely from the East. Some of these are of the distinctly Italian lace and others are beautiful and attractive, but less easily classified. The garments are in single pieces or in combinations. Italian silk is being constantly more worn and occupies as distinct a place in the wardrobe of many women as the French lingerie.

Burlap Prices Softening.
Under the influence of a slightly easier tone to Calcutta and India, the prices of heavy 40-inch burlaps have slipped off a little in the last few days. Forty-inch, ten-ounce cloths can now be had for spot shipment at 8 cents, while 104-ounce stock in now 7.5 cents for prompt delivery.

Lightweight 40s continue steady at 6.5 cents for 74s and 6.7 cents for 84s. Receptacles for woolen goods are active, while at Dundee, where the mills are starting again this week, it is thought there will be a great deal of doing for several days yet. September trade is now held at 232 a ton at London.

Sheeting Business Good.
A nice business was done in sheetings in this market yesterday. Sales of 49 square, four-yard goods were told of at 50 cents for deliveries running into next year. Forty-inch 42s also took well, especially with the bag trade, at 46 cents for similar shipments. Several other sizes of sheetings were taken, but in smaller quantities. Additional business in gray cloths for the day was done, but not in large quantities, which the specialty converters were the principal buyers. Converters to the north were not so active in operating as liberally as they might. The goods spoken of bought at prices, and will be delivered early next year.

Clipped Ostrich Feather Fans.
Clipped ostrich feathers are being seen in many ways in the new articles for women's wear and use this season. One of these is in the open and shut fans. These are made of the feathers cut on either side of the stem so that there is no curl to them. They are seen in some of the brilliant colors which will be used in new designs. There are fans of color to them. There are fans with the ostrich in vivid green or in flame, and some with the ostrich in long and short feathers are still seen, but those with the clipped effects have a smarter appearance.

Empire Effects are Prominent.
Empire effects are strongly in evidence in this Fall's line of women's undergarments, especially combinations and nightgowns. The trend of fashion in this direction. Another feature is the amount of trimming that is being used. The trend of fashion in this direction. Another feature is the amount of trimming that is being used.

Meat Products Must Have Meat.
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Wall Paper Business Booming.
The annual exhibition of new lines of wall paper was held at its second week at the Hotel Imperial, Brooklyn, and there, as at the first week, the business was very active. The local manufacturers were shown, the salesmen were kept busy attending to the inquiries of the buyers and the local buyers who were in the market. It would not be much of an exaggeration to say that there has been a boom in wall paper business.

Printcloths Active Enough.
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COMMODITIES MARKETS.

WHEAT.
New high records for the season were established in the wheat market and again there was heavy profit taking indulged in and prices at one time experienced a setback of about 3 cents a bushel from the top, they rallied sharply and closed with a gain of 1/2 cent. The market was very active and prices were generally higher than in the previous week.

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Transactions in Stocks and Bonds—Quotations for Railway, Light and Power Issues.

The following range of prices and closing quotations were reported to The New York Times yesterday by dealers in public utility securities. The trading in these securities is done privately over the counter, and this record gives only those trades which are reported by the dealers making them:

STOCKS	High	Low	Close	Askd.
500 Cities Service.....	37 1/2	36 3/4	37 1/2	37 1/2
200 Cities Service.....	37 1/2	36 3/4	37 1/2	37 1/2
400 Commonwealth P. & L.....	37 1/2	36 3/4	37 1/2	37 1/2
100 Commonwealth P. & L.....	37 1/2	36 3/4	37 1/2	37 1/2
100 Commonwealth P. & L.....	37 1/2	36 3/4	37 1/2	37 1/2
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100 Commonwealth P. & L.....	37 1/2	36 3/4	37 1/2	37 1/2
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Adirondack Electric Power.....	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
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American Cities.....	130	129 1/2	130	130
American Cities.....	130	129 1/2	130	130
American Gas & Electric.....	130	129 1/2	130	130
American Gas & Electric.....	130	129 1/2	130	130
American Light & Traction.....	130	129 1/2	130	130
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CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE.

United States Steel common sold on the Consolidated Stock Exchange at 95 1/2, the highest it touched in Wall Street, and a new record figure for the stock. Its advance aroused widespread interest throughout the day and extended a favorable influence upon the entire market. The strength displayed by the market as a whole was in the face of advice indicating a continued threatening railroad strike situation as well as in the face of an advance in the grain markets based upon crop damage reports.

Stocks	Open	High	Low	Last
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SHORT TERM NOTES.

Government and Municipal Securities. The following range of prices and closing quotations were reported to The New York Times yesterday by dealers in short term securities:

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Rural Vote—Secretary McAdoo in Person Explains New Law.

See Democratic Effort to Capture

Special to The New York Times.

AUGUST, Me., Aug. 21.—Maine farmers are too busy harvesting hay to take any real interest in Federal farm loans. As a result the series of hearings of the new Farm Loan plan which the Wilson Administration has put on the Federal statute books opened rather inauspiciously here today, with about twenty persons in attendance, of whom only three were real farmers.

The new Farm Loan act is to be administered by a board, of which William G. McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury, is Chairman. The board is to visit every State in the country and hold hearings for the purpose of getting views of farmers regarding the new plan into operation.

In the opening session Secretary McAdoo outlined the plan, as did George W. Norris of Pennsylvania, one of the five commissioners. Then Mr. McAdoo said anybody who had any information to submit could have the floor.

Called on by William J. Thompson, Master of the State Grange.

"I think this plan is better adapted to meet conditions in the Middle West and in the South than in New England," said Mr. Thompson. "The farmers of Maine are not burdened with extortionate interest. There is a pretty uniform charge of 6 per cent. and we need shorter term credits, and I think we would be greatly benefited if we could have some effective title system like the Torrens system. That would make borrowings easier."

Dr. G. M. Twitchell, a farmer, was asked by Secretary McAdoo whether he thought the Maine farmer would take kindly to the plan. For reply Dr. Twitchell read a newspaper editorial pronouncing the plan unwelcome.

"I should not be surprised if that were the opinion in this State," he added.

"I have often found," said Secretary McAdoo testily, "that comment of that sort is based on unfamiliarity with the topic under discussion."

Well, said Dr. Twitchell, "I am not in sympathy with paternalism in government. I think it would be very unfortunate to tempt people to plunge into debt on the rate of 6 per cent."

I. E. Vernon, State Commissioner of Banking, contradicted the testimony regarding the uniform rate of 6 per cent. and said the rate fluctuated between 6 and 9 per cent.

Other witnesses expressed themselves as dubious regarding the plan, while some professed a mild interest. The only one to become enthusiastic over it was the last witness of the day, the owner of three farms, who said he always had been compelled to pay a commission in addition to interest when seeking small, short-term loans.

Republicans here made caustic comments on the launching of the farm-loan hearings in the midst of a Presidential campaign, and denounced the act as a plan to capture the farmer vote for the Democratic ticket.

ELIGIBLE FOR COLLEGE ENTRANCE DIPLOMAS.

State Announces the List, With Percentages, for Holders of Four-Year Scholarships at \$100 a Year.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, Aug. 21.—A larger number than usual of high-school pupils of this State are eligible for college entrance diplomas in awards of university scholarships under the State law, which entitles the holder to \$100 a year for four years while in attendance at a college with this State.

Each county is entitled to five times as many scholarships as it has assembly districts. New York and the Bronx are considered to have the purpose of appointments are made from the top of the list in the order of average standing.

The eligibles in New York City and neighboring counties are as follows:

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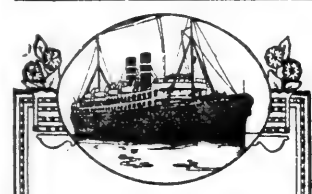
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LIKE COMPACT WITH HAITI

Convention to Ward Against a Complication Through Foreign Creditors' Claims.

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WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—President Wilson is withholding recognition of the newly elected President of the Dominican Republic until an understanding can be reached for virtually the same sort of fiscal protectorate over that country as has been arranged for with respect to Haiti. Efforts are now being made by the State Department, through William Worthington Russell, the American Minister to Santo Domingo, to negotiate such an arrangement.

The convention to which the President of the United States appoints a receiver general of Dominican Customs, who, with such assistant receivers and their employees as the President may appoint, collect all the customs taxes of the republic. The American receiver has been in force more than a decade. It has been remarkably successful in its collection of the customs. These collections under the American régime have been far in excess of what they were before the convention was negotiated in 1903 and modified in 1907.

While the customs receipts have been far in excess of the internal revenue receipts have been thin. The internal revenue receipts are collected by the official of the Dominican government. Their small total is attributed by those familiar with the situation to maladministration by native officials, and the United States wishes, through its receivership, to collect the internal as well as the customs dues.

Minister Russell is likewise trying to arrange for a provision in the amendment of the constitution to vest in the United States Government a certain measure of control over the expenditures made by the Dominican Republic during the terms of the proposed new constitution. The American Government desires that the collections from internal revenue, as well as that part of the customs which is turned over to Santo Domingo, should be sufficient to develop the island republic self-supporting and provide for its adequate development. Behind this purpose is the determination, if possible, to prevent the need of Dominican seeking loans from foreign bankers and thus plunging the debt that would lead to international complications through an attempt to collect it by force in the future.

The new treaty with Haiti calls for American control over the collection of revenues, internal as well as customs, the regulation of foreign investments, and a complete reorganization of the military forces through the creation of a native constabulary officered by American navy and marine officers. A news dispatch from Santo Domingo last night stated that Clarence H. Baxter, the American General Receiver of Customs in the Dominican Republic, had advised the suspension of payments to Dominican officials under instructions from Washington, until an understanding shall be reached regarding certain articles of the American-Dominican Convention of 1907 or the recognition of the present Dominican Government by the United States. This is a veiled allusion to the plans of the United States under which it has no intention of recognizing the Government of Federico H. Cervantes, the new Dominican President, or any other Government in that country, pending its acquiescence in the plan for the establishment in Santo Domingo of a financial protectorate, substantially similar to that in Haiti.

The convention of 1907 was concluded after the Dominican Government had effected a conditional settlement, under which all its foreign creditors agreed to accept about \$12,400,000 for debts and claims amounting to \$14,000,000. The face value, the holders of internal debts or claims of about \$2,028,238 face value agreed to accept about \$445,827, and the remaining holders of internal debts or claims agreed to receive about \$2,000,000.

Part of the plan of settlement was the sale of bonds to the amount of \$20,000,000 bearing 5 per cent. interest in fifty years, and redeemable after 10 years at 102½. This plan was contingent on the sale of the United States in the collection of the customs revenues and their application to the payment and redemption of the bonds. Under this arrangement the United States had no authority to collect the internal revenue.

TO CUT COMMISSIONERS' PAY

Senators Want to Reduce Salaries of Members of All Federal Boards.
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WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—Having provided for cutting to \$7,500 the salaries of members of the proposed Shipping Board, certain Senators are preparing to make a stand for reducing the salaries of all members of permanent Federal commissions. The salaries of members of the Tariff Commission, to be created by the pending General Revenue bill will be the next to suffer, and it is expected that when Congress reassembles in December the Interstate Commerce Commission, the Federal Trade Commission, and perhaps the members of the Federal Reserve Board and the Farm Licensure Board will be made the subjects of legislation to compel them to surrender a considerable portion of the income they derive from the Government.

The House has provided that the Shipping Board members should each receive \$10,000 a year. The Senate Committee retained that figure in reporting the bill to the Senate. The Democratic Senatorial caucus sustained the committee's salary. The Senate is now passing the shipping bill last week Senator Smith of Georgia moved that the salary of the members of the Tariff Commission be reduced to \$7,500. Not a vote was raised against the proposal.

Those interested in scientific revision of the tariff are greatly disappointed in the failure of the Senate to restore the salary of a Tariff Commissioner to \$10,000. It is contended that men of the superior ability required for this duty should receive at least \$10,000 a year. Under the terms of that convention the President of the United States appoints a receiver general of Dominican Customs, who, with such assistant receivers and their employees as the President may appoint, collect all the customs taxes of the republic. The American receiver has been in force more than a decade. It has been remarkably successful in its collection of the customs. These collections under the American régime have been far in excess of what they were before the convention was negotiated in 1903 and modified in 1907.

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The new treaty with Haiti calls for American control over the collection of revenues, internal as well as customs, the regulation of foreign investments, and a complete reorganization of the military forces through the creation of a native constabulary officered by American navy and marine officers. A news dispatch from Santo Domingo last night stated that Clarence H. Baxter, the American General Receiver of Customs in the Dominican Republic, had advised the suspension of payments to Dominican officials under instructions from Washington, until an understanding shall be reached regarding certain articles of the American-Dominican Convention of 1907 or the recognition of the present Dominican Government by the United States. This is a veiled allusion to the plans of the United States under which it has no intention of recognizing the Government of Federico H. Cervantes, the new Dominican President, or any other Government in that country, pending its acquiescence in the plan for the establishment in Santo Domingo of a financial protectorate, substantially similar to that in Haiti.

The convention of 1907 was concluded after the Dominican Government had effected a conditional settlement, under which all its foreign creditors agreed to accept about \$12,400,000 for debts and claims amounting to \$14,000,000. The face value, the holders of internal debts or claims of about \$2,028,238 face value agreed to accept about \$445,827, and the remaining holders of internal debts or claims agreed to receive about \$2,000,000.

Part of the plan of settlement was the sale of bonds to the amount of \$20,000,000 bearing 5 per cent. interest in fifty years, and redeemable after 10 years at 102½. This plan was contingent on the sale of the United States in the collection of the customs revenues and their application to the payment and redemption of the bonds. Under this arrangement the United States had no authority to collect the internal revenue.

DANIELS GIVES OUT NAVY MERIT LIST

Calveston Leads the Light Cruisers in Gunner Work for the Year.

HONORS FOR THE STEWART

First Among the Destroyers in Target Work—Detailed Records of Many Vessels.

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—Secretary Daniels today made public the "final merit," or relative standing of every vessel in the United States Navy which participated in gunnery and battle practice in the past year in the destroyer, submarine, cruiser, and gunboat classes. The standing is given by percentages, and does not show the number of hits and misses made, the firing distances, or the conditions under which the practice firing was conducted. This information has been withheld as confidential.

In announcing the relative standing of the various vessels, Secretary Daniels made this explanation: "The form of gunnery exercises carried out varies from year to year, and being necessary to test out, first, experience and knowledge of the personnel; second, the efficiency of the organization; third, to develop weaknesses in methods of preparation, and fourth, to test out one or more features of design of material. As the conditions change from year to year, necessarily the standard must change to fit these conditions, and in the analysis of the work of the fleet standards for different parts of the work and for the different forms of gunnery exercises are established from the direct data obtained from the actual performance of the vessels themselves.

In order to determine the relative standing against ships each year, the individual performance is compared with the standard for that performance, and the merit is obtained by this comparison, 100 being considered perfection. The final merit and relative standings, as made public by Secretary Daniels this afternoon, are as follows:

Elementary and Battle Practice Combined.
CRUISER CLASS—GUNNER YEAR 1915-16.
Calveston, 87.7; New Orleans, 79.2; Cleveland, 80.2; Yorktown, 79.2; Des Moines, 78.2; Baltimore, 71.9; Raleigh, 70.2; San Francisco, 70.2.
GUNBOAT CLASS.
Dolphin, 77.8; Mayflower, 75.5; Dubuque, 69.9; Samar, 67.8; Buffalo, 65.9; Annapolis, 65.9; Dixie, 65.9; Helena, 65.9; Villalobos, 65.9; Wilmington, 65.9; Jupiter, 65.9; El Cano, 65.9.
Elementary Practice, 1915-16.
CRUISER CLASS.
Calveston, 87.7; Cleveland, 80.2; New Orleans, 79.2; Yorktown, 79.2; Des Moines, 78.2; Baltimore, 71.9; Raleigh, 70.2; San Francisco, 70.2.
GUNBOAT CLASS.
Mayflower, 75.5; Dolphin, 77.8; Dubuque, 69.9; Samar, 67.8; Buffalo, 65.9; Annapolis, 65.9; Dixie, 65.9; Helena, 65.9; Villalobos, 65.9; Wilmington, 65.9; Jupiter, 65.9; El Cano, 65.9.

Battle Practice, 1915-16.
CRUISER CLASS.
New Orleans, 100.0; Cleveland, 64.3; Yorktown, 60.7; Baltimore, 58.9; San Francisco, 58.9; Raleigh, 58.9; Des Moines, 58.9.
GUNBOAT CLASS.
Dolphin, 81.8; Dubuque, 82.3; Annapolis, 80.9; Buffalo, 80.9; Dixie, 80.9; Mayflower, 80.9; Samar, 80.9; Helena, 80.9; Villalobos, 80.9; Wilmington, 80.9; Jupiter, 80.9; El Cano, 80.9.

Remnant Sale Last Two Weeks

This great clothes purchasing opportunity is drawing to an end. Place your order now. Suit ends that were \$25 to \$50 marked to \$19, made to measure only. Coat and trousers \$17.50.

Arnheim
TWO STORES
BROADWAY & NINTH STREET AND
30 E. 40 ST., BET. FIFTH & MADISON AVES.
Fall and Winter Styles Now on Display \$20 to \$50

7.3; Wilmington, 65.9; El Cano, 65.9; Quirós and Villalobos, 65.9.
Work of the Destroyers.
Standings of the destroyers for the gunnery year 1915-1916, elementary and battle practice combined.
Stewart, 92.7; Patterson, 82.2; Perry, 87.9; Benning, 86.9; Conyngham, 86.4; Cassin, 85.6; Warrington, 78.2; McDougal, 73.9; Drayton, 73.3; Nicholson, 70.1; Peble, 68.9; Cummings, 68.4; Parker, 67.8; Balch, 58.9; Jarvis, 57.8; Brison, 55.9; Winslow, 53.9; Alden, 53.9; Whipple, 53.9; Jenkins, 47.3; Aylwin, 45.9; Wedgworth, 44.2.
Elementary Practice, GUNNS AND TORPEDOS, 1915-1916.
Stewart, 92.7; Patterson, 82.2; McDougal, 84.8; Peble, 60.8; Parker, 60.7; Erickson, 58.9; Paul Jones, 58.1; O'Brien, 56.9; Cassin, 55.8; Dale, 54.4; Perry, 50.6; Fanning, 49.9; Nicholson, 48.9; Cummings, 48.2; Whipple, 44.4; Preston, 43.9; Villalobos, 41.9; Drayton, 40.9; Jarvis, 38.4; Aylwin, 38.9; Warrington, 37.8; Balch, 34.8; Jenkins, 35.9; Baldrige, 19.5, and the Destroyer, 10.5.
Submarine Class for the Gunner Year.
K-3, 100; H-2, 70.7; K-4, 72.5; H-3, 49.5; K-5, 48.2; K-6, 39.9; D-1, 37.9; K-7, 37.2; D-3, 34.1; K-1, 32.8; K-2, 31.1; H-4, 27.2; C-3, 21.5; D-2, 19.9; H-1, 18.1; C-2, 18.1; A-3, 8.8; A-2, 8.4; B-3, 1.1; A-0, 0.8.

NATIONAL CITY CO. TO HANDLE BUSINESS FOR PARENT INSTITUTION

Not only will the National City Company, the subsidiary of the National City Bank which serves as a holding company for investments, take over the bond and banking firm of N. W. Halsey & Co., but it will at the same time absorb the large bond selling department of the bank, which has been conducted by the bank, if no hitch occurs in plans already practically consummated. Contracts for the purchase of the N. W. Halsey & Co. business, pending for some days, will be signed today.

The City Bank interests will take over at one of the assets and liabilities of the Halsey firm. Arrangements were made last week to transfer the bank loans, and the large amount of securities owned by the bond house will be marketed by the new concern. The firm of N. W. Halsey & Co. will be dropped and the quarters occupied at 40 Wall Street given up.

The Halsey Company is incorporated, and it is expected that after the settlement of all outstanding obligations there will remain a substantial equity for division among the stockholders. The partners, with the exception of two, and the employees, numbering more than 240, will take quarters in the City Bank Building. There are also about 100 employees in the bond department of the bank who will, in future, be employed by the National City Company, which will then have perhaps the largest bond distributing organization in the country.

The National City Company was formed originally for the specific purpose of holding stocks and other securities which the bank, under the National Bank act, could not buy. It was not active for some years, but its operations have been profitable. It has \$10,000,000 of capital, nearly all of which is owned by stockholders of the bank. The company recently sold the Allied Machinery Corporation, formed to market American products abroad, to the American International Corporation. It owns the International Banking Corporation, having bought a majority interest after the death of General Hubbard. The International Banking Corporation will shortly be of 60 Wall Street to quarters now being fitted up in the National City Bank.

The City Bank bond department has been especially well known for its dealings in United States Government issues, and for many years has bought and sold the 2 per cent. bonds used for circulation for account of other national banks. One effect of the transfer of this department to the City Company will be to remove limitations which have cramped it. Bond issues sold with a bonus of stock, or with a consideration involving the purchase of stock, have been unavailable for investment under the National Bank act, but can be handled in future by the City Company.

ADMITS GEM THEFT IN DIPLOMAT'S HOME

Youth Befriended by Guatemalan Minister's Daughter Made \$10,000 Haul.

SAYS A GIRL AIDED HIM

Both Held Without Bail After Son of a Guatemalan Minister's Daughter Prisoner—Another Arrest.

Charged with the theft of jewelry valued at \$10,000 from the home of Joaquín de Méndez, the Guatemalan Minister to the United States, Joseph Bonmart, of 535 Pacific Street, Brooklyn, was held without bail by Magistrate Geismar in the Flatbush Court yesterday, to await the action of the Grand Jury. Viola Lyons, of 642 Lafayette Street, New Haven, Conn., charged with being an accomplice of Bonmart, was held without bail also, while Enrico Piccirilli, of 225 West Twenty-fifth Street, charged with receiving part of the stolen property, was held in \$1,000 bail for examination today.

Señor Méndez lives, with his wife and daughter, at 36 Rutland Road, Brooklyn. Last month a young man appeared at the house. He said he was in want and asked for some sort of employment.

Señorita Luz de Méndez, the daughter of the Minister, pitied the man, and at her request he was brought after him, and was a sort of general utility man. The man appeared to be a good worker and was grateful. On Aug. 20, Bonmart and Señorita de Méndez went shopping. When they returned the man was missing, as were also a number of necklaces, a bracelet of diamonds and pearls and a number of diamond rings. Señor Méndez was in Washington at the time of the robbery. When he was notified he wrote to Governor Whitman telling him of the theft. The Governor in turn wrote to Police Commissioner Woods. Detectives Van Dusen, Owens and Wachter were assigned to the case. Señorita Méndez accompanied the detectives on several clues that seemed to be promising.

The detectives learned that the missing servant confided to some one in the neighborhood that he had a brother living on Midwood Street, in an Italian settlement known as "Pittown." They watched the place and on Sunday night saw Bonmart and Viola Lyons enter the house. When the police entered Bonmart jumped from a window to the street. He was caught after a short chase in which several shots were fired. Bonmart was identified by Señorita de Méndez and after being questioned by the police admitted the theft. He declared that the girl aided him in buying some of the jewelry and also implicated Piccirilli. About \$2,000 worth of the stolen property was recovered. Señorita de Méndez announced yesterday that she and her mother intended to give up their Flatbush home and take up their residence on Riverside Drive.

Missing Ice Co. Manager Returns.
ROCKVILLE CENTRE, L. I., Aug. 21.—Arthur Bates of St. Marks Place, manager of the local plant of the Knickerbocker Ice Company, returned home today. Last Thursday he disappeared, leaving some of the jewelry and also implicated Piccirilli. About \$2,000 worth of the stolen property was recovered. Señorita de Méndez announced yesterday that she and her mother intended to give up their Flatbush home and take up their residence on Riverside Drive.

TELL OF BLACK TOM BLASTS.
Nineteen Witnesses Testify, but Defendants Are Silent.
Nineteen witnesses to the Black Tom explosion of July 30 were examined yesterday afternoon at the Hudson County Court House, in Jersey City before Judge Charles E. Sloan in an inquest into the death of Patrolman James Doherty of Jersey City, who died in the Jersey City Hospital from injuries he suffered while on duty on Black Tom Island.

The afternoon testimony indicated that the disaster had its beginning in a fire on a freight car loaded with dynamite and other explosives, which was one of 300 or more similarly loaded cars standing on a siding of the Lehigh Valley tracks. Witnesses testified that all the cars bore on their sides placards with the word "Explosives" displayed. Three of the four men who were arrested on the days following the explosion were present at the inquest, but on the advice of their counsel, refused to testify on the ground that such testimony might be used against them. Theodore B. Johnson, President of the Johnson Lighterage Towing Company, whose barges were berthed at the Black Tom pier on the night of the explosion, was not present. Albert B. Dickman, Superintendent of the Lehigh Valley yards at Black Tom, Edward McKensie, and Alexander Davidson, Supervisors of the National Storage Company, were defendants who were present but who refused to testify.

Leutenant Ebereser, Chief of the Ocean Avenue Police Station, when he recounted the discovery of Doherty under debris near the warehouse, Dr. Carl Ramus of the Contagious Hospital at Ellis Island testified that he watched the explosion and the fire through opera glasses. He testified that between the explosion he saw no barges burning. James Gibson, a private detective, who was employed to watch barges and piers to make sure that they were not loaded with explosives, testified that there was no loading of boats that night after 6 P. M. The 200 cars there, loaded with explosives, was an average number, he said. The inquest will be continued this morning at 10 o'clock.

Addressed to

Charles M. Schwab

Commercial Giant

Dear Mr. Schwab:-

It may sound far-fetched to you, but it is a fact nevertheless, that your aggressive advertising of your armor-plate has forced the American people to regard you in a new light. They knew you were a big steel merchant, but they didn't realize before that you are a great big man. And they believe you absolutely. Your courageous statements have been too forceful and too sincere to be misunderstood.

I fully expect

Now Mr. Schwab

The American Tobacco Company is entitled to credit for this material progress, and I think when the people become familiar with the facts, they will regard the Lord Salisbury Cigarette as a big solution of a big problem. Our propositions are similar because I know that no one can establish a plant of his own and equal Lord Salisbury Cigarettes at our price.

I believe the

American Tobacco Company has done a big thing in creating this cigarette—just as any big concern does a big thing when it helps to reduce the cost of living while still maintaining a standard. That's always big, isn't it, Mr. Schwab?

Cordially yours,

W. K. Cochrane

Pres. W. K. Cochrane Adv. Agency

P.S. Don't wait. Buy a package today and get your own evidence. Will you?



For Instance, Iowa!

LET'S concentrate for a moment. Let's analyze:

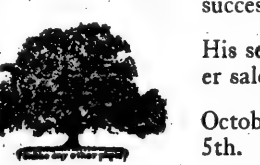
Out of Iowa's total population of 2,224,771, more than half—1,544,717—is in village communities and on prosperous farms.

Into Iowa go 69,921 copies of each issue of The Farm Journal, reaching one out of every four farm and village families in "the best all-round state in the Union."

Here is a showing that's sure to catch the eye of the thorough-going national advertiser.

Yet Iowa, mind you, is just one of the 29 richer states in which 89 per cent of The Farm Journal's quality circulation is concentrated!

Take Iowa, with her thousands of cash-crop farmers and substantial villagers, as an example of The Farm Journal's supremacy.



The Farm Journal

"Unlike Any Other Paper"

WASHINGTON SQUARE, PHILADELPHIA

Multiply by twenty-nine, throw in for good measure the bulk of the desirable farm and village homes in the remaining states—and you'll visualize The Farm Journal's remarkable situation.

Now is certainly the time to win the farmer. Do it safely and most economically working hand in hand with—the farm medium of greatest circulation.

The Farm Journal guarantees One Million quality circulation. It invites you, Mr. Manufacturer, to visit these million homes and win the whole family's confidence.

Consult your Advertising Agent. He profits only in ratio to your advertising success.

His service must bring you greater sales at the same selling cost.

October issue closes September 5th. Rate \$5 a line.

RAILWAY HEADS GO TO PRESIDENT WITH A NEW PLEA

Danger of a Strike Believed in
Washington to be Much
Less Critical.

RAILROADS WANT PROMISES
May Grant 8-Hour Day with As-
urances of Better Rates and
Partial Arbitration.

FEAR UNORGANIZED MEN
Foresee Demand for General Reduc-
tion of Time—Unions Reply
to Statement.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—A dele-
gation of railroad executives went to the
White House tonight and discussed with
President Wilson a modified acceptance
of his proposal for the settlement of the
railroad strike crisis.

The conference was sought by the rail-
road Presidents and was taken to mean
that a settlement was not far off. The
visit of the railway Presidents to the
White House on their own initiative to
discuss the situation was taken to mean
that they had altered their defiant atti-
tude of regarding Mr. Wilson's peace
plan as "inconceivable," as it was
characterized in a statement issued by
the railroads last night.

This statement was issued late tonight
by the railroad executives:
"Hale Holden, President of the Chi-
cago, Burlington & Quincy; R. S.
Lovett, Chairman of the Union Pacific,
and Daniel Willard, President of the
B. & O., went to the White House this
evening at 8:30 o'clock and had a con-
ference with the President lasting about
an hour, during which the general situ-
ation was discussed. The conference
was requested by the committee of rail-
way executives.

There was another meeting of the
railroad executives at 6 o'clock this
afternoon, and they will meet again at
11:30 o'clock Wednesday morning."

Wilson Refuses to Mediate.
It was learned that the President told
the railroad Presidents that he would
not act as mediator between the brother-
hoods and the railroads beyond the pro-
posal for settlement he has made and
which has been accepted by the brother-
hoods.

The railroad Presidents asked for two
or three more days in which to make
their final reply and the delay was
granted by Mr. Wilson.

It was generally believed in Washing-
ton tonight that a majority of the rail-
road Presidents were almost ready to
accept Mr. Wilson's proposal for the
eight-hour day in principle, if they
could be assured of three things:

1. That they, as well as the brother-
hoods, should have a say as to what
was meant by the eight-hour day, and
that if there was a difference of opin-
ion it should be arbitrated.

2. A reasonable guarantee that if they
can prove that the eight-hour day places
a new financial burden on the roads,
the roads may increase their freight
rates.

3. That they be protected by arbitra-
tion against the demands of other em-
ployers for the eight-hour day, asking
that the proposed Federal Commission
be made a permanent body.

Such a compact would enable the rail-
roads to say they had preserved arbitra-
tion.

Feel That There Will Be No Strike.
General opinion at the capital tonight
is that the strike crisis has now reached
the note-writing stage and that there
will be no strike.

It is certain that neither President
Wilson nor any of the railroad execu-
tives want negotiations broken off, and
while the railroads have not yet decided
how far they are willing to go, there is
every indication that they are to go to
considerable lengths and that Mr. Wil-
son will be successful in his effort to
avert the greatest industrial battle ever
threatened.

Evidence of their desire to effect a
settlement, provided it does not cost
them too much, and they can preserve
for capital the protection of arbitra-
tion against future strikes, is found in
the naming of a committee of eight to
take active charge of the negotiations.

After the conference tonight it was
said by several of the railway Presi-
dents that they expected to be in Wash-
ington for several days more. Daniel
Willard, however, was said to tell
tonight's conference meant:

"There is nothing final to report," he
said.

"Is the situation hopeful?" was
asked.

"You cannot get me to make a state-
ment on that," he replied.

Much significance was attached to the
fact that a long statement prepared by
railroad press agents for release to-
night was held up after the delegation
had gone to the White House. It can
be said authoritatively that this state-
ment contained a severe criticism of
the President's peace plan on the ground
that it meant a death blow to the prin-
ciple of arbitration. It was generally
believed that the statement was with-
held because the railroad executives had
decided to change their tactics and
try to pour a little oil upon the trou-
blesome waters.

Where is Money to Come From?
It is understood that the chief object
of the visit to the White House was to
ask the President to state specifically
how he expected the railroads to make
up the millions of dollars which the
managers say it will cost them to put
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E-BOAT TORPEDOES GERMAN BATTLESHIP

British Submarine Commander Be-
lieves He Sank 18,000-Ton
Craft of Nassau Type.

LONDON, Aug. 22.—A British official
announcement this afternoon says it is
believed that a German battleship of the
Nassau class has been sunk by the
British submarine E-23. The announce-
ment follows:
"The submarine E-23, Lieut. Com-
mander Robert R. Turner, which re-
turned today from the North Sea, re-
ports that on the morning of Saturday
last he made a successful torpedo at-
tack upon a German battleship of the
Nassau class. The commanding officer
reports that while the ship was being
escorted by five destroyers back to har-
bor in a damaged condition he attacked
again and struck her with a second
torpedo, and believes she was sunk."

The Nassau class of battleship com-
prised four vessels with a displacement
of 18,000 tons each, a length of 431
feet, beam 88 feet, and draft 26 feet.
Their armament consisted of twelve 11-
inch guns in pairs in turrets, twelve 5.9-
inch guns in battery, and sixteen 3.3-
inch guns, together with six torpedo
tubes.
The Nassau, built at Wilhelmshaven
and completed in 1910, was laid down
originally in July, 1908, but the plans
for her were changed with the building
of the British Dreadnought, and her
construction was begun a year later, in
1907. The other battleships of the Nas-
sau class are the Poser, Rheinland, and
Westfalen. The last-named battleship
was at first reported sunk in the Jut-
land sea, but it was later reported that
afterward was declared by Berlin to be
safe in a home port.

"WE CAN SEE THE END,"
SAYS LLOYD GEORGE

Allies Have Only to March To-
gether Steadily as in the
Past, He Declares.

LONDON, Aug. 22.—David Lloyd
George, Secretary for War, in the House
of Commons today contrasted what he
termed the extraordinary change in a
couple of months in the relative posi-
tions of the Entente Allies and the Cen-
tral Powers on all the fronts except
Mesopotamia, where climatic conditions
had kept the British forces quiescent.

Mr. Lloyd George said that criticism
of the British operations on the Somme
front, on the ground of their failure to
break through the German lines, were
unjustified. The Germans, having two
alternatives, said Mr. Lloyd George,
chose the alternative of bringing troops
and guns from Verdun to prevent the
British from breaking through.

"That suited our purpose," the War
Secretary continued, "it relieved the
pressure on Verdun and prevented the
enemy from pouring his forces into the
Russian theatre to support the Austrians
against General Brusilov's thrust."
The German accounts of our losses
on the Somme are ludicrously exagger-
ated, he said, and the British have
been relatively less as compared
with those of the Germans. The French
and ourselves have captured positions on
the Somme front, whence the course
of the campaign is visible, and I think
in the dim distance we can see the end.

France is equipped and Russia is
rapidly becoming equipped. Italy's
equipment has amazed her best friends.
Russia has missed her chance, and she
knows it.

It would be a mistake to underrate
the nature of our task, which requires
all of our resources. But surveying the
whole situation, and upon the advice of
those most competent to judge, I have
formed an opinion, I do not hesitate to
say, that what this country and her allies
and what together they have done in
the past to insure that victory will
rest on their banners.

LONDON MAY RETURN
TO ITS OLD LINKMEN

Can't Whistle for Cabs, So May
Restore an Early Georgian In-
stitution, Minus the Torches.

Special Cable to The New York Times.
LONDON, Aug. 22.—A revival of link-
men is predicted as an eventuality arising
out of the new order forbidding
whistling for cabs after 10 o'clock at
night in the London area.
The regulation, which arose out of
complaints that the rest of wounded sol-
diers in London hospitals was disturbed
by the noise of whistles, is expected to
last night. The weather was fine, and
the great inconvenience was suffered by
the hundreds of theatregoers who were
whistling for cabs.

Various devices for calling conveyances
are being suggested, but most of them are
admissible. For instance, electric flash
lights such as those used at the Metro-
politan Opera House in New York City,
cannot be used here under the light reg-
ulations as a precaution against Zeppelins.

If there were linkmen they, for the
same reason, would have to forego
torches, which they were wont to carry
about a hundred years ago, when the
linkmen carried torches to light their
way in the dark.

Men of the class which the linkmen
were once called upon to serve are now
mostly found in the army, and if the system
is revived linkmen or linkboys, as they
are alternatively called, will have to give
up their torches.

RUSSIA WILL RELEASE
120 POLITICAL EXILES

M. Khostoff, Ministry of the In-
terior, Heads Plea of English
Relief Committee.

PRESIDENT NAMES THREE CONFEREES IN MEXICO DISPUTE

Secretary Lane, Judge George
Gray, and Dr. John R. Mott
Are the Appointees.

MAY MEET AT ASBURY PARK
Arredondo to Confer with Lan-
sing on Sessions of the
Joint Commission.

FINDINGS MUST BE RATIFIED
Washington and Mexico City to
Take Final Action on Recom-
mendations of Board.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—Secretary
Lansing tonight announced the names
of the three American members
of the International Joint Commis-
sion by means of which the Ameri-
can and Mexican Governments hope
to reach an amicable settlement
of the differences growing out of
the presence of American soldiers
in Mexico and bandit raids along
the border. The American members of
the commission are:

Franklin K. Lane, Secretary of the
Interior.
George Gray of Wilmington, Del.,
former member of the Federal Judi-
ciary, and until recently Judge of the
Third Judicial Circuit.

Dr. John R. Mott of New York, who
has been General Secretary of the
World's Student Christian Federation
since 1905, and is General Secretary of
the International Committee of Young
Men's Christian Associations.

The Mexican members of the com-
mission, whose names were announced
several weeks ago, are:
Luis Cabrera, Minister of Finance
in the Carranza Cabinet, who was
formerly special agent of the Consti-
tutional faction of Mexico in Wash-
ington.

Alberto Paul, President of the Mexi-
can National Railways.
Ignacio Bonillas, Sub-Secretary in
the Mexican Department of Commu-
nications.

Commission to Meet Soon.
With the announcement of the ap-
pointment of the American members
of the commission, it is expected that
the Mexican members will start for this
country immediately. Both Govern-
ments are understood to be eager to
proceed with the work of the commis-
sion, as soon as possible, and Eliseo Ar-
redondo, Mexican Ambassador-designate,
has been instructed to arrange de-
tails of the time and place for the ses-
sions of the commission.

The understanding is that the ses-
sions will be held at some resort on
the Atlantic Coast, but details have not
been settled. Asbury Park has been
frequently mentioned in inner circles
here as the probable place for the com-
mission's sessions.

Powers of the Conference.
The Mexican Commissioners have been
instructed to give preferential con-
sideration to the question of the
withdrawal of the American forces
from the border. When it became known
to President Wilson that this had been
done inquiries were made to ascertain
whether the de facto Government would
assent to the proposal in one of Sec-
retary Lansing's recent notes for broad-
ening the scope of the commission so as
to embrace matters other than the ques-
tion of a withdrawal of the American
forces and an arrangement for joint pro-
tection of the border against future raids.

The de facto Government gave assen-
sion through Mr. Arredondo that it accepted
the suggestion of this Government for
such a broadening of the powers of the
commission.

The Mexican Commissioners are ex-
pected to insist from the beginning on
the withdrawal of the American forces
from the border. It is an indication that
this request will be granted, in view of the
fact that General Funston, in response
to a recent inquiry from Washington,
has indicated that the American forces
may be safely withdrawn. When the
joint commission meets its members
will be in a position to exercise their
powers freely with their respective Gov-
ernments and neither side is expected to
yield anything without express authori-
ty from its Government.

It is regarded as probable here that
withdrawal of the expedition would be
followed soon by the recall
of the National Guard from the border.
Some high officers of the army believe
that, with Pershing's men added to the
border patrol, and the additional men
provided under the new army bill, Gen-
eral Funston would have a sufficient
force of regulars adequately to protect
the border.

It has been suggested that out of the
discussion of economic conditions in
Mexico might come assurances that
would make it possible for American
financial and commercial interests to
offer aid in the rehabilitation of the
Mexican Republic.

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35 Zeppelins Destroyed Since War Began; Announcement Made in House of Commons

LONDON, Wednesday, Aug. 23.—Major
Baird, representative of the Aerial Board
in the House of Commons, replying
last night to criticism of the air de-
fences during the recent Zeppelin raids,
announced that since the war began the
Entente Allies had accounted for thirty-
five Zeppelins.

"There have been thirty-four raids on
England," said Major Baird. "In ten of
which no casualties were suffered, while
in the remainder the number of killed
was 334 civilians and 50 military men.
Nobody can say that these casualties,
influenced as they are, will have any
bearing on the conduct of the war,
provided the honorable members of the
House do not give utterance to such il-
luminous statements as have been made in
the House of Commons tonight."

"Members of the House of Commons
ought to be leaders of the people. They
should encourage the people, not create
panic. Lord French has a very com-
plete system of air defense, and it is
being improved daily, while the British
Flying Corps has a record superior to
any other nation."

FREEDOM IN MEXICO
ASKED BY CATHOLICS

They Deny Fomenting Strife
There and Refrain from
Criticising President.

The Federation's Peace Resolution
Merely Says Pope Should Have
Hearing in Council of Nations.

The bitterness against the Wilson ad-
ministration for its handling of the Mex-
ican situation, which had been apparent
in committee reports and private utter-
ances of "Catholic Week" leaders, was
not allowed to appear in the final action
on the Mexican question taken yester-
day by the National Federation of Cath-
olic Societies, representing a membership
of 3,000,000.

In taking this stand the Federation ad-
hered to its constitutional proscription
against any action of possible political
construction and sustained the oft-re-
peated declaration of its officers during
the last week, that the Catholics as-
sembled here would supply no material
support for a Republican campaign docu-
ment.

Thus in marked contrast to the vivid
language of committee reports, embodied
in National Secretary Anthony Matre's
annual report, the resolution merely
asked "for religious liberty for Roman
Catholics in Mexico." Whether the resolu-
tion as adopted was framed without a
struggle, or one would say, it was
adopted without a struggle, is not clear.

One who played a leading part in
drafting the resolution explained that,
though it started with a long pre-
amble asserting the innocence of the
Church, and of its lay and clerical
leaders, in the tumult south of the Rio
Grande, this did not mean that Catholics
were not responsible for the situation.

"We merely started by answering the
accusations against us by Carranza's
diplomats, part of the press of this
country, and many American Protestants,"
he said.

The Mexican Revolution.
The resolution, which Federation lead-
ers said represented the exact attitude
of 20,000,000 American lay and ecclesi-
astical Catholics, reads:

"Ever anxious to place before our fellow-
citizens the truth regarding the Catholic
Church and its aims and purposes of its
members, this Federation has endeavored
to record and invite thoughtful attention
to the following statements regarding the
attitude of American Catholics toward the
persecuted co-religionists and toward those
for charitable purposes, to wit: The role
of the Catholic Church in Mexico:

"First—At no time since the beginning of
the sad outrages against religion in Mexico
has the Church or any official body of the
Church or any of her leaders lent aid,
financial or otherwise, to the stirring up
of strife, either here or elsewhere, against
any person or group claiming to be a Gov-
ernment or even a faction in Mexico.

Second—"The only money raised by Ameri-
can Catholics to aid Mexicans in their
present and past miseries was expended
for charitable purposes, to wit: The relief
of the refugees, the establishment of a
seminary for Mexican ecclesiastical stu-
dents in Castrovilla, Texas, transportation
and appeals for further charity.

"Third—"The only money raised by Ameri-
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for charitable purposes, to wit: The relief
of the refugees, the establishment of a
seminary for Mexican ecclesiastical stu-
dents in Castrovilla, Texas, transportation
and appeals for further charity.

Fourth—"What the Catholics of the United
States ask in connection with Mexico is
that, whatever form of Government be
established in Mexico, with the aid and
friendship of our own country, it shall
grant and guarantee to all the people
the full and free exercise of their rights
and freedom of worship as they exist in
our United States and which are denied
in Mexico by unjust laws.

The Peace Resolution.
Second In interest only to the Mexican
question was the resolution regarding
peace in Europe, adopted by the dele-
gates, who sweltered all day in the
cathedral college in order to get most
of the important business of the conven-
tion out of the way.

Here again definite action was char-
acterized by more conservatism than
had been displayed in less formal pro-
ceedings. The resolution merely called
upon Pope Benedict XV. to take part
in the restoration of tranquility, and
Secretary Lane, who will head the
American group, was the first member
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ROMANIAN ARMY MOBILIZED FOR WAR AS FIVE ALLIES STRIKE IN BALKANS; RUSSIANS IN FORCE JOIN THE SERBIANS

Bucharest Drops Gayety in Shadow of War;
German Observer Says Nation Is Preparing

LONDON, Wednesday, Aug. 23.—The King of Rumania received the
German and Austrian Ministers to Bucharest in private audience on Mon-
day, according to a Cologne dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company,
by way of Amsterdam. The Ministers were received first separately and
afterward jointly. It was the longest audience ever granted by the Ru-
manian King to the Teutonic representatives.

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 23. (via London).—Rumania is preparing for war,
according to Dr. Lederer, Bucharest correspondent of the Berliner Tage-
blatt. A telegraphic dispatch from Dr. Lederer dated Sunday says:
"There is ground for some uneasiness as to the attitude of Rumania.
The outward life of the city is greatly changed. Gay Bucharest has become
a grave city, and all like signs in public life indicate that everybody is pre-
paring for eventualities and that the country is getting ready for war."
"I still believe that Bratianu is playing a game with Russia. In political
negotiations at Bucharest von Hindenburg is now playing the foremost
role."

PARIS, Aug. 22.—All the morning newspapers comment at length on the
possibility of Rumania joining in the war. The meetings that are in pro-
gress in Bucharest are taken to mean that all the various developments in
the situation are being seriously considered. The statement is made on
good authority that the number of Rumanian troops that can be mobilized
exceeds 800,000.

BERLIN, Monday, Aug. 21. (via London, Aug. 22).—The Budapest Az
Est, which is usually well informed on the Rumanian situation, today prints
a dispatch from its Bucharest correspondent saying that the agitation for
war, which in the last few days has been at fever heat, has suddenly
cooled down. It is stated that possibly the end of the mobilization is re-
sponsible for the change, if not the serious words uttered in the Hungarian
Parliament.

"[This is the first hint of a Rumanian mobilization that has been
permitted to pass the allied censorship. Almost nothing on the
Rumanian military situation from the Entente viewpoint has come
through since the Balkan situation in its present phase reached a
critical stage.]
The Bucharest dispatch adds that there is no doubt that Premier
Bratianu has reached an understanding with the Entente, so that further
negotiations are unnecessary now for actual participation in the war.
Meanwhile the semi-official Rumanian press is savagely attacking the
Conservative organs which undertook to discuss mobilization and related
measures.
More ammunition from France and Russia is asserted to be arriving.

LOOK FOR OUR AID IN PEACE MAKING

How England's Thought Tends
in Considering Her Post-
Bellum Problems.

ASQUITH'S NOTABLE PHRASE
A Policy Silently Taking Shape
Which May Influence Whole
Course of World Politics.

Special Cable to The New York Times.
LONDON, Aug. 22.—President Wilson's
declaration to the railway Presidents,
urging a settlement of the labor situa-
tion on the ground that every ounce of
American energy and initiative should
be mobilized to meet the extraordinary
situation which will follow the Euro-
pean war, reopens a question which has
been a subject of frequent discussion
in all the belligerent countries.

The economic problems which the war
will leave, and the social situation in
which America will find itself, have
caused no little disquietude in all the
great European countries, except per-
haps Russia. In some quarters highly
colored pictures have been painted of a
Europe economically, financially and in-
dustrially ruined, and a United States
emerging as the result of a gigantic
conflict waged, as the entente powers
believe, for the ideas of civilization,
and, as some of Germany's population
think, in defense of the fatherland.

In Germany, France and England
these views have provoked much
feeling, and occasionally some caustic
comment in the press. In its most con-
crete form this feeling has found ex-
pression in assertions that the United
States, having remained out of the war,
could be allowed to play no part in
making peace. I am speaking, of
course, of public feeling, not of govern-
mental policy, for none of the Govern-
ments concerned has taken an attitude
which conceivably might preclude the
possibility of American intervention
under circumstances which would ren-
der America's good offices highly de-
sirable.

There has been made recently, how-
ever, one official statement which is
perhaps the most important yet uttered
on this subject. Oddly enough, though
of the highest interest to America, it
seems, judging by the latest American
papers to hand, to have entirely es-
caped notice in the United States.
I refer to a speech made by Queen
Hall on the anniversary of Great Brit-
ain's entrance into the war.

In his peroration the Premier made
a statement which most of his audience
interpreted as a suggestion of the part
which the United States could play in
the world after the war, and a possible
American contribution to the common
task of progress and humanity. The
Prime Minister's words may be requoted
in full in the light of President Wil-
son's statement of yesterday that Ameri-
ca could no longer remain isolated and
provincial, and must be ready to play
her part as one of the dominant influ-
ences in the world's affairs.

"Early in the war," said the Premier,
"I quoted a sentence which Mr. Glad-
stone used in 1870. 'The greatest
triumph of our time,' he said, 'will be
the enthronement of the idea of public
right as the governing idea of Euro-
pe.'"

Cristobal Sanchez, campaign secretary
of the United States, arrived here yester-
day and asserted emphatically that Dr. Valdes had neither
promised nor consented to any agree-
ment or concession to any Japanese
or Spanish, nor promised such a
concession.

"I wish to say most emphatically that
no aid was given by Dr. Valdes to any
one desiring such a concession," said
Mr. Sanchez. "I know that a Spanish
named Fernandez was seeking a land
grant and he called on Dr. Valdes sev-
eral times in order to enlist his assist-
ance. He refused absolutely to have
anything to do with it. Dr. Valdes
knows nothing of any land grant in the
Atlantic side of the canal to be used by
Japan or any one else."

Speaking of the land grant Mr. Sanchez
said that he understood that Fernandez
had been trying to obtain a
letter from Dr. Valdes indicating his
willingness to grant the land.

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ALLIED CENTRE ADVANCING

French Storm the Vardar
Heights While British
Halt Foe on Struma.

BOTH WINGS FALLING BACK

Russian General to Command
Joint Muscovite-Serb Army—
Czar Sending 80,000 Men.

GREECE GREATLY EXCITED

Hellenic Soldiers Killed in Clash
with Bulgars, but King
Stops Fighting.

LONDON, Aug. 22.—The allied forces
have captured a series of heights west
of the Vardar River on the Saloniki
front, according to the official report of
the French War Office today. British
artillery has checked the advance of
skirmishers of the Central Powers in a
sector of the Struma front, thirty-five
miles northeast of Saloniki.

The statement of the French War Of-
fice reads:
"The battle continued on Aug. 21 on
the whole front of the allied armies
on the Saloniki line. In the center the
British-French forces have violently
bombarded Bulgarian positions on
both sides of Lake Doiran, while our
infantry established itself on the
southern spur of the Velez Moun-
tains."

West of the Vardar our troops have
occupied a line of heights near Ljuma-
nica and have maintained their posi-
tions at all points in spite of violent
counterattacks by the enemy.
The Serbian Army has continued its
progress in the mountainous zone be-
tween the Cerna and Moglenica
Rivers.

On the two wings the enemy, at the
cost of very heavy losses, has suc-
ceeded in pushing back our advance
detachments. On one end of the line
the covering detachment which at-
tacked on Aug. 20 west of Geras
Bulgarian forces, more than a division
in strength, in order to delay their
march, has fallen back on the Struma.
All the passages of the river are solid-
ly held by the Allies. On the extreme
left wing the Serbian Army, after a
very hot battle lasting two days,
which was undertaken to retard the
advance of the right wing of the Bul-
garians, has retained its present de-
fensive position in the neighborhood
of Lake Ostrovo.

The British War Office statement
given out today, reads:
On the Doiran front the situation is
unchanged. On the Struma front we
destroyed the railway bridge at An-
gista station on Sunday.

Our mounted troops, working in
conjunction with the French, suc-
cessfully checked the enemy on a front
extending from Sere to Kavajik,
(north of the Struma). Yesterday
morning advance enemy skirmishers
toward Koprija Bridge were stopped
by our artillery, which also dis-
persed enemy working parties in-
tranching opposite Kamarin and
Cavdarlik.

An advance brigade of a Russian
army which it is said will total 200,000
men has been landed at Saloniki. The
news has just been released after being
held up for three weeks by the censor.
The Russians will operate with the
Serbians, the joint forces being under
command of a Russian General.

The arrival of the Czar's troops, fol-
lowed by the debarkation of an Italian
army, has created a profound impres-
sion throughout Greece. The excite-
ment has been increased, according to
an Athens dispatch to the Exchange
Telegraph Company, by the fact that
since Sunday Greek troops have been
fighting the Bulgarians in the vicinity
of Seres.

The Greek objective of the Bul-
garians has called to arms all the reservists
in that locality, says the dispatch. That
the fighting is of a stubborn

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COOLER WEATHER TODAY

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Hour.	Temperature.	Humidity.
8 A. M.	82	58
9 A. M.	83	58
10 A. M.	85	58
11 A. M.	86	58
12 M.	88	60
1 P. M.	89	60
2 P. M.	90	60
3 P. M.	94	40
4 P. M.	90	47
5 P. M.	85	53
6 P. M.	82	57
7 P. M.	80	61
8 P. M.	79	64

Forecast: Generally fair Wednesday, cooler at night. Thursday, fair, continued cool weather, light west to north-west winds.

Higher temperature than had been recorded here in two years, and which was only two degrees below the maximum for August in forty-six years, caused three deaths and fifteen prostrations in New York City yesterday. The thermometer reached its highest point, 94 degrees, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, after the hottest night experienced by New York City in fifteen years.

Low barometric pressure, which the forecasters said last night, is passing off to sea, was responsible for the unusual records of Monday night and yesterday. On Monday night the temperature reached 83 degrees, which, with a minimum reading of 73 degrees, established a mean temperature greater than during any night since July 2, 1901.

Devaluated by this heat, many persons found the weather unusually hard to bear yesterday. The thermometer climbed steadily from early morning till mid-afternoon, but low humidity kept down the number of deaths and prostrations. Everywhere a temperature record of 94 degrees, New York City was much more fortunate than several other cities in New York State. Syracuse reported a maximum temperature of 98 degrees during the day, the highest ever reported in that city.

Deaths.

BOND, JOHN, 2 years, 371 Carroll Street, Brooklyn.
 SCANNELL, HAROLD, 9 years, 408 Thirtieth Street, Brooklyn.
 ZUBER, MORRIS, 46 years, 3 Carroll Street, Brooklyn.

Prostrations.

ARMSTRONG, WILLIAM, 42 years, 671 East 131st Street, machinist; stricken at 106th Street and Sedgwick Avenue. Taken home.
 BALFORD, THOMAS, 27 years, 810 West Forty-ninth Street; laborer; overcome on Second Avenue elevated train. Taken home.
 DILLON, GEORGE, 35 years, 1,309 Madison Avenue; workman; overcome while at work on Third Avenue elevated structure at Eighth Street and seriously injured in fall to street. Flower Hospital.
 GLEICHER, SADIE, 19 years, 324 East Nineteenth Street; stricken at 35 Waverly Place. Sent home.
 HAMMILL, FREDERICK, 25 years, registered at Mills Hotel, Seventh Avenue and Thirty-sixth Street; stricken at Columbus Avenue and Sixtieth Street; removed to Polytechnic Hospital.
 LUDEL, JACOB, 19 years, 545 Fifty-fifth Street, Brooklyn; mechanic; overcome at 85 Pearl Street; sent home.
 LOCKWOOD, GEORGE, 40 years, 2 Webster Place, Brooklyn; fireman; overcome at home and taken to Volunteer Hospital.
 MARTIN, JAMES, 29 years, 79 Morton Street; teamster; prostrated at 618 Washington Street; sent to Bellevue Hospital.
 MCCARTHY, JAMES, 23 years, 1,828 Washington Avenue, Bronx; overcome at Twenty-third Street and First Avenue; removed to Bellevue Hospital.
 PETERSON, JOHN, 68 years, 2,467 Belmont Avenue, Bronx; laborer; overcome at 145th Street and Broadway; at St. Lawrence Hospital.
 PLATZ, IRENE, 24 years, 542 Kosciuszko Street, Brooklyn; overcome at 117 Wooster Street; sent home.
 SHOENMAKER, JAMES, 40 years, 9 Bowery; laborer; overcome at James Street and the Bowery; removed to Volunteer Hospital.
 SHEPHERD, JULIUS, 20 years, 207 West Twenty-seventh Street; taken ill at Forty-second Street and Sixth Avenue; taken home.
 WALLACE, MICHAEL, 35 years old, 32 State Street, Brooklyn; prostrated on Pier 56, North River; at Bellevue Hospital.
 WHITLED, EDWARD, 46 years, 96 Third Avenue, porter; overcome at 111 Broadway; sent to Hudson Street Hospital.

Few Cities Hotter Than New York.
 The temperature in the city was 80 degrees at 8 o'clock yesterday morning. Of the 175 cities in the United States and Canada, where observations are

taken daily by the United States Weather Bureau, only five reported a higher temperature at that hour. These were Baltimore, Md., 82; Key West, Fla., 84; Philadelphia, Pa., 84; Savannah, Ga., 82; and only seven cities reported temperatures as high as New York City. They were Atlanta, Ga., 84; Cleveland, Ohio, 84; Fort Smith, Ark., 84; Fort Worth, Texas, 84; St. Louis, Mo., 84; Toledo, Ohio, 84.

The extraordinary heat on Monday night was attributed by the United States Weather Bureau to a hot wave that had descended the North Central States from the north. It had caused suffering for several days. The temperature that had risen to 98 degrees in Chicago on Monday dropped with a rush as the wave moved toward the Atlantic Coast, and it was four degrees cooler there at 8 o'clock yesterday morning than it was in New York City at the same hour. The coolest spot in the United States and Canada at 8 o'clock yesterday morning was Fairbanks, Alaska, which reported only 40 degrees.

The mercury in New York City ascended steadily during the early part of the day and reached 90 degrees at 1 P. M., but fortunately for those who were in the city, the humidity was not high. Registering 68 degrees at 8 o'clock in the morning, the amount of moisture in the air decreased until it reached 60 degrees at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time, however, the temperature had risen to 92 degrees. For some reason, the humidity began to increase, and rose to 40 degrees at 3 o'clock. The temperature at that time was 94 degrees, and those who could do so sought out shady spots and kept as quiet as possible. It had caused suffering in Brooklyn seemed to suffer more from the heat, for some reason, than any of the other boroughs, and three deaths there during the day were attributed to the weather. None of the other boroughs had reported any deaths up to 10 o'clock last night.

The following storm warning was issued by the United States Weather Bureau at Washington yesterday afternoon.

"Tropical disturbances of small diameter are passing rapidly between Porto Rico early this morning, and are moving northward rapidly. All vessels navigating the Gulf of Mexico and the Atlantic are advised to exercise caution during the next twenty-four hours."

RELIEF PREDICTED TODAY.

Washington Weather Bureau Says Cool Wave Is on Its Way.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—The intense heat wave that enveloped the eastern section of the country today will be dissipated by tomorrow night, if the Weather Bureau's expectations come true, though the relief will be only for a few days. Low pressure areas over Manitoba and the St. Lawrence Valley, which were the immediate cause of the high temperature, are moving eastward and are expected to draw cooler air from the upper lake region in their wake.

The forecasters said tonight that today's hot weather was made bearable by the fact that humidity was not as high as usual with temperatures. New high records for August were recorded at Scranton, Penn., and Syracuse, N. Y., where the official thermometers registered 96.

This was Washington's hottest day of the summer. At the Weather Bureau the record was 97 degrees, but in the Weather Bureau's street, where the official thermometer registered 107 at 8 o'clock.

SAW SON DROP 4 STORIES.

Mother Accuses Baker of Throwing Boy Off Fire Escape.

Because of the heat, so Mrs. Rebecca Kirsh told Magistrate Ten Eyck in the Harlem Court yesterday afternoon, she put her three small children on the fire escape in the rear of their home on the fourth floor of 331 East 101st Street yesterday noon and took a seat in the window to watch them. Max, 8 years old, was restless and climbed to the landing on the floor above.

As the mother leaned from the window, calling to the boy to return, she said she saw Abraham Shapiro, a baker, who works night and sleeps by day, lean from the window, grasp the youngster, and shake him. Shapiro made as though to throw the child from the fire escape and Mrs. Kirsh shouted frenzied appeals to him, but despite her cries Shapiro, she asserted, tossed the child out into the air and little Max fell four stories into the yard.

The terrified mother ran downstairs, her cries arousing the tenement, and an ambulance was called in which the boy was taken to Reception Hospital, where it was found he had internal injuries and probably a fracture of the skull. Shapiro was arrested, Magistrate Ten Eyck held the man in \$1,000 bail for examination this morning, although he denied the charge. Inspector Faurot asked the boy's first instructor a broad scale test to accept bail for Shapiro after he had investigated the case.

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And Must Land Army Which He is Conveying Before Sept. 1 in Order to Win War Game.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 22.—The annual war game of the main fleet of the United States Navy began at 6 o'clock this morning, when news was flashed by the Navy Department to Rear Admiral James A. Helm, stationed off Block Island, that a powerful "Red" enemy fleet, consisting of fifteen battleships, including eight dreadnoughts, commanded by Admiral Mayo, was at a point about 600 miles due East of Cape Hatteras, and planning to effect a landing for the "Red" army somewhere between North and South Carolina, Cape Hatteras and Portland, Me. This information was received by wireless by the Navy Department from the merchant steamer bound from New York for Gibraltar. Orders from Washington directed Admiral Helm to intercept, and, if possible, annihilate the "Red" fleet.

In command of his "Blue" defensive fleet of twelve battleships, accompanied by three divisions of destroyers, a number of scout cruisers and submarines, Rear Admiral Helm sailed early this morning from his base near Block Island. His destroyers and scouting vessels moved toward in fan-shape formation, and tonight are 200 miles from the coast in a far-flung line scanning the darkened horizon for the "Red" vessels. The scouts of the "Blue" fleet are about thirty miles apart in a southeasterly direction. Behind them are two control vessels, to which information is radiographed to be relayed to the main fleet commander.

Messages from the "Red" fleet have been picked up by the Arlington radio station and delivered at the Navy Department. Behind them are two control vessels, to which information is radiographed to be relayed to the main fleet commander. The key to this cipher is locked in a safe in the Navy Department for consultation after the game is over. In the office of Admiral Benson, Chief of Naval Operations, is a long table, covered with a chart on which is being plotted every move of the "Blue" fleet. The umpire of the war game is Rear Admiral Knight, President of the Naval War College at Newport. He is receiving messages from both sides and following the progress of their maneuvering.

BATTLESHIPS.

Wyoming, Arizona, Kansas, Oklahoma, Florida, New Hampshire, Utah, New York, Delaware, Texas, Nevada, Minnesota, Michigan, South Carolina, and Vermont.

DESTROYERS.

Tadworth, Conyngham, McDougal, Porter, Tucker, and Cassin.

TRAIN.

Fuel ships Cyclops, Nereus, and Jacon; repair ship Vestal, and seagoing tug Ontario and Bocoma.

The units composing the "Blue" Defensive Fleet are:

BATTLESHIPS.

Alabama, Illinois, Keokuk, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Rhode Island, New Jersey, Virginia, Wisconsin, Ohio, and Missouri.

DESTROYERS.

O'Brien, Fanning, Jarvis, Jenkins, Paulding, Warrington, Dunham, Wake, Starry, Erickson, Winslow, Balch, Aylwin, Benham, Cushing, McCall, and Nicholson.

AUXILIARIES.

Melville, Baltimore, Lebanon, Dubuque, Prometheus, Jupiter, Culgo, Columbia, McDonough, Worden, Oakes, Tullahoma, and Bushnell.

SUBMARINES.

D-1, D-2, D-3, E-1, E-2, E-3, E-4, E-5, E-6, L-1, L-2, L-3, L-4, L-5, L-6, L-7, L-8, L-9, L-10, L-11, and L-12.

The battleship Pennsylvania has been assigned to Admiral Knight for use as his flagship, while he is serving as umpire, and during part of the war game the umpire will be on the battleship, which will operate independently of both fleets. Admiral Mayo has until Sept. 1 to which to carry out his plan to evade the Blue Fleet and make a landing. All but 40 per cent of the officers and men aboard the Blue, or reserve fleet's main vessels, consists of naval militia and civilians who are now receiving their first instruction in a broad scale war conditions under the direction of the Navy Department.

VIVIANI PREDICTS LONG WAR.

Ex-Premier Foresees Hard Fight to Crush Prussian Militarism.

PARIS, Aug. 22.—A difficult and prolonged struggle before the war is ended was prophesied today by ex-Premier Viviani, who is Minister of Justice in the present Cabinet. In an address before the General Council of the Department of Oise, held at Guerst, he said: "Although victory is certain, it will require hard and prolonged efforts to break Prussian militarism and prevent recurrence of its crimes. There can be no peace until the attainment of victory, before adequate reparation is made and before justice triumphs."

In an address before the General Council of the Department of Aube, Viviani, ex-Minister of Justice, said: "The French will not submit to the peace of the German Emperor, who would force his adversaries to accept peace on bended knees. They will accept only such a peace as assures them legitimate reparations, as well as their independence and security, and they will bear patiently all sacrifices and efforts of their faithful allies, such a peace may be imposed."

Dr. Baylis Pleads Not Guilty.

The Rev. Dr. Charles T. Baylis, the Director General of the Allied Hospitals Relief Commission, which collected \$7,000, none of which, it was said, ever reached Europe, pleaded not guilty to three indictments of grand larceny, when arraigned before Judge Rosalby in General Sessions. Dr. Baylis asked for an immediate trial, but Judge Rosalby told him that it was the rule to hear only prison cases in the Summer term. He will probably be tried early in the Fall.

BLACK TOM VERDICT IN.

Lehigh Valley and Storage Company Blamed—Talk of Indictments.

The Lehigh Valley Railroad and the National Storage Company were censured in the verdict of the jury in Coroner Charles Hoffman's court in Jersey City, which completed yesterday its inquest into the death of Policeman John Doherty, who was killed by the explosion on Black Tom Island on last July 30. After finding that Doherty had come to his death in this way, the verdict continued:

"The said explosion was caused by fire, and we censure the Lehigh Valley Railroad, the lessee, and the National Storage Company, as the lessee, for their grave lack of fire precaution when such dangerous commodities as dynamite, powder, and loaded shells are awaiting shipment in such close proximity to the dwelling places of millions of human beings."

Assistant Prosecutor James W. McCarty, who conducted the inquest, said indictments would be asked at the session of the September Grand Jury for manslaughter in the cases of the responsible officers of the companies, and for maintaining a nuisance in the cases of the directors of the companies concerned.

DARED TO LOVE AN ENEMY.

German Woman Gets Three Months' Sentence for "Shameless Conduct."

The following account of the punishment visited by the German military authorities upon a Strasburg seamstress for having dared to fall in love with a French prisoner of war is credited to the Staatsanwalter of the Duchy of Anhalt of July 27 by the Neue Generation, a German reform magazine: "Paula Müller, a seamstress, was com-

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DIAMONDS
 IN MODERN SETTINGS

TOLEDO CROOKS' BUSY NIGHT

More Than 100 Robberies Follow the Reduction of the Police Force.

TOLEDO, Aug. 22.—Toledo crooks took advantage last night of the reduced police force which went into effect early in the evening. More than one hundred robberies, such as holdups, house breaking, pocket picking and other minor crimes were reported up to 8 o'clock this morning. There were but few arrests.

The city's police force was out one-third because of a shortage of officers caused in a measure by the failure of two recent bond issues totaling nearly \$2,000,000.



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FINANCIAL MARKETS

Stocks Active and Strong—

Railroads Share in Rise—

Fall in Motor Shares.

The Stock Exchange had yesterday its most active day in months, and prices were carried forward vigorously. On this occasion the railroads were not left out of the movement, but rose along with the industrials in a manner which showed convincingly that neither Wall Street nor the public stood in fear of the outcome of the protracted negotiations at Washington over the demands which the railroad brotherhoods have made. The movement in that quarter of the market was not altogether spontaneous, but it could not have been carried through had not the temper of the Street been highly optimistic.

It seemed to many that the market's pace was so rapid that it was in danger of overrunning the ground which it could reasonably expect to retain, but this view did not preclude belief in the likelihood of the movement being carried forward, possibly by a brief and brisk advance, before it would be called upon to absorb stock on a scale which would force reaction. The market had to take a good deal of stock yesterday, many being prompted to sell by the very substantial gains previously reported, but it did this with an optimism which only helped to confirm the general body of traders. In some quarters this sort of selling sufficed to hold prices at the previous level, but in a great majority of cases it did not stand in the way of further substantial gains. United States Steel quickly rose much above the high level reached in the previous day, and most of the industrial stocks accepted Steel as their natural leader.

The railroad group as a whole was stronger than any day since the men announced their acceptance of the unsuccessful effort to bring the Federal Mediation Board to bring the railroads and their employees onto common ground. Reading, Union Pacific, and New York Central were the most conspicuous issues in this part of the list. Among the industrial stocks the outstanding exceptions to the general strength were automobile stocks. Willits-Overland broke sharply on the news of a new large stock issue, and the other motor shares fell to less extent mainly in sympathy with the movement in Willits-Overland.

It might be sufficient to say that yesterday's stock market merely developed logically the factors which have been responsible for the growing strength and activity during recent days, but that was not the sole explanation of the intensification of the market's strength. Wall Street had before it yesterday the imposing list of American collateral to be pledged under the British loan, and while the news of the loan was known to have been mobilized by Great Britain were absent from the list, it was long enough and included enough stocks in which previous pressure of foreign sales had been felt to produce a very distinct effect upon market sentiment. Traders pictured to themselves the practical completion of the selling of bonds as collateral for this loan. They probably exaggerated this phase of the matter, for, as a matter of fact, selling for foreign account has been resumed. It is evident, though, from the manner in which the selling has been known to have been mobilized by Great Britain and her allies are buying in this market.

Another reason for the market's strength, and in particular for the ease with which railroad stocks were bid up, was the emphasis being laid on the hope that a rate increase will come as a sequel to the railroad's ultimate acceptance of the President's proposal for the prevention of the threatened strike. That the railroads will in time come into agreement with the President, and through him with the brotherhoods, is being accepted as a matter of course.

SHORT TERM NOTES.

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7 to 11 Rooms, 2, 3 and 4 Baths.
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12 story; fireproof; two elevators.
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264 Riverside Drive, South Corner 99th St.
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7, 8 and 9 Rooms, 2 and 3 Baths.
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6, 7, 8 and 9 Rooms, 1 and 2 Baths.
Rents \$1,000 to \$2,500.
Including Refrigeration.

328 WEST 83D ST.
Adjoining Riverside Drive.
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One Apartment left.

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9 story fireproof elevator House.
5, 6 Rooms, Bath.
Rent \$840 to \$1,200.

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472 West End Av., Southeast Corner 83d St.
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Rents \$1,800 to \$2,000.

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37-43 West 93d St.
6 and 7 Rooms, 2 Baths.
Rents \$1,000 to \$1,300.

WASHINGTON IRVING
601 West 151st St., Northwest Cor. Broadway.
4, 5, 6 and 8 Rooms and Bath.
Rents \$480 to \$780.

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225 West 80th St., Northeast Corner Broadway.
5 and 6 Rooms and 2 Baths.
Rents \$900 to \$1,200.

TALLADEGA
61 Hamilton Place, Southeast Corner 140th St.
6 and 7 Rooms and Bath.
Rents \$720 to \$900.

HAMILTON GRANGE
310 Convent Av., Southwest Corner 143d St.
4, 5, 6 and 7 Rooms, 1 and 2 Baths.
Rents \$540 to \$1,100.

HOLLAND COURT
315 West 98th St., adjoining Riverside Drive.
3 and 4 Rooms, 1 and 2 Baths.
Rents \$680 to \$720.

THE DORILTON
171 West 71st St., Northeast Corner Broadway.
5, 7, 8 and 9 Rooms, 2 and 3 Baths.
Rents \$1,500 to \$3,300.
Including Electric Light and Refrigeration.

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331 West 101st St., Adjoining Riverside Drive.
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Outside Rooms, Facing Hudson.
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401 WEST END AVE.
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Ground floor suitable for doctor.
Including refrigerating and low rate for electricity.
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One Block from Park.
2, 4 and 7 Rooms and 1 and 2 Baths.
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12 story fireproof Apartments.
6 and 7 Rooms, 1 and 2 Baths.
Rents \$1,300 to \$1,600.

HIGHMONT & ROCKCLIFFE
Southeast Corner 141st St. and Broadway.
4, 5, 6 and 8 Rooms.
Rents \$540 to \$1,100.

HEARNCLIFF
880 St. Nicholas Av., at 154th St.
5 and 6 Rooms and Bath.
Rents \$540 to \$720.

GREENWICH
446 Central Park West, Adjoining Corner 105th.
8 Rooms and Bath.
Rents \$960 to \$1,000.

DALLAS COURT
Broadway, Southwest Corner 144th St.
5, 6 and 7 Rooms and Bath.
Rents \$660 to \$1,020.

CHACORNAC
5-7 West 91st St.
8 Rooms and 2 Baths.
\$1,050 to \$1,200.

HANOVER
823 West End Ave., Northwest Corner 100th St.
7 Rooms, 1 Bath.
Rent \$1,100.

107-109 WEST 82D ST.
8 Rooms and Bath.
Rent \$720.
Hall service.

JEANETTE COURT
248 Audubon Av., Corner 178th St.
4, 5 and 6 Rooms and Bath.
Rents \$420 to \$600.

Our 1916-17 Booklet, Containing Descriptive Matter and Floor Plans of the Above and Many Other Properties, May Be Secured at any of Our Offices, or Will Be Forwarded on Request.

SLAWSON & HOBBS
Tel. 7240 Columbus
162 W. 72d Street
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A Selected List of Apartments

105 West 72d Street
Between B'way & Columbus Av.
5 Rooms and 2 Baths.
\$1,500 to \$1,900.

"Cornwall"
No. 285 West 90th Street,
Northwest Corner Broadway.
7, 8, 9 Rooms, 2 & 3 Baths.
Rent \$1,800 to \$2,200

"Oregon"
No. 162 West 84th Street,
Southeast Corner 7th Avenue.
3, 4, 5, 6 Rooms & Bath.
\$900 to \$1,700.

"Stanley Court"
No. 301 West 106th Street,
Northwest Corner West End Av.
9 Rooms & 3 Baths.
\$2,200 to \$2,500.

The Lucania
235 West 71st Street,
Bet. Broadway & West End Av.
3, 4 & 5 Rooms,
1 & 2 Baths.
Rent \$1,000 to \$1,600.

The Pamlico
97 Central Park West,
Bet. 69th & 70th Sts.
8 Rooms & Bath.
Rent \$1,600.

The Stuart
250 West 94th St.,
S. W. Cor. Broadway.
8 & 9 Rooms,
1 & 2 Baths.
Rent \$1,350 and \$1,500.

4 & 14 West 92d St.
Near Central Park West.
7 Rooms & Bath.
Rent \$900 to \$1,100.

Bonair
601 West 142d St.,
Northwest Corner Broadway.
5 & 7 Rooms & Bath.
\$600 to \$900.

The Westover
391 West End Av.,
Adjoining the S. W. Cor. 79th St.
8 Rooms & Bath.
\$1,700.

"Halsworth"
No. 645 West End Avenue,
Southwest Corner 92d Street.
3, 5, 7 Rooms, 2 & 3 Baths.
Rent \$780 to \$2,000.

San Domingo
949 West End Avenue.
Between 106th & 107th Sts.
3, 5, 6, 7 Rooms, 1 & 3 Baths.
\$1,000 to \$2,200.

"Hamilton"
No. 420 Riverside Drive,
Northeast Corner 114th Street.
5, 6, 7, 8 Rooms, 2 & 3 Baths.
Rent \$1,200 & \$2,300.

Devonshire
325 West 83d Street,
Near West End Avenue.
7 Rooms.
\$900 to \$1,000.

La Grange
1 West 83d St.,
North Corner Central Park West.
8 Rooms & Bath.
Rent \$1,000 to \$1,300.

349 West 85th Street
Bet. West End Av. & Riverside Drive.
8 Rooms & Bath.
Rent \$1,200 to \$1,400.

The Woodmere
561 West 141st Street,
N. E. Cor. Broadway.
4, 5 & 6 Rooms & Bath.
Rent \$600 to \$1,000.

Our Annual Apartment House Directory Will Be Mailed Upon Application.

APARTMENTS TO LET—Unfurnished.
MANHATTAN—West Side.

8 ROOMS
\$1000 to \$1200
"ADRIAN"
58 West 72nd St.

7 and 8 ROOMS
\$900 to \$1200
"AYLSMERE"
60 West 76th St.
\$600 to \$720
66 West 84th St.

WILLIAM R. WARE
Broadway at 86th St., S.W. Cor.

LAURELTON COURT,
555 West 184th St.
New Six-Story Building.
3-4-5 Rooms,
\$27-\$45.
Apply on premises or
Newmark & Jacobs,
103 PARK AV.

REED HOUSE
Broadway at 121st St.
6 and 7 Rooms, \$800-\$1000
OWNER ON PREMISES.
Housekeeping Service.

7 and 8 Room Apartments
with 2 Baths
\$1,500 to \$1,900 per annum
250 West 82d Street
(Southwest corner of Broadway)

CONCORD HALL,
448 Riverside Drive, Cor. 119th.
4-5 Rooms, 3 Baths, and extra
bathrooms. Fireproof Building.
\$1.10 to \$1.50.

APARTMENTS TO LET—Unfurnished.
MANHATTAN—East Side.

THE NORTHCLIFF,
3,565 Broadway, N. W. Cor. 146th St.,
10 Story Fireproof Apartment.
3-4-5 Rooms, \$45.00-\$85.00.

THE RIVERCLIFF,
628 West 151st St.,
6 Story Semi-Fireproof Apartment.
3-4-5 Rooms, \$35.00-\$60.00.
APPLY ON PREMISES, OR
NEWMARK & JACOBS,
103 Park Av.

NEW APARTMENTS
1067 Fifth Avenue
Between 87th and 88th Sts. Overlooking Central Park
14 Rooms, 4 Baths.....\$8,500 up
24 Rooms, 8 Baths (Duplex) \$16,000 to \$22,000
Apply 1067 FIFTH AVENUE Phone 8991 Lenox
Or your own Broker
Commission to Brokers
October 1, 1916

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New Building
OPEN FOR INSPECTION
HIGHEST TYPE
Housekeeping Apartments
3 Rooms and Bath
Living Room, Chamber and Kitchen
Rents \$55, \$60, \$65, \$70, \$75
"EVELYN ARMS"
203-205 West 98th St.
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103 PARK AV.

NON-HOUSEKEEPING APARTMENTS
SPENCER ARMS
S. E. Cor. B'way & 69th St.
2, 3 & 4 ROOMS
or larger combinations—mild service
included, and meals served in apart-
ments. Every room with permanent
outside light and large closet space.
Most convenient location in City.
RENTAL, \$100 to \$150 (YEARLY)
Agent always on premises, or your
own broker. Tel. Columbia 499.

8, 9, 10 Room Apartments
With 3 Baths
\$1,700 to \$2,700 Per Annum
495 West End Avenue
(Southwest corner 84th Street)

APARTMENTS TO LET—Unfurnished.
MANHATTAN—East Side.

N. E. Corner
180th St. &
Harrison Ave.
3-4-5 Rooms,
\$27-\$43.
Near New Jerome Av. Subway.
Jerome Av. and University Av.
Surface Cars.
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IMPERATOR
725 Riverside Drive, at 126th St.
High-class fireproof 11-story bldg.
5-6-7 Rooms, 2 & 3 Baths.
Rents \$800 to \$1,400.
Large, light, sunny rooms.
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THE WITTINGTON,
S. W. corner 60th St. and Madison Av.
two rooms and bath, elevator and cham-
ber service, from 150 up. Apply Frederick
T. Barry Co., 648 Madison Av. Agents
on premises.

ELLSLIGH HALL,
530 MANHATTAN AVENUE, COR.
HIGH-CLASS ELEVATOR APARTMENTS.
2-3-4-5 Rooms, \$30-\$80.
Kitchens.
Owner on premises.

ATTRACTIVE
FLATBUSH APARTMENTS
ALL MODERN IMPROVEMENTS
4-5-6-7 ROOMS, \$26 to \$55
WESTWOOD REALTY COMPANY,
685 Flatbush Ave.

APARTMENTS TO LET—Unfurnished.
MANHATTAN—West Side.

JACKSON HEIGHTS
APARTMENTS
JUST COMPLETED
4 and 5 Large
Rooms and Bath
\$24 to \$45
Equal to the
Best in Manhattan
MAXIMUM OF SUNLIGHT
Many Unusually Attractive Features
A Real Neighborhood Community.
Tennis Courts, Bowling Alleys,
Playground.
Pavilion for Dancing.
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QUEENSBORO
CORPORATION
Renting Office, Jackson Av.,
Corner of 25th St.
Telephone NEWTON-1214.
HOW TO GO TO JACKSON HEIGHTS: From 25th St. and 34th St. take the 6th Avenue Subway to 25th St. and Jackson Av. (FARE FIVE CENTS NOW). Leave car at Jackson Av. and 25th St. Renting office on corner. TWENTY MINUTES BY EITHER ROUTE.

87th St., 71 East
The
N. E. Corner
CORNER OF PARK AVE.
5 Rooms and Bath.....\$480
6 Rooms and Bath.....\$720
8 Rooms and Bath.....\$1,000
Elevator Service, etc.
Modern & Wyckoff, 546 5th Av., 45th
Telephone Bryant 1263.

911 Park Ave.
The Alvarado, S. E. Corner 80th St.
In exclusive neighborhood, high-class apart-
ments, electric and modern. Two bath-
rooms of large closets; rent \$1,700 to
\$1,900. Superintendent, Telephone Lenox
825.

1337 Madison Ave.
S. E. Corner 94th St.
BEST RENTAL VALUES
8 Large, Light Corner Rooms, 2 Baths,
Elevator, all modern improvements.
\$1,000 to \$1,500. Superintendent on premises.
Also Corner Apartment for Physician.
Physician's Corner Apartment
Choice Location
1337 Madison Ave.
S. E. Corner 94th St.
7 LARGE ROOMS & BATH, \$1,100.
WILL ARRANGE FOR PHYSICIAN'S PURPOSES.
The Cleveland
Apartments 9 rooms and bath
\$900 to \$1,000. Well arranged.
Convenient location. 126-130 East 24th St.
A-640 Madison Av. "Hoffman Arms" N. W. Cor. 85th.
4 ROOMS \$900
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A High-Class 13-Story Fireproof Apartment,
4, 5, 6, 7 and 8 Rooms—1 to 3 Baths
Rentals \$600 to \$1,560
Convenient location, beautiful surroundings;
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340 to 350 PARK AVE.
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A FEW CHOICE APARTMENTS OF
TEN ROOMS AND THREE BATHS
APPLY ON PREMISES

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Thirty-five cents on agate line.
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On the Dolran front (in the centre) about two battalions of the enemy were seen yesterday in the neighborhood of Dautli. Their advance troops were driven in by us.

On the Struma front the enemy is entrenching on the line Yenikouli-Kaplan-Elishan - Nevolyn-Chavdar-Mah-Oрманli.

An attack on French troops holding Komarjan bridge was repulsed. Serbian forces are now holding a line in the neighborhood of Laga-Ostrovo and Posar.

Hungary Alarmed Over Rumania.

The Hungarian newspapers are be-

formation concerning Rumania, and that country's possible action in the war. The dispatch to The Morning Post, from Budapest, says that the Rumanians are to be the hands of the censor is designed to prepare the people for the worst.

The military expert, Past-Napoli, says: "The entry of Rumania into the war will not at first affect the military situation in the Balkans. The Rumanians will have to adhere to the united strategic plan of the Allies and will not be permitted to go against Transylvania. Dobruja and Bulgaria will be their immediate aim. Five hundred thousand or six hundred thousand men of the Rumanian Army are not the chief factors for the consideration of the Central Powers but rather the problems presented by the new territory which the Rumanians will be allowed to use freely in the invasion of Hungary."

Meanwhile the anxious hours of waiting are not being spent in idleness in Transylvania, whence every able-bodied man suspected of Rumanian sympathies is being shifted to other parts of the country. The Rumanian newspapers in Transylvania are under the strictest control, and Rumanian churches and churches are under military supervision. All along the Rumanian frontier the military forces are being strengthened, and every precaution taken against Rumanian intervention.

According to unofficial dispatches, the Rumanians are pushing ahead with the greatest energy in Rumania close to the Rumanian frontier, and already have gained "a very brilliant success." The Daily News in an editorial sums up the Balkan situation as follows:

"The imminent general offensive against Bulgaria is of great importance. One of the first results of a successful offensive by General Sarraill would be a complete isolation of Germany in the communications with the East and the isolation and capitulation of Turkey. This is a plain geographical fact."

"There are also other issues upon which it is wise to reflect than to enlarge. The situation in Greece where Greek troops already actually are engaged in hard fighting with the traditional enemies, the Bulgarians, is rich in possibilities. As to the intentions of Rumania, they may be seen in the traditional German press which is authority for the statement that Rumania definitely has joined hands with the Entente and is preparing to give Russian troops passage through her territory. It is difficult to conceive of a Rumanian army of men could have for circulating such a statement other than the belief that it is true."

BERLIN, Aug. 23 (via London).—Further progress of the troops of the Central Powers in driving back Entente forces near the western end of the fighting line in Macedonia is announced today by the War Office, as is also the repulse of Serbian attempts to advance in the vicinity of Mlogena. The statement follows:

"The clearing of the highlands west of Ostrovo Lake, (east of Florina in northern Greece), has made good progress. Repeated Serbian attacks in the Mlogena region have been repulsed."

PARLIAMENT RESTS, CONFIDENT OF VICTORY

Adjournment Debate Optimistic of War's Outcome—Outlook Bright for Suffrage.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—Both houses of Parliament adjourned today, Oct. 10, after adopting a bill tending to the life of the present Parliament another seven months. Not since the outbreak of the war has Parliament adjourned upon a situation such as the present, and which was described by David Lloyd George, Minister of War, and other Ministers in debate in the last few days, as giving so little cause for anxiety or so hopeful an outlook for the future. The debates, which covered all aspects of the war, reflected a feeling of confidence, although expressing the realization that heavy tasks are still ahead and that the prospect for hostilities coming to a speedy end is not.

It is the general belief that before Parliament reassembles a further important stage of the Entente defensive will have developed in the Near East, which may have the weightiest influence on the whole field of operations.

There was considerable discussion in recent days of the direction of administration, although high prices are due to scarcity of supplies, the costliness of freightage, and, as Captain E. G. Pretyman, Parliamentary Secretary to the Board of Trade, explained in the House of Commons today, to the abnormal consumption of food by the millions of men in the field. Captain Pretyman said he estimated that the men in the field ate half as much again as they did in civilian life. While the question of food supplies is pressing heavily on the civilian population, the Government thus far has seen no reason to take any new or drastic steps in the direction of administrative control of either the price or consumption of food.

In the debates the Cabinet Ministers also expressed the greatest confidence in the constantly growing economic pressure which is being exercised against the Central Powers.

The difficult questions of suffrage and restriction of the franchise have been temporarily, but as a precautionary measure the House of Lords inserted in the bill extending the life of Parliament an amendment, which the House of Commons accepted, providing that any new Parliament should endure only for two years. This is an emergency which is unlikely to arise, however, as the majority of the country is opposed to holding elections during the war. It seems almost certain that the Parliament will be elected upon a basis of adult suffrage, with women voting, although there are many opinions that the country ought to be consulted upon the important question of admitting women to suffrage by means of a general election.

STOLEN BREAD RAISES NOVEL LEGAL POINT

Hungry German Woman Jailed For Taking It, Not For Failure to Leave Coupons.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. BERLIN, Aug. 23.—A local court has just decided the extraordinary question whether a person who stole bread was punishable for not leaving a corresponding number of bread coupons in its place. A woman who had been seen stealing two loaves of bread was sentenced to a short term of imprisonment for this offense. To revenge herself on the baker she denounced him to the authorities, complaining that the stolen bread was newly baked, the exhibition of such bread in stores being punishable by law. The court, however, then decided the bread in question for sale and dismissed the complaint against the baker.

Meanwhile the woman had appealed on the ground of the punishment being too severe, as she had stolen the bread only to prevent hunger, which, according to German legal usage, is punishable only in the mildest form. The woman's conduct, however, prompted the prosecuting officer to add another charge against her, that of having taken the bread without leaving the required coupons behind.

The court decided the law provided only for legitimate transactions, the theft of bread not coming within its scope, and that the woman could not be punished for not leaving the coupons when she had stolen the bread.

THE WAR SITUATION

BY THE MILITARY EXPERT OF THE NEW YORK TIMES.

Yesterday I pointed out the predominant features of the allied campaign working from Saloniki and the general possible lines of advance, one of which they must follow. From this it may be assumed that, inasmuch as the Teutonic Allies have but a few avenues to guard, the defense of Bulgaria and Serbia from the invasion will be a comparatively simple matter. As a preliminary matter this may be a correct assumption. The Teutons as well as the Allies have had many months in which to effect a concentration of guns and shells. They have known for all these months that if the Allies did attack, they must attack along one or all of a very few lines. Consequently their preparations were for the defense of these lines, and the creation and location of ammunition and supply depots made accordingly.

But as the possible lines of advance of the Allies are restricted in number by geographical conditions, so are the lines of supply of the Teutons likewise limited. The Struma and the Vardar lines are practically the only lines of supplies for the Teutons from the east. The main line of the entire Teuton force is in the Balkans. A large volume of supplies has doubtless been accumulated at Monastir and is at present feeding the forces in that vicinity. This accounts in a measure for the successes which have been achieved by the Teutons in the neighborhood of the Florina station. The means of replenishing these supplies are, however, meagre.

The Allies, on the other hand, have very short and very excellent lines for immediate emergencies. The port of Saloniki is open to them. They control the sea, and in spite of the traditional obstacles exist to the maintenance of a continuous flow of supplies of all kinds from the main Entente positions to their forces in front of the Greek port.

Therefore, at the outset, the store of ammunition previously accumulated by the Teutons on the lines of advance of the Allies probably will, for the time being, prove sufficient to put a serious check on all attempts of the Allies to advance.

It does not appear that any sensational success will mark the beginning of the offensive on this, the last of the fronts. Only when the accumulation of the Teutons commences to dwindle will the superiority of the Allies commence to be made manifest. The means of supply of the Allies are, however, so vastly superior to those of the Teutons that this most important of military elements must make itself felt as time progresses. At present it is not correct to say that in the preliminary fighting one side or the other has the advantage. The Teutons have laid great stress on their attacks on the two flanks—toward Kavala and south of Monastir in the vicinity of the Florina station. These attacks, even though they have gained ground, are so far removed from any vital point that in a consideration of those things which affect the situation they may be disregarded.

The Teutons may be present in great numbers. No one knows just what their strength in this theatre is. They are not in as great strength as the Allies, however, as they have not the numbers to spare for this theatre. In addition, it is conceded that the defense does not need

GERMANS CAN'T SEE WHY WAR CONTINUES

Friedrich Naumann, in Die Hilfe, Says People Don't Know Now What They Are Fighting For.

ANALYZES POPULAR VIEW

Berlin Writer Reveals a Grumbling Spirit in Army and the Masses, Blaming the Government.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Thursday, Aug. 24.—The London Times says that Friedrich Naumann publishes in the current number of his weekly paper, Die Hilfe, an extraordinary article on the weakening of German popular opinion about the war. The article is a criticism of the present tendency. Herr Naumann writes:

"Today there are people enough who no longer rightly know why we are still fighting. It was visited lately by a soldier who late in the war was taken up in the Lusitania. I know him well, and I know that by the very reason of his calling he understands the way of thinking of the simple people. He said to me: 'It must be explained to the people quite simply and intelligibly why they are still fighting, because they do not know that the war was surely enough to make it the thickest head. He, however, replied:

"Two years ago all these people knew, but as they read the newspapers irregularly, have little knowledge of history, and have no training in historical thought, even at the beginning they grasped only a general impression rather than detailed events. Meanwhile all that has been returned to a state of flux and become obscure, the more they are mentally helpless in the face of the sacrifices of the long war. Hence it becomes possible for a fraction of the Liebknecht type to find its way into the very army."

Ignorance of War's Horrors.

"I then made further inquiries among men and women who by constant contact knew something of the horrors of what I heard: Two years are a long time for the memory, especially when the people are suffering, and our experiences have so manifold during the war. At the beginning of the war there was no real idea what war was, but they were ready to conduct war. Meanwhile

as many men as the offense, and for that reason the Teutons would simply be waiting men to place these where they were not needed. If it is conceded that the Allies have the numerical superiority, the fact that these flank attacks which I have referred to are really insignificant features of the campaign becomes apparent. Such attacks are successful on a large scale only when it is possible to overlap the flanks or to put them in a position of being held while the length of the line which men are present to hold it is not sound in relation to a coherent offensive. From the way the Allies' campaign is shaping up it seems that their main attack will come either along the Struma or the Vardar. Just which of the two will be selected is a matter of the first move of the Allies against the Teutons. The Vardar, from which they may move either way. Each offers advantages. The Vardar, from which they may move either way. Each offers advantages. The Vardar, from which they may move either way. Each offers advantages.

HUNGARIAN HEIGHTS WON BY RUSSIANS

Fighting Front Is Carried Now to the Very Border in Carpathian Mountains.

BATTLE SOUTH OF BRODY.

German Offensive Repulsed by the Army Threatening Lemberg—Berlin Claims Successes.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 23.—The Germans resumed the offensive yesterday south of Brody, where the Russians are attempting to approach Lemberg from the northeast. The War Office statement says the Germans were repulsed. The Russians captured two heights on the Hungarian front. The announcement follows:

In the region south of Krevs (south-east of Vinna) the enemy on Tuesday night launched a general attack which was repulsed with heavy losses. More than 100 bombs were dropped by aircraft on the railway station at Manevichi.

In the region of the Sereth, south of Brody, the enemy continued his offensive at some points. His attacks were repulsed everywhere by our fire. The enemy's losses were heavy. The Russian forces captured two heights near the town of Ardules, and south of the Kovar mountain, on the Hungarian frontier.

BERLIN, Aug. 23, (by wireless to Sayville).—Despite the German attacks in many sections of the front, the Russians have been unable to gain any ground from the Teutonic forces, according to the Austrian official statement of Aug. 22. The Russian losses in the fighting along the lower Stokhod, northeast of Kovel were particularly heavy, says the statement, which follows:

Front of Archduke Charles Francis: Near Zolpa, (southwest of Kolomoia), on the Bystritsa and in the district of the River Zolpa, the Russian attacks were repulsed. Southwest of Zolpa, in the Carpathians west of the town of Zolpa, the Russian forces captured 100 prisoners and two machine guns.

Front of General von Boehm: In the sector of Terepnieki, the Russian forces captured 100 prisoners and two machine guns. In the sector of Terepnieki, the Russian forces captured 100 prisoners and two machine guns. In the sector of Terepnieki, the Russian forces captured 100 prisoners and two machine guns.

A correspondent of the Cologne Gazette on the Russian front says that in the fighting near Horodena, in Eastern Poland, the Russian forces captured 100 prisoners and two machine guns. In the fighting near Horodena, in Eastern Poland, the Russian forces captured 100 prisoners and two machine guns.

GERMAN CALL IN VERSE FOR RUTHLESS SEA WAR

"Notwehr," ("The Cry of Distress"), a poem calling upon the German authorities to resume unrestricted U-boat warfare against merchantmen, as well as against the British fleet, was published in the German press today. The poem is a translation into English verse of a poem written by a German poet, and is as follows:

For the people loves the sailor's spirit, And well it knows the soldier's merit; The people is truest, loyal and true, And it will stand by him through and through. Kaiser, my Kaiser, a marvel it were, Did it seem to you that we should be free, That the people's mutterings reach this ear—

Grand Admiral Tirpitz goes, he goes! We question why. There is nobody knows. Was he fallen sick, was he weary of power, Did it seem to you that we should be free, That the people's mutterings reach this ear—

Keep these appointments—twice a year with your dentist and three times a day with Dr. Lyon's Perfect Tooth Powder.

BRITISH ADVANCE ON THIEPVAL FRONT

Repulse Two Heavy Night Assaults and Take German Trenches at Dawn.

FRENCH LOSE SOME GROUND.

Are Forced by Strong Attacks to Give Up Part of the New Line Captured on Monday.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—Following the repulse last night of two heavy German assaults on the positions newly won on the Somme front south of Thiepval, the British troops today made another attack in the same region today and captured 200 yards of a German trench, according to the official report of the War Office issued tonight. German artillery at three points is said to have been silenced by the massed fire of the British guns.

In the assaults delivered by the Germans last night the attacking forces gained a footing in the British trenches, were driven out again, the War Office says.

The Germans had more success to the south. Attacking the French line south of Estrees, on the Somme front, they gained a footing at some points in trenches which were captured by the French on Monday. Admission of the loss is made by the afternoon French War Office bulletin, which states that the Teuton assault was preceded by intense artillery fire all along the French front on the Somme.

The night bulletin of the British War Office reads:

South of Thiepval we gained a further 200 yards of a German trench, which high and the destruction of our line and improved our position.

The enemy's artillery, which had been silenced in three different areas by the counterbattery work of our heavy guns, which appeared to be very effective.

When the weather cleared yesterday evening enemy aircraft, which had displayed unprovoked enterprise, engaged in large numbers with most satisfactory results. The fighting was a matter of sniping and sniping, and many others were driven down, damaged and apparently in control. Others were pursued to their aerodrome. We suffered no casualties.

The day bulletin of the British War Office reads:

The enemy made two determined counterattacks last night on our new trench south of Thiepval. By the first attack he gained a temporary footing in our trenches, but was driven out immediately. The second attack was repulsed completely. The enemy's losses in these two attempts were heavy.

Despite this there was rather more hostile artillery fire, especially in the regions of High Wood and Bassentin. Opposite Lens we carried out a small raid successfully. On the other parts of the front there was the usual trench warfare.

The official communication issued by the French War Office this evening says:

North and south of the Somme artillery fighting continued all day, being particularly intense in the sectors of Bellefleur and Estrees. On the right bank of the Meuse an attempt was made to capture our positions. The German forces were repulsed. The British forces captured 100 prisoners and two machine guns.

The day report of the French War Office says:

North of the Somme the enemy during the night bombarded our first line and our lines of communication. Our artillery replied. The enemy did not follow up his bombardment. The British forces captured 100 prisoners and two machine guns.

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On the Somme front, Warrant Officer, who brought down his fifth German aeroplane, which fell in the direction of Moislains, northeast of Veronne. Four other enemy aeroplanes, fired on by machine guns from our aeroplanes, came down within their own lines, severely damaged.

BERLIN TELLS OF SUCCESS.

Do, U-boats!—The British have kept up their attacks on the Somme front between Thiepval and Pozieres, but have been unable to make any gains, according to today's announcement by the War Office. South of the Somme the French have been driven out of some portions of a trench which they had held since Monday, says the statement regarding operations on the Somme front.

Between Thiepval and Pozieres British attacks were vainly repeated. Night and day the fighting continued. At close quarters the British forces captured 100 prisoners and two machine guns.

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GERMANS ADMIT E-23 HIT WARSHIP

The Westfalen, Reported Lost in First Jutland Battle, Was Torpedoed Saturday.

CAN BE REPAIRED, IT IS SAID

More British Losses in Fight "A Fantastic Story."

LONDON, Aug. 23.—The German battleship Westfalen was hit and slightly damaged on Saturday by a British torpedo, it was admitted in a semi-official telegram from Berlin today, according to Reuters' Amsterdam correspondent. The Westfalen, however, it is stated, continued capable of maneuvering and will soon be repaired.

A second torpedo launched against the Westfalen missed the battleship, the message asserts.

The admission by the Germans that the Westfalen was damaged by a British torpedo has gratified the British public, as it is taken as a proof that the British were not left at such a disadvantage as appeared from first reports.

The first account of the clash debited Great Britain with the sinking of the light cruiser Falmouth and Nottingham, as against the destruction of one German submarine, had been denied by another. The fact that Germany withheld the news of some of her losses in her first official account of the Jutland battle is used by the newspapers as an argument to discount the statements of Berlin. The denial of the British Admiralty of the German claims is accepted without reservation.

As the account now stands, as figured on the British side, the loss of the Nottingham and Falmouth, whose crews, however, were nearly all saved, is put against the sinking of the German battleship, which was a serious blow to the German fleet. A big battleship was damaged, and according to the belief of the commander of the attacking submarine, another German one submarine sunk and another damaged.

London Calls Story "Fantastic."

The official Berlin statement retelling the claim that a British battleship was struck by a torpedo in the recent North Sea fighting was met with an emphatic denial from the British Admiralty. The Secretary of the Admiralty issued the following statement:

There is not a particle of truth in this fantastic story. No ship was sunk except the Nottingham and the Falmouth, whose loss has already been officially announced.

A British official announcement yesterday told of a torpedo attack by the British submarine E-23 upon a German battleship of the Nassau class in the North Sea. No ship was sunk, it was reported that while the submarine commander escorted back to port in a damaged condition, the battleship was being towed by a second torpedo and believed she was sunk.

The Westfalen is one of the Nassau class of battleships, displacing 18,000 tons. She was at first reported sunk in the Jutland engagement last May, but afterward was declared by the German Admiralty to be safe in a home port.

Reiteration Made by Berlin.

BERLIN, Aug. 23, (via London).—The claim that a British battleship was damaged by a German submarine in the recent fighting in the North Sea is repeated with considerable detail in an official statement issued today by the Admiralty. The statement says:

Regarding the British denial of the German official report that a British battleship was damaged by one of our submarines, the following details are now published, based on submarine reports:

"On Aug. 19, in the course of the evening, a submarine met a portion of the British fleet, composed of battleships and battle cruisers, surrounded by a greater number of small cruisers and destroyers. The submarine succeeded in firing a shot at the battleship. The submarine was fired upon by the battleship and three officers were standing on the conning tower.

After the torpedo hit, a column of fire which was about twenty meters wide and forty meters high rose from the after funnel of the battleship, in which the tunnel was recognized as a white-hot condition. The column of fire was visible for about one minute. Simultaneously, enemy hand grenades attacked failed.

The enemy artillery on both sides continued to fire for some time. The South of the Somme, near Estrees, small portions of a trench in which the French had been driven out since Monday were cleared and three officers and 143 men fell into our hands.

On the right bank of the Meuse (Verdun front) we repulsed enemy hand grenades and captured 100 prisoners and two machine guns. Minor infantry attacks in the hilly wooded region went in our favor.

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AMSTERDAM, Aug. 23, (via London, Thursday, Aug. 24).—The result of Dr. Karl Liebknecht's recent appeal against his sentence for war treason has been the imposition of a new and severe sentence of four years and one month penal servitude, and expulsion from the army, according to a dispatch from Berlin.

The appeal of the Socialist leader was heard on Wednesday before a supreme court-martial, comprising a naval captain, two lawyers, two Majors, a Captain, and a Lieutenant.

In addition to his prison sentence, Dr. Liebknecht is deprived of his civil rights for six years. In announcing the verdict the court declared that the sentence was imposed "for attempted war treason, severe disobedience, and resistance against the armed power of the State."

Commenting on the outcome of the hearing, the semi-official Wolff Bureau says: "The severe sentence appears to be a warning to the German people, favorable to Liebknecht, if one considers that he violated his duties as a soldier, and that he was guilty of the grossest manner, and to the detriment of his menaced Fatherland. Liebknecht himself, who by his distribution of pamphlets and by arranging public demonstrations he intended the weakening of the German war strength."

SHELLED THE OWEGO MERELY TO STOP HER

Captain of the American Ship Said to Have Failed to See U-Boat's Signals.

ROTTERDAM, Aug. 23.—According to information here, the American steamer Owego, regarding a reported submarine attack on which the American Government has inquired of Germany, arrived at this port on Aug. 13 and reported encountering off the Isle of Wight a German submarine, which fired ten or twelve shots at her without warning. Some of the shells exploded, but the U-boat close to her not inflicted no damage.

Captain Barlow of the Owego, according to the account given, was at first unable to discern the submarine because of a prevailing haze, but upon the U-boat's approach, he sent a boat with the mate and the ship's papers, after examination of which the U-boat was allowed to proceed.

The submarine officers told the mate of the Owego that the account says that they fired because the Owego did not stop immediately in obedience to the U-boat's signals, which they displayed. The signals could not be deciphered from the Owego, it is added. Some of the shells exploded, but the Owego unloaded at Rotterdam and sailed for America on Aug. 15.

RUSSIANS ROUT TURKS ON BLACK SEA COAST

PETROGRAD, Aug. 23.—An offensive undertaken by the Turks along the Armenian Black Sea coast has been stopped, and the Turkish forces driven back with the aid of the Russian fleet. It was announced today by the War Office in Petrograd that the Russian fleet had defeated the Turkish fleet in the Black Sea.

The Turks, who resumed the offensive on the line of the towns of Elen, Sakhod and Maden, situated in the Caucasus, were driven back to their positions with the co-operation of our fleet.

West of Latakia, (southern Turkish Armenia), our offensive is successfully developing. Three officers were killed and a large number of Turkish soldiers were captured.

ALLEGED TALK BY PENFIELD.

Ambassador Quoted as Predicting Austria Will Lose No Territory.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—Reuters' Amsterdam cable today received a dispatch from Vienna outlining an interview purporting to have been given to the press by the Austrian Ambassador, Count von Penfield, the American Ambassador to Austria-Hungary. The Ambassador is quoted as having said he was convinced that Austria-Hungary would survive the test of the war without loss of territory.

Mr. Penfield is declared to have added that the battles were being waged with such intensity that the combatants would be compelled before long to pause for breath, and that this interruption in fighting would be employed by favorably inclined factors, which were growing stronger in all countries, to bring about a means for bringing about peace.

SAYS JIMMY THE OFFICE BOY

"Electro," this note was written by Columbus to the Viceroy of Castile in the 15th century.

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TELLS OF DUMA PLAN TO FREE THE JEWS

Alexis Aladin Confirms Reports of Impending Action and Predicts Success.

WANTS AMERICA TO HELP

Thinks Sympathizers Should Send Spokesmen to Eliminate Old Bitterness and Mold Sentiment Anew.

Special Cable to The New York Times. LONDON, Aug. 23.—Paul Milukoff's announcement from Petrograd that a bill giving the Jews equal rights will be introduced in the Duma in November confirms reports which have been current in Jewish circles here for some time past. By a departmental order the residence of Jews outside the pale is already permitted, and recently there was a discussion of the Jewish question by a Cabinet council at Imperial headquarters at which it was understood that the project of the introduction of a bill in the Duma legalizing the departmental order was favorably considered. A circular issued by Count Ignatieff, the Russian Minister of Education, abolishing the system of ballot for Jews desiring to enter the Russian secondary schools was regarded as an excellent omen for the further enfranchisement of the Jews.

Alexis Aladin, one of the best-known spokesmen of the Duma, who is now in London, said today that not only was the present report true, but that he considered it quite likely the bill would be passed.

"It is," said he, "a step of immense importance and one that must arrest the attention of the whole world. I am unable to reveal all I know, but am able to say I am confident the bill will be introduced in the Duma and passed. Two very prominent members of the Russian Government, Vice President Propoyoff of the Duma and M. Gorko, recently visited London. Intimate talks I had showed me that both these men look with favor on speedy legislation giving the Jews equal advantages with all Russians."

Their attitude is extremely significant of the change that has been taking place in the inner councils of Russian affairs since the beginning of the war. Here we have Propoyoff, a nobleman and capitalist, swinging around to the idea that the time has arrived to put the Jew on an equal footing with his fellow-men in Russia. As Vice President of the Duma he is a man of influence, and in fact one of the most prominent statesmen Russia ever produced.

"In speaking with friends here he said that today one did not talk of the necessity of giving the Jew equal rights, but of the desirability. In other words, he maintained that the Russian people when Russia was beginning to recognize the importance of the Jew as a vital part of her national life, had not yet reached the point where the Jew was regarded as a real value to Russia in her commerce and industry. He said that the Russian people in the future if Russia was to use the best that was in her, must have him stand on the same level as the leader in the Council of the Empire and an Assistant Minister. These leaders are not afraid to take the Jewish question into their hands, and they are not afraid to take the Jewish question into their hands, and they are not afraid to take the Jewish question into their hands."

TO RECRUIT RUSSIAN EXILES.

Samuels Has Plan for Remission of Naturalization Fees.

Special Cable to The New York Times. LONDON, Aug. 23.—The Russian Government has been toward solution of the problem of what to do with many thousands of Russian and Polish Jews who are living in this country, having escaped military service in the Czar's army and not come under the British conscription laws. In London, Manchester, Liverpool, and other big cities there were huge colonies of these exiles, a large proportion of them of military age, who naturally came to be regarded with no favorable eye by their English neighbors, whose men folk were engaged in war.

After some agitation the Government proposed to enact a law whereby Russian Jews of military age should be forced to enlist in the British Army under threat of being sent back to Russia, where they would be liable to heavy penalties as defaulters from military service. This project aroused a storm of disapproval, though ably defended by Sir Herbert L. Samuel, the Home Secretary, himself a Jew. The basic fact on which opposition rested was that England always has harbored political refugees, and a large number of the exiles in question came under that broad classification.

Minister Samuel, while not withdrawing his original proposal, has now hit on a compromise. Reason and persuasion, as The Manchester Guardian puts it, are to be substituted for threatening and force. A responsible committee of leading Russian Jews, Sir Herbert announces, has been formed which will conduct an active recruiting campaign in London and other centers among the foreign Jewish people, and definite inducements will be held out to them voluntarily to enlist.

Almost all of them are alien, and the high naturalization fee of £2 plus law fees are as a rule quite beyond their resources. Sir Herbert offers that any of them who enlists before Sept. 30 shall have his fee refunded if after three months' service he desires to be naturalized. Thus if they are called upon to fight for Great Britain they at least may be able to feel that they can become its citizens.

END SEEMS NEAR IN RAILWAY CRISIS

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The most important and gigantic ever presented to any body of men in the industrial history of the country. They cannot, therefore, consistently with the interests of their country, their employers, or the public, reach a final conclusion regarding what action they should take without much discussion, great study and profound thought, and such discussion, study and thought, when participated in by practically 100 men suddenly called together, requires time.

Our deliberations seem to proceed slowly it is due to the facts I have mentioned. For us to act hastily would be a betrayal of the great responsibility we owe to all the parties concerned, and most of all, to the public.

The railroad executives have not yet given up hope that Mr. Wilson will ask the railroad men to accept less than the original plan of settlement, but the railroad men do not expect to be asked to do such a thing. Mr. Garretson was asked tonight if this was the situation, if he was holding the 640 Chairmen in Washington in this case his reply was: "If we sent them out, it would be said that we were making plans for a settlement of the crisis without consulting the public. That is furthest from our thoughts. The men might as well stay here in New York. That is the whole answer to your question."

Called by the President. In the meanwhile there was great interest among the railroad executives over a conference today between President Wilson and Senator Newlands and Congressmen Adamson, Chairman of the Senate and House Committees on Interstate Commerce.

The President called Senator Newlands and Congressman Adamson to the White House to discuss just what assurances he might be able to give to the railroad men if their earnings were seriously reduced by the eight-hour day they would be remunerated.

President Wilson expressed confidence that a settlement of the crisis would be reached, and that there would be no strike. He said the one bar to immediate settlement was the insistence of the railroad men on some assurance of remuneration. After he left the White House, Senator Newlands announced that he would push his bill providing for an increase of the Interstate Commerce Commission from seven to nine members. The bill has passed the House. This, coupled with the fact that Congress passed a resolution today postponing from Oct. 15 to April 15, 1917, the application of Section 10 of the Clayton law, providing for the purchase of supplies for more than \$50,000 by competitive bidding, was taken as a hopeful sign by the railroad men who are fighting for an assurance that if the eight-hour day is granted the railroads will get some remuneration.

The action with regard to the Clayton bill was said to have been taken at the request of the railroad men, who say its application would work havoc with the present system of furnishing supplies by big railroads to their subsidiaries, and believe that the postponement of its application means that the President is willing to wait until a special Congressional committee to investigate Federal regulation of railroads can report.

Convinced 8-Hour Day Must Come. As the conferences among the railway Presidents continued today it became more evident that the principal difficulty of the situation was to work out a plan of action acceptable to all the railroads. Many suggestions have come from the sixty or more Presidents here and have been laid before the managers. In every instance they have been rejected as impractical, and the President has said that he will not plan which the managers do not accept as sound can be taken to the White House as the basis for settlement.

It is well understood that most of the executives here are convinced that the only way out of the present difficulty is to make a complete surrender to the eight-hour day, and that they cannot expect President Wilson to recede from the position he has taken. The efforts were directed today toward a solution of the complicated questions of the proposed increase in the size of the Interstate Commerce Commission, and it was said tonight on authority that no practical plan had been developed.

Where Will Limit Be Placed? "He has publicly announced that the question of an eight-hour day was not negotiable. He has said that he has dealt a severe blow to the principle of arbitration. He bases his conclusions entirely on a premise that society has determined that the eight-hour day must be adopted."

This premise will be earnestly and heatedly denied by a large part of the American people. Certainly society has not determined it by law. If so, the law would settle it and no such question could arise. Parts of society have determined by law that the eight-hour day is to be adopted in certain places. The fact that it has not been generally decreed by law is not a reason for rejecting it. The fact is that what society wishes or may do is a question of the future, and it is a prophecy. Upon this, backed by the prestige of his great office, he has declared that the question of controversy is not arbitrable and has publicly gone to the country on the issue and has told the railroad managers that the responsibility for a strike upon this question will rest upon them but upon them.

No men were ever subjected to greater strain. They are not seeking to change the present status. They have not initiated any controversy. It is initiated by the best paid of the railroad, those who are in no way subject to the time of a national election has been chosen. They are threatening to force their claim by general paralysis and yet upon this state of facts and the premise that society has placed the question of an eight-hour day with a half hour compensation beyond arbitration these men are freed from responsibility for a strike on this issue, and the railroad managers are put really in the attitude of aggressors.

Soundness Must Be Tested. "Now that the question of society and the eight-hour day is so conspicuously raised and by such high authority, the people of this country, before any law is decided on this premise, will want to know how far-reaching it is. Has society definitely confined it to certain favored classes, or is it based on a principle which, if accepted, will extend it over the entire field of labor?"

Will it apply to all employees of railroads and other public utilities? If so the cost must be considered. Shall it apply to all manufacturing operatives? If so, how will it affect our foreign competition, especially after this war is over? Does it apply to domestic servants and farmhands? If not, then upon what principle is the President's declaration challenged?

The soundness must be tested. If true, the people should not shrink from the result. If not true, then it is a betrayal of the great responsibility we owe to all the parties concerned, and most of all, to the public.

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CONVENTION ENDS TODAY

Federation Adopts a Resolution
Providing for Diocesan Units—
Next Meeting in Kansas City.

A mass of thanksgiving at the Church of the Most Holy Redeemer for delegates of the German societies, to be held at 9 o'clock this morning, will end the "Catholic Week" in Kansas City. The delegates to the meeting place next year. Thousands of the delegates will stay for a day or two of sightseeing after the arduous work of their conventions.

The business sessions of the American Federation of Catholic Societies and of the German Roman Catholic Central Verein ended yesterday, and a reception to all delegates by local committees at the Hotel Astor last night at which the Ukrainian Orchestra played, marked the last formal social event of the week.

Both lay and ecclesiastical leaders of the church and its allied organizations voted the New York meeting the most successful as well as the best attended ever held. Members of the American hierarchy and officers of important lay bodies departed with the feeling that much good had been accomplished through the executive sessions, that the public generally had been better informed than ever before of the plans, purposes, and ideals of Roman Catholicism, and that the City of New York had shown proper hospitality to the great gathering.

The federation's closing session started off with the promise of a controversy when Colonel Patrick Henry Callahan of Louisville, Ky., chairman of the Knights of Columbus's Religious Prejudice Committee made a report which some of his hearers thought was too mild. This committee was appointed by the Knights of Columbus about eighteen months ago and received an appropriation of \$50,000 to investigate and combat "A. A. P." propaganda.

"We have heard much this week about the Catholic one-sixth of the population of the United States," Mr. Callahan told the delegates in concluding his report. "I want to say a word for the five-sixths non-Catholic portion of the country which has been very tolerant of us and permitted us to build our institutions on a basis that is better than in many Catholic countries."

Vice President Joseph T. Brennan of Boston put in a protest at one point. "With all due respect to this prominent gentleman," he said, "I am sorry to hear that. That talk about tolerance is soft soap. I can speak officially for Massachusetts, but there the non-Catholic one-sixth, there we spend \$4,000,000 a year to investigate and combat the Catholic one-sixth. We are Americans and we are not to be tolerant and need no tolerance and accept none."

If I said anything that reflected on the fairness of the Catholics who have just spoken or said anything that should be considered any criticism," Mr. Callahan replied, "I am ready to beg pardon, for nothing of that kind was in my mind. Yesterday we passed a resolution in which we unanimously asked that the Catholic country of Mexico be provided with such religious tolerance as to conform to the country. This country is five-sixths non-Catholic. I don't want to withdraw a word I said regarding the liberty and fairness of the non-Catholics in America."

Be it resolved by the fifteenth annual convention of the American Federation of Catholic Societies, that the American Federation of Catholic Societies be empowered to present to the American Government a petition for an improved plan of organization of the American Federation of Catholic Societies so that without disturbing the status of national organizations which were the foundation stones of the federation, in addition diocesan federations be established as units.

And that the national executive board be empowered to so revise the present constitution as to conform to the American Federation of Catholic Societies, to the Catholic Federation of the United States, and to the American Federation of Catholic Societies, and making due allowance for conditions where the diocesan federation is feasible, yet not disturbing the society, county or state federations where such are desired, but without any direct relationship of the latter with the national federation except through the diocesan organization.

All officers of the federation except Vice President Joseph T. Brennan of Boston, whose place was filled by Dr. Peter Ganz of Louisville, Ky., were re-elected. The officers are:

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First Vice President—J. P. Flynn, Chicago.
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DUBLIN, Aug. 23.—An inquiry into the shooting without trial of three men during the rebellion in Ireland last Spring was opened today in the Four Courts. The men shot were P. Sheehy Skerrington, Fred McIntyre, and Thomas Dickson. The men were put to death at the orders of Captain Bowen-Colthurst, who was court-martialed and found guilty, but insane.

Sergeant Aldridge, who was present at the shooting, testified that the prisoners were neither blindfolded nor pinioned. They had no time to say their prayers and to his knowledge they did not know they were going to their death.

The Attorney General for Ireland who appeared, he explained, to place the material facts about the case before the court, before the commission, "related incidents of the week of the revolution and of the arrest of Skerrington. After his arrest Skerrington, the Attorney General asserted, said he was not a Sinn Féiner, but was in sympathy with that organization. Later that night he was taken from the guardroom by Captain Bowen-Colthurst, who handed him over to Lieutenant Wilson in the street, telling him that if any other soldiers were fired upon by the rebels Lieutenant Wilson would shoot him.

The next morning, continued the witness, Skerrington and his companions were taken from the guardroom by Captain Bowen-Colthurst, who said: "I am taking out these men to shoot them, as it seems to me it is the best thing to do."

The execution of the three men followed. The Attorney General added that the three men were taken to a fair, which they did not get, they being innocent persons who took no part in the rebellion.

Lieutenant Morris, placed on the witness stand, said he arrested Skerrington, who was followed by an excited crowd, as a precautionary measure.

Colonel Bowen-Colthurst, who was in charge of one of the barracks near Portobello Bridge, said that Skerrington, when he was brought out of the barracks on the night before the execution, had his hands tied behind his back, and that Captain Bowen-Colthurst fired several shots into the air. He testified that a boy named Corbett had been shot by Captain Bowen-Colthurst. The boy, who was suspected of "sneaking around the barracks," gave the Captain an insolent answer and then ran away. Captain Bowen-Colthurst raised his rifle, intending to shoot the boy in the back, but he was stopped by the witness added, but the shot was inaccurate and the boy was struck in the abdomen.

Explains Irish Edict.
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The order empowers the Government to prohibit persons entering Ireland any person not a British subject, or who being a British subject, has come recently or may come hereafter to the United Kingdom from overseas. The situation was explained in the following official announcement:

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It is alleged that the papers and letters contain information that would subject to humiliation persons not concerned in young McLean's contest of his father's will. Among the documents are said to be a letter from the late McLean to a foreign Ambassador and might be embarrassing to two other Ambassadors. Letters from two prominent women proposing marriage to John R. McLean are also said to be among the documents which the late millionaire's son wishes to obtain.

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The contents of the letters, which the late Mr. McLean said to have given instructions to destroy, have been the subject of much speculation. It has been believed that the letters would bring disgrace and humiliation to their writers.

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DENIES PEACE OVERTURES.
Britain Has Received No Feilers,
Cecil Asserts.

LONDON, Aug. 23.—Lord Robert Cecil, Minister of War Trade and Parliamentary Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs, in the House of Commons today said that no peace overtures had been made to Great Britain.

Lord Robert's statement was made in response to a question by Sir James Henry Duffell, Liberal member for Kirkcaldy Burghs, in regard to "peace rumors" and the situation in the Balkans.

"No overtures have been made for peace," said Lord Robert. "There is only one way in which overtures for peace could be made, and that is from an enemy to the Government of this country. If any such overtures were made the first thing they would do would be to consult with our allies, but no communication of the kind has been made."

As to the Balkans, Lord Robert said that the most important factor consisted of the operations of the Greek Government. The Allies' relations with the new Greek Government, he said, were thoroughly satisfactory.

COMPARES NAVAL LOSSES.

German Admiralty Says French and British Lost 72 Vessels.

BERLIN, Aug. 23. (via London, Aug. 23.)—The German Admiralty issued today a statement asserting that the losses of the British and French Navies in line of battleships and cruisers to Aug. 1 comprised seventy-two vessels with a total displacement of 498,050 tons.

The German losses in the same classes during the same period were twenty-five warships with a total of 62,987 tons. It was said that the list of British and French warships included those losses which definitely had been established.

Philadelphia Anti Defense Fund.
BERLIN, Aug. 23. (via London, Aug. 23.)—The Association for Defense Preparation of Friedland has received 1,000,000 marks (about \$250,000 at normal exchange) from the Philadelphia branch of the organization.

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YANKS FREE COLE TO SECOND PLACE, BEATING WHITE SOX AGAIN

FOURTEEN YANKS GAME

Donovan's Cohorts Collect Four Runs in Eighth, Beating White Sox by 5 to 4

PIPP'S BAT TO THE RESCUE

His Single Brings Winning Run Over the Plate—Mogridge and Fletcher Pitch Sterling Ball.

Joe Pipp's single in the eighth inning of the game between the Yankees and the White Sox yesterday was the only hit that counted. It was the only hit that counted because it was the only hit that came in the eighth inning. It was the only hit that counted because it was the only hit that came in the eighth inning.

BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results:

New York, 5; Chicago, 4.
Boston, 7; Cleveland, 3.
Detroit, 10; Philadelphia, 5.
St. Louis, 10; Washington, 4.
(First game.)
Washington, 4; St. Louis, 2.
(Called fifth inning; darkness.)

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Chicago, 7; Brooklyn, 4.
Pittsburgh, 3; Philadelphia, 1.
(Sixth inning.)

ROBINS TRY THREE PITCHERS IN VAIN

Cubs Assail Dell and Cheney, and Appleton Checks Them After Game Is Lost

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—The Cubs did the same thing to three Brooklyn pitchers today that the Robins put over on the local twirlers yesterday, and the home team won 7 to 4. Wheeler Dell was the first of the Dodgers' staff to have his fling. After the Cubs had pounded him to the extent of five hits, and scored four times, Uncle Robbie yelled "enough," and Wheeler went to the bench. Larry Cheney was next summoned, and survived only a few minutes in the box. During his incumbency the Cubs picked up two more hits and three additional runs, bringing the total of runs up to seven. Sherrod Smith batted for Cheney in the fifth.

COAST ATHLETES NAMED.

A. A. U. Selects Twenty-four to Compete in National Championships

Twenty-four athletes from the Pacific Coast have been selected by the Amateur Athletic Union to compete in the national senior track and field championships at Waco, Tex., on Sept. 8. The selections were made by Dr. Morris Dunn of Portland, Ore., and John Elliott of San Francisco, members of the National Championship Committee, who attended the Far Western championships at San Diego on Sunday. The recommendations of the Western officials were received yesterday by Frederick W. Ruben, Chairman of the committee, who immediately gave his approval to them. The athletes will be drawn from Los Angeles, San Francisco, Salt Lake City, Spokane, Idaho, and Provo, Utah.

HAZARD VAGUES CAUSED BY WIND

Twenty Craft Disabled or Withdrawn in Atlantic Y. C. Races—Alice Beats Banzal.

Three distinct squalls which swept across the lower harbor yesterday afternoon interfered decidedly with the third day's races of the Atlantic Yacht Club. As a result of the storm twenty of the forty-three yachts which were to sail over the various courses were either disabled or were forced to withdraw because of rough usage by the elements.

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Where They Play Today.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

(Two games; first at 1:30 P. M.)

Detroit at Washington.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
New York at Pittsburgh.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.
Boston at Chicago.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Los Angeles at San Francisco.
San Diego at Los Angeles.
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SENATORS IN EVEN BREAK.

Loss First Game on Blunders, but Win Second When Browns Err.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—St. Louis and Washington split a double-header today, the visitors winning the first game by 5 to 4 in ten innings and losing by 4 to 3 in the second, called after the seventh inning, on account of darkness. Foster's error gave St. Louis the winning run in the first game and misplays by Shotton and Lavan were responsible for Washington's margin in the second. Rinald marked both games.

DR. ELMER STILL LEADS.

Maintains First Position in Second Day of Archery.

A stiff wind followed by a driving rainstorm descended on Hudson County Park in Jersey City yesterday afternoon just when the lovers of the bow and arrow were waiting to their afternoon's pastime and halved the competition in the second day of the thirty-second annual tournament of the National Archery Association of the United States. The competition had gone through the morning without a hitch, and the beginning of the first York round for men and the first national round for women had been completed when the rain came.

PIRATES WIN IN SIXTEENTH.

Capture Fourth Game of Series of Five with Phillies.

PITTSBURGH, Penn., Aug. 23.—The Pirates took four out of the series of five games from Philadelphia by today's win, a score of 2 to 1. The visitors made their run in the fifth inning on hits by Killifer and Duguey and Rixey's sacrifice. Pittsburgh tied the count in the ninth on a single by Carey, his steal to second and a wild pitch, and won out in the sixteenth inning on McGowan's single, Johnston's sacrifice and McCarthy's single. The score:

RED SOX TAKE THE LAST.

Four Pitchers Unable to Save Final Game of Series for Indians.

BOSTON, Aug. 23.—Boston won the final game of the home series with Cleveland today by 7 to 3. After holding the Red Sox hitless for three innings, Boehling was knocked from the box in the fourth, when three singles, a double, and a walk netted two runs. Coveleskie and Gedeon were driven from the mound by an onslaught in the seventh, when four singles, a sacrifice, and two passes netted Boston four more runs. Leonard retired for a pinch hitter in the seventh. Ruth held Cleveland to one hit in his two innings in the box. The score:

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693 boys' blouses and smocks. Were \$1.00 and \$1.50. 35c.

Boys' \$1.00 and \$1.25 underwear at 35c—small boys' \$2.50 straws at 35c—\$3.00 swimming suits at 95c—are other items at funny prices.

TIGERS SWAMP ATHLETICS.

Cobb Goes from First to Third on Single, and Steals Home.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 23.—Detroit had an easy time winning today's game from Philadelphia by 10 to 3. Young led in the hitting, with three singles and a double, and gave an exhibition of base running in going from first to third on a single to left field, getting to third by a splendid slide, and then stealing home while the third baseman was holding the ball. The score:

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New York	53	45	5	.541
Detroit	55	45	5	.552
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NEW YORK CITY LEGISLATURE.

Assembly and Senate Meet Today.

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WILL SAIL AROUND L. I.

Atlantic Y. C. Plans 20-Mile Contest as Close to Race Week.

An ocean race for sailing craft, with the course going completely around Long Island, has been planned as the wind-up to the Atlantic Yacht Club's season. The race, which will start on September 20, will start off the tip of the South Fork of the Hudson River, and will go around the tip of Long Island, and then back to the starting line. The course will be sailed twice over, which gave the skippers a chance to show their skill at all points of sailing.

HAWES WINS FLY CAST.

Makes Mark of 102 Feet on First Day of Tourney at Newark.

The ninth International Fly and Bait-Casting Tournament began at Weehawken Park Lake, Newark, under the auspices of the Newark Fly and Bait-Casting Club yesterday. There was competition in two events, one in the morning and the other in the afternoon. The winner of the morning event was Harry Boylston, who made a mark of 102 feet. The winner of the afternoon event was Harry Boylston, who made a mark of 102 feet.

RYAN TOO MUCH FOR LORE.

Bout at Pioneer 3. C. Stopped by Referee in Third Round.

Willie Ryan, the diminutive New Brunswick lightweight, scored a knock-out and decisive victory over Johnny Lore of the west side in the star bout of ten rounds last night at the Pioneer Sporting Club in West Forty-fourth Street. Ryan was constantly on the offensive, and Lore was constantly on the defensive. The referee, Patsy Haley, terminated the bout, owing to the fact that Lore was unable to continue.

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Chicago Junkman Says His Wife
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Was Father of Her Daughters.

AGED RECLUSE DENIES IT

Recently Adopted the Girls, but
Tells Judge Landis He Did It
Through Friendship for
Their Mother.

Special to The New York Times.
CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—While Edward W. Morrison, an aged recluse, whose wealth is estimated at from \$2,000,000 to \$8,000,000, was before Judge Landis in a bankruptcy inquiry today, Joseph Burnstein, a junk dealer, testified that his wife on her deathbed confessed to him that her two daughters were Morrison's children. The girls, always known as Burnstein's daughters, were adopted by Morrison three weeks ago. Burnstein's declaration furnished a big sensation in the investigation into Morrison's personal and business affairs resulting from mysterious transfers of his property to James R. Ward, his attorney.

Burnstein was called to the stand by Judge Landis after Morrison and Ward each had been subjected to a searching examination. "Do you know Mr. Morrison?" the Judge asked Burnstein.

"Not very well," the witness answered. "The first time I met him was at my wife's funeral some two years ago. We went in the same carriage to the cemetery."

"What was your conversation?" asked the Judge.

"I told him my wife had confessed to me that she had been the father of the two girls. I told him that she had named him as their parent. He admitted the relationship and said: 'Never mind, I will make it right. I will take care of them.'"

"Do you know whether Mr. Morrison ever talked this relationship over with his attorney, Mr. Ward?"

"Yes, it was talked of one day in Huntington's office when we were there together."

"Come here," said Judge Landis to Morrison. "You take the stand again."

Morrison went to the witness stand. "What about Mr. Burnstein's story?" the Judge demanded.

The witness was evasive. Pressed regarding the motives leading him to adopt the two girls, he said:

"Mrs. Burnstein and I were good friends for many years. When it became necessary for her to go to the hospital, with a possibility that she would die there, she visited me. She had never been rich, while I had plenty of money. So she asked me if I would take care of the girls in the event she did not live. I promised her I would."

"This man tells me you are the father of his wife's daughters. Is that true?" asked Judge Landis.

"It is not," said Morrison. "Today is the first time I ever heard it."

"Come back here to the stand," the Judge commanded. Burnstein, Morrison vacated the witness chair and Burnstein took his place. The court went directly to the matter of the girls again. Burnstein stuck by his story in all.

"She told me Morrison was not her father," he affirmed. "She told me on her deathbed. She said she was not the father and Morrison was."

Judge Landis then declared that he would bar Ward from taking further testimony. Anna, the oldest of the girls, is 18, and the others are 16 and 15 years old. They have made their home with Morrison since their adoption. Morrison is 81 years old.

The action before Judge Landis was a petition to appoint a receiver for Morrison's properties, the contents of the contention was that Morrison had adopted the two girls to prevent the city of Chicago from executing the estate, which, under the will of his father, was to be used for educational purposes if Morrison died childless.

Morrison is alleged to have given away to certain friends more than \$2,000,000 of his estate during the last seven years.

One of the transactions concerned was the transfer to Alfred A. Wadsworth, which the Hotel Morrison now stands. It is said to be worth more than \$2,000,000. Property valued at \$500,000 was given to the lawyer unconditionally. The transfer was made soon after judgment had been obtained against Morrison.

It was brought out before Judge Landis that John Sommers, under the name of Morrison, for twenty-five years, had received \$200,000 for providing the aged millionaire with amusement.

LAWYER HEADS RED CROSS.
Eliot Wadsworth is Named Executive to Succeed Gen. Murray.

MONTREAL, Aug. 23.—Eliot Wadsworth, a Boston lawyer, was elected Vice Chairman and executive head in Washington of the American Red Cross at a special meeting of the Executive Committee here today. It was announced that he would move to Washington to give his time to the work after Sept. 1. The position carries no compensation.

Those attending the meeting were ex-President Taft (Chairman); Robert W. Taft, ex-Secretary of War; General W. C. Braisted, U. S. N.; Miss Mabel Boardman of Washington; Charles D. Norton of New York; and Alfred T. White of Brooklyn. Mr. Wadsworth was chosen to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Arthur Murray, U. S. A., as Vice Chairman.

MANY CHICAGOANS STUNG.
Accidental Collision Liberates 10,000 Bees on La Salle Street.

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—Ten thousand bees, liberated in La Salle Street, Chicago's financial district, stung a score of people today and sent brokers, clerks, and messengers hurrying to cover.

The bees were being carried in a case when a youth bumped into a man holding them, causing him to stumble and smash the case. The usually crowded street was instantly deserted for a block.

VIOLENT EARTHQUAKE ROCKS CALIFORNIA

Described as the Most Severe
Shock Since the San Francisco
Disaster in 1906.

EUREKA, Cal., Aug. 23.—The most violent earthquake felt here since April, 1906, when San Francisco was destroyed, rocked the city and northern Humboldt County at 6:55 o'clock this morning. There was no material damage. There were two shocks, each lasting several seconds. Reports of shocks came from Arcata and other points north of here, but apparently they were slight in the southern part of the county, which is traversed by the 1906 fault line, which dips into the ocean near the mouth of the Bear River.

CALEXICO, Cal., Aug. 23.—An even minute eruption Monday night of an unnamed volcano peak about twenty-five miles south of here in Lower California is reported by C. R. Rockwood, Chief Engineer of the Imperial Irrigation district, who is here today after an inspection trip in the volcanic lake region. The volcano belched a stream of mud and steam 500 feet in the air, Rockwood said, and the mud spread over a large area.

MORE DELAY FOR STELOW.
Argument for a New Trial Is Adjudged to Sept. 27.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 23.—The attempt to gain a new trial for Charles F. Stelow which was to have been made today before Supreme Court Justice Rodenbeck was adjourned until Sept. 27. So the farm hand, convicted of the murders of Charles Phelps, a farmer of West Shelby, N. Y., and Margaret Wadsworth, his housekeeper, and reprieved from death eighteen minutes before he was to have been put in the electric chair, is safe for at least another month.

Within that time his lawyers hope to have prepared their case that District Attorney John C. Knickerbocker of Orleans County, who prosecuted Stelow, cannot successfully show cause, as required by the order of Supreme Court Justice Guy, why Stelow should not have a new trial.

It was at the request of Stelow's counsel that argument on this order was postponed today. Ex-Supreme Court Justice Arthur E. Sutherland, who, with James W. O'Connor, Stuart M. Kohn, Huntington W. Merchant, David A. White, Mrs. Grace Humiston, Mrs. Inez Millholland Boiesvain, and Misha Appelbaum, head of the Humanitarian Club, is striving to save Stelow, explained to Justice Rodenbeck:

"We have a record of about 1,500 pages upon which we based the application for the order granted by Justice Guy. Since then there have been some developments. It will take us three or four days more even to complete the affidavits which we have in preparation, and I must ask for a delay."

One task of the lawyers will be to show that the confession of Erwin King, afterward retracted, was a true recital of the commission of the murders, and that the alibi which King has offered since is a myth.

District Attorney Knickerbocker asked that Justice Guy's order be vacated on the ground he had no power to grant a stay of execution when the District Attorney did not oppose the delay in saying: "If Stelow is innocent I don't want him punished. If King is guilty we want to stick by the truth. We want to stick by the truth so the person or persons responsible for this atrocious crime may receive the punishment they deserve. We want nothing to cover up. We want to arrive only at the truth."

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EARNINGS.

LEHIGH VALLEY for July—

Total operating revenue, \$4,807,497

Total operating exp., 2,838,450

Net operating revenue, 1,969,047

From July 1, 1916, 1,969,047

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CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE.

United States Steel common sold on

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ASK A HEARING IN EDISON RATE CASE

Travis H. Whitney Wants Public Service Board to Reopen the Entire Question.

ACTS ON REQUEST OF MAYOR

Every Consumer of Electricity in New York Interested in Outcome of the Motion.

An action that will affect every consumer of electricity in New York was taken by the Public Service Commission yesterday, when Commissioner Travis H. Whitney moved that the entire question of rates that may be charged by the New York Edison Company be reopened. The question came up on receipt of a petition filed by City Chamberlain Milo R. Malbie, on behalf of the Mayor, asking that the present order of the commission allowing the New York Edison Company to charge until May 1, 1915, be changed so that July 1, 1917, be fixed as the time for the present rate order to expire. Commissioner Whitney goes further than the Mayor, for his motion not only compels the company to change the rate, but also the making of a new rate. The question will come up before the commission at its meeting on Sept. 7.

The decision of the commission in the Edison case, which also affects the United Electric Light and Power Company's service, was made in March, 1915, and it directed that from May 1, 1915, for a period of three years the maximum price to be charged by the company for electric service in the city, exclusive of the installation and renewal of lamps, should be 8 cents a kilowatt hour, excepting for Kingsbridge and a part of the Bronx lying east of the Bronx River. This action was taken after forty-six hearings, covering a period of more than a year.

In respect to the New York Edison rate case, said Commissioner Whitney in advocating that the case be reopened yesterday, "there have been from time to time criticisms of the order of the commission, and it directed that from May 1, 1915, for a period of three years the maximum price to be charged by the company for electric service in the city, exclusive of the installation and renewal of lamps, should be 8 cents a kilowatt hour, excepting for Kingsbridge and a part of the Bronx lying east of the Bronx River. This action was taken after forty-six hearings, covering a period of more than a year.

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In respect to the valuation it is to be noted that although the original order consumed several years, no valuation was made by the commission of the property of the company. It would seem to be necessary in any rate case.

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HARTFORD WANTS BANK SPRINGFIELD A RIVAL

Connecticut and Bay State Cities Present Their Pleas Before Farm Loan Board.

Special to The New York Times.

HARTFORD, Conn., Aug. 23.—Representative citizens from this city, New Britain, and Springfield, and other neighboring towns appeared before the members of the Federal Farm Loan Board, which conducted a hearing here today, to ask that one of the twelve Federal farm loan banks be established in Hartford. The members of the board present at the hearing were Secretary Nicholas, Treasurer George W. Norris, Farm Loan Commissioner Herbert Quick, Captain W. S. Smith, and C. E. Lobdell.

Senator Louis B. Chenev, President of the Hartford Chamber of Commerce, introduced the various speakers. John H. Hale of Glastonbury, a peach grower, representing the executive committee of the Connecticut State Grange, said the average farmer found it difficult to get money at reasonable rates. In the last fifteen years, he said, there was drift of intelligent foreigners to this region who bought farms and needed money to cultivate them. Connecticut is neglected and the State Grange discovered. Clarence J. Cannon, President of Hartford Market Gardeners' Association, said that he owned about twenty-two acres of cultivated land and desired to install improvements, but was unable to do so on account of the present terms imposed on long time notes. John M. Holcombe, President of the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Company, said:

"There are thousands of acres of uncultivated land in Connecticut. Some of it I believe the farmers are wasteful and do not consider the best advantage for which their land can be used. This is due, perhaps, to the fact that the farmer cannot secure sufficient capital to work his land properly."

Other speakers were Melvin H. Whipple, President of the Connecticut Trust and Safe Deposit Company; Frank H. Whipple, representing the Connecticut Tobacco Growers Association; Frank H. Stadtmueller, State Dairy and Food Commissioner; Ralph W. Cutler, President of the Hartford Trust Company; Leon P. Broadhurst, resident of the Phoenix National Bank; Charles T. Davis of Middletown, Master of the State Grange; George W. Staples, President of the Connecticut Pomological Society; M. B. Broadhurst, President of the Hartford Chamber of Commerce; J. H. Kilburn, Secretary of the State Grange; and Charles A. Pease, President of the Connecticut Chamber of Commerce.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Aug. 23.—Prominent public officials and citizens from all parts of New England attended the hearing here today of the Federal Farm Loan Board, which was held at the Hotel Marlborough.

Among those present to advocate the Springfield bank were William C. Butterfield, President of the Massachusetts Agricultural College; Wilfred Wheeler, Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture; Howard Edwards, President of the Rhode Island State College; Roger Sherman Hoar of Boston, expert in farm finance; James A. Monroe of Springfield, a prominent industrialist; and Charles A. Pease, President of the Connecticut Chamber of Commerce.

Mayor Frank E. Stacy of this city and other city officials led in urging the establishment of a Federal farm loan bank in Springfield. The hearing was held in the presence of a large number of citizens.

B. & M. GIVES CONSENT TO RECEIVERSHIP

Files Answer to Complaint Announcing That Matters Contained in It Are True.

STOCKHOLDERS TO CONTEST

Boston Association Declares There Is No Excuse for Refusal of Directors to Renew Credit.

BOSTON, Aug. 23.—In answer to the petition for a receiver for the Boston & Maine Railroad, which was filed in the United States District Court yesterday, the road today announced its consent to an order appointing a receiver and averred that the matters contained in the bill of complaint are true. The answer was filed late today by George L. Mayberry, counsel for the railroad. That receiver proceedings would be sharply contested, however, was indicated in a statement issued tonight by Conrad W. Crocker, junior counsel for the Boston Minority Stockholders' Association. This statement said:

"We shall fight any such petition for the receiver of the road to the last ditch. There is no excuse for the directors' refusal to make some effort to secure a renewal of credit. The application for a receivership, and a receivership, are two quite different things, and the proceedings will give us a splendid opportunity to present our case."

The petition for a receivership filed by the Intercontinental Rubber Company of Jersey City, N. J., which holds 50,000 of the outstanding notes of the road, stated that the company's credit is so poor that it cannot issue bonds at a reasonable price and that it is unable to raise money on short-term notes. The company's outstanding notes of \$1,300,000 cannot be paid when they fall due Aug. 31.

The road's answer is brief. "Now comes the above-named defendant as for answer to the bill of complaint," it says, "and respectfully avers that the matters and things stated in said bill of complaint are true. Wherefore the defendant submits its rights to the court and consents to an order appointing a receiver, as prayed for."

It was not known tonight what date would be set for a hearing. Judge Putnam, Senior Justice of the United States District Court, is spending a vacation at Mount Kisco, Me. At the court office it was said that it was possible the papers would be presented to him within a day or two and that the time for a hearing would be made known soon after that.

The bill in equity filed yesterday was made a matter of record by the District Court here today. Power and authority to receive all the assets and property owned and controlled by the Boston & Maine, including its score of leased lines, would be vested in the receiver, if the prayer of the petition is granted, with the special stipulation that creditors be restrained from interfering with the receivers in any way.

The road's inability to make payments on the notes and to procure extensions again will result in a multiplicity of suits against the road, it was said. The road's answer to the bill of complaint is brief. "Now comes the above-named defendant as for answer to the bill of complaint," it says, "and respectfully avers that the matters and things stated in said bill of complaint are true. Wherefore the defendant submits its rights to the court and consents to an order appointing a receiver, as prayed for."

SHOWS THE EFFECT ON WORLD'S TRADE

Federal Bureau's Report Demonstrates How Nations Have Suffered from Blockade.

ALLIES' LOSSES SMALLER

But Their Exports Have in General Declined Heavily Since the Conflict Began.

Special to The New York Times. WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—In a report on business activity in the United States and leading foreign countries sent to Chairman Simmons of the Senate Finance Committee, the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce makes these observations based on a study of statistics of world trade:

1. Periods of general business activity or depression are world-wide and are not as a rule confined to any one country.

2. Business activities were fairly normal in the various countries of the world during the two years preceding the outbreak of the war.

3. In every country, including the United States, there was a decided decline in business activity after July, 1914.

4. The period of business depression following the outbreak of the war was of four to six months in most of the neutral countries. In the belligerent countries the upward trend did not begin until the last few months of 1915.

There was a slight depression in business activity in the United States in the latter part of 1913 and early in 1914. The outbreak of the war, however, caused a decided decline in the United States as in other countries for several months after July, 1914.

The United States, at the close of the war, April, 1916, had entered upon a period of business activity that had been parallel in the history of the country.

The tables included in the report show the trade conditions in foreign countries since the war began. Imports of merchandise were affected as follows in the countries named:

Canada.—Decreased from \$359,005,000 in 1913 to \$240,548,000 in 1915. United Kingdom.—Increased from \$2,741,047,000 in 1913 to \$4,154,804,000 in 1915. France.—Decreased from \$1,625,317,000 in 1913 to \$1,558,768,000 in 1915. Available figures for Germany do not show a decline in imports of merchandise from the United States in 1915. The figures of exports of merchandise from foreign countries show these results:

Canada.—Increased from \$436,219,000 in 1913 to \$414,130,000 in 1915. United Kingdom.—Decreased from \$2,741,047,000 in 1913 to \$4,154,804,000 in 1915. France.—Decreased from \$1,625,317,000 in 1913 to \$1,558,768,000 in 1915. Available figures for Germany do not show a decline in exports of merchandise to the United States in 1915.

The value of exports from the United States in each of the years 1913, 1914, 1915, and 1916 was \$1,735,000,000, \$1,735,000,000, \$1,735,000,000, and \$1,735,000,000, respectively. The value of imports from the United States in each of the years 1913, 1914, 1915, and 1916 was \$1,735,000,000, \$1,735,000,000, \$1,735,000,000, and \$1,735,000,000, respectively.

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COTTON HOLDS GAIN AFTER CROP REPORT

Market Closes at High Level for the Day, with Bullish Favorably Active.

TALK OF 20-CENT COTTON

Weather Report Helps Upward Movement—Some Prophets Put Yield at 11,000,000 Bales.

Cotton closed firm and steady yesterday at a net gain of 18 to 21 points, after a season of unusual irregularity, with strength as the predominating feature. Early reports of good rains in North and West Central Texas caused a sharp over-night break, which sent prices off about 15 points from Tuesday's closing. This was the lowest level of the day, as offerings were very well taken on the break, and a sharp recovery followed.

After the publication of the weekly weather report was considered an advance to new high levels was established, with a maximum gain of about 30 points. The close was only about 3 to 5 points down from the top.

The market shows a feverish tone. The bulls are rampant and cautious. The bears are reluctant and cautious. The market is a battle between the bulls and the bears. The bulls are the ones who are the most bullish ever published at this time of year. It is said that while there had been some improvement in Central and Northwestern districts, the crop was still in a very unsatisfactory condition in practically all of the Gulf States. Frequent showers in South Texas and continued dry weather in Northwestern and Southern districts had produced unfavorable conditions. Damage by weevil is said to continue in the Central States. Gulf States. The market was additional unfavorable comment, with emphasis laid on shedding and

There was said to be a fairly good demand. Range of prices: August, 1916, 15.15 to 15.20; September, 15.15 to 15.20; October, 15.15 to 15.20; November, 15.15 to 15.20; December, 15.15 to 15.20; January, 15.15 to 15.20; February, 15.15 to 15.20; March, 15.15 to 15.20; April, 15.15 to 15.20; May, 15.15 to 15.20; June, 15.15 to 15.20; July, 15.15 to 15.20; August, 15.15 to 15.20; September, 15.15 to 15.20; October, 15.15 to 15.20; November, 15.15 to 15.20; December, 15.15 to 15.20; January, 15.15 to 15.20; February, 15.15 to 15.20; March, 15.15 to 15.20; April, 15.15 to 15.20; May, 15.15 to 15.20; June, 15.15 to 15.20; July, 15.15 to 15.20; August, 15.15 to 15.20; September, 15.15 to 15.20; October, 15.15 to 15.20; November, 15.15 to 15.20; December, 15.15 to 15.20; January, 15.15 to 15.20; February, 15.15 to 15.20; March, 15.15 to 15.20; April, 15.15 to 15.20; May, 15.15 to 15.20; June, 15.15 to 15.20; July, 15.15 to 15.20; August, 15.15 to 15.20; September, 15.15 to 15.20; October, 15.15 to 15.20; November, 15.15 to 15.20; December, 15.15 to 15.20; 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NEW PROPOSALS OF RAILWAY HEADS HALT PEACE PLANS

Will Ask President to Offer
Modified Terms to the
Brotherhoods.

MEN THREATEN TO STRIKE

Chairmen, Hearing of Fresh
Turn, Demand Imme-
diate Action.

ROADS WANT ASSURANCES

Talk of the President Playing Pol-
itics and Ask "What If He
Should Not Be Re-elected?"

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—The railroad strike situation took a sinister turn to-night when the railway Presidents de-
cided to submit to President Wilson to-
morrow a reply to his plan of settle-
ment, which, instead of being a flat ac-
ceptance, will offer a new proposal to
be submitted to the brotherhoods. Those
who attended the meeting of the rail-
road Presidents and managers at which
the decision was reached said they un-
derstood that President Wilson had
promised to submit the new proposal to
the brotherhoods.

When this report was taken to the
leaders there was excitement in the
lobby of the National Hotel. The heads
of the brotherhoods refused to believe
it, and the members of the faction that
has been fostering a revolt because of
delay loudly declared that if they were
asked to take less than was provided
in Mr. Wilson's original plan, they
would quit diplomatic negotiations and
start a strike. It is said that the labor
leaders have told the 960 chairmen that
the President had promised not to sub-
mit any other proposal.

At the White House no information
was forthcoming as to what promises
the President had made. In Adminis-
tration circles the idea was scouted
that Mr. Wilson would submit new pro-
posals to the unions.

Presidents Report Progress.

The meeting of the railway Presidents
and Managers today took place at 3
o'clock, after the Committee of Three
designated by the railway executives
had been in conference with President
Wilson at the White House. Just be-
fore the visit to the White House the
railway Presidents issued this state-
ment:

"We are making progress in clarify-
ing our understanding. There are many
angles to this subject which require
study. This we are pursuing as rap-
idly as possible."

The Committee of Three—Daniel Wil-
lard of the Baltimore & Ohio, Hale Hol-
den of the Burlington, and Judge R. S.
Lovett of the Union Pacific—had got
from President Wilson assurances that
he would do what he could to bring
about a rate increase and a new agree-
ment that the railway executives had
justified it. The committee seemed satisfied
with that. But with the rank and file of
the railway Presidents it was different.

"How do we know that Wilson will
be re-elected?" was asked. "If Hughes
is elected, will he carry out Wilson's
policy?" was another question. It
was reported that some of the Pres-
idents were in favor of giving out a
statement that the President was play-
ing politics with the 400,000 votes of the
brotherhoods.

Some of the Presidents argued that
Mr. Wilson's promises had been too gen-
eral and that they wanted some more
definite assurance of remuneration than
had been given. It was suggested that
the President should at once ask
Congress to pass the pending bill, add-
ing two members to the Interstate
Commerce Commission.

After the meeting this statement was
issued by the railway Presidents:

"At the invitation of President Wil-
son, Daniel Willard, Judge R. S. Lovett,
and Hale Holden went to the White
House at noon and held a short con-
ference with the President.

A conference of the railroad execu-
tives was held at 3 o'clock and a new
phase of the situation of some impor-
tance was laid before the conference by
the special committee.

"After considerable discussion with-
out definite action was taken, the spe-
cial committee of the railroad execu-
tives, in the meantime the special com-
mittee of Presidents will continue its
labors."

According to the usual source of in-
formation from the railroads, the new
phase was the submission to President
Wilson of a new proposal to be sub-
mitted to the brotherhoods.

Want Pay Arbitrated.

The new proposal, it is known, will
provide for the eight-hour day, work
providing for an increase in pay over what
the men now get for eight hours' work,
but providing that a man shall not get
eight hours' pay for five hours' work.
It is often the case under present sched-
ules. This will not be incorporated in
tomorrow's proposal, because of the as-
surance that at the present stage the
unions would not accept it.

Gun Firing in North Sea Heard on Dutch Island

AMSTERDAM, Aug. 24. (via Lon-
don.)—Advices received here today
from the Dutch island of Ameland, in
the North Sea, state that continued
and heavy gun firing, from the north,
has been audible all through the
morning.

PRESIDENT TO PUSH TARIFF BOARD FIGHT

Resolved That Plan Indorsed in
All Political Platforms Shall
Not Be Throttled.

FOES IN CONGRESS ACTIVE

Reduction of Salaries and Other
Moves Alarm Friends of
the Measure.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—It was said
at the White House today that in spite
of the close attention he was obliged to
give to the threatened railroad strike,
President Wilson was showing a deep
interest in saving the provisions of the
pending General Revenue bill for the
creation of a permanent tariff board.
The President was showing a deep in-
terest in saving the provisions of the
important legislation from becoming futile.
Those interested in the necessity for
scientific tariff revision, free from po-
litical influences, are fearful, however,
that their work, which appeared to be
about to have a successful outcome,
will be ineffective unless the friends of
the President in the Senate insist
on the restoration of the original pro-
visions of the Tariff Commission sec-
tions of the revenue measure.

The Democratic, the Republican, and
the Progressive Parties in their national
platforms have indorsed the idea of sci-
entific tariff revision through a com-
mission. In spite of this efforts have
been made in both houses to rob the
pending measure of its effectiveness
through various amendments of the Tar-
iff Commission bills as originally intro-
duced by Representative Rainey of Illi-
nois.

The salary of each member of the
commission was fixed in the Rainey bill
at \$12,000, but through various devices
it has been reduced to \$7,500, and is
fixed at that figure in the Senate bill.
It was by orders of the Democratic
caucus that the Finance Committee of
the Senate reduced the salary of each
Commissioner from \$10,000 to \$7,500.
This caucus action was taken on the
same night that the caucus had decided
that the salary should remain at \$10,000.

Another Blow to It.

The effort to make the tariff com-
mission ineffective was also illustrated
by the adoption of a Senate caucus
for a longer period than two years.
The intent of this amendment was ob-
vious. When the tariff bill was origi-
nally introduced, it was intended that
the commission should not engage quar-
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If the movement to reduce the salaries
of Tariff Commissioners to \$7,500 is suc-
cessful it will be followed by an attempt
to have Congress reduce the salaries of
members of the Interstate Commerce
Commission and the Federal Trade Com-
mission from \$10,000 to \$7,500, and pos-
sibly to reduce the salaries of the mem-
bers of the Federal Trade Board and the
Farm Loan Board. Senators unfriendly
to the Tariff Commission advance the
argument that members of Federal com-
missions should not receive higher pay
than Senators. The salary of a Senator
is \$7,500.

Peril After the War.

"It is quite as necessary to prepare
for peace as it is for war," said Mr.
Gross. "When the physical struggle in
Europe ceases a trade war will begin,
in which the whole world will face a
readjustment in which tariffs and tariff
treaties will be a main factor. The
world will be after our markets and we
will go out for foreign trade."

"The building of the game, whether we
win or no, and we will be playing it
against the most highly trained intel-
lects, fortified with exact knowledge.
The President saw this six months ago,
and had the courage to completely re-
verse himself and his party upon the
question of such a commission."

"It is a big job for big men. When
the Rainey bill was drawn the salaries,
with the approval of the President, were
fixed at \$12,000, the same as the Federal Re-
serve Board. The Ways and Means
Committee, however, reduced it to
\$10,000, and then the House upon its
passage, cut it to \$7,500."

"It is now before the Senate at that
figure, but a strong effort is being made
to raise the salary to the original figure
and to restore the permanent appropria-
tion so that the commission would not
be harassed and disciplined as was
the Civil Service Commission a few
years ago."

"Without battling an eye, both houses,
by practically a unanimous vote, created
the Rural Credit Commission at salaries
of \$10,000, although its duties and re-
sponsibilities will be far less than that
of the Tariff Commission."

GERMANY EXULTS OVER SAFE RETURN OF DEUTSCHLAND

Cities Decked in Flags and
Bremen Plans a Big Fete

When Craft Docks Today.

CONGRATULATED BY KAISER

Captain Koenig and Crew Will
Be Decorated—They Praise
American Neutrality.

SISTER SHIP IN MID-OCEAN

Bremen Is Expected Soon at New
London, Whither the Liner
Willhead Is Bound.

Bremen in Mid-Ocean, Due "in a Few Days"

LONDON, Aug. 24.—The German
submarine Bremen, reported to be
proceeding to the United States, is
well on her way, according to a dis-
patch from Copenhagen. This quote
Alfred Lohmann, head of the com-
pany which owns the Bremen, as
saying he has received a message
from the submarine, and it will ar-
rive in America in a few days. The
bulk of the cargo, Bremen, forward-
ed from The Hague by the Exchange
Telegraph Company, says that the
owners of the Deutschland and the
Bremen received word seven days
ago of the progress being made by
the Deutschland on her return voy-
age, and that it was not until they
obtained this news that they per-
mitted the Bremen to depart.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

BREMEN, Aug. 24.—All German
exulting tonight over the safe return to
home waters of the submarine trader
Deutschland. The little craft arrived
at the mouth of the River Weser at
about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon.
Having traveled only 100 miles under
water on her voyage of 4,200 miles.

As the Deutschland was sighted from
the shore at Bremerhaven many
boats left to meet her and accompany
her on her triumphant entry into port.
Captain Paul Koenig dropped anchor
while still in the open waters, al-
though close to the mouth of the river.
Hearty greetings were exchanged be-
tween the men on the deck of the mer-
cantile U-boat and the occupants of the
boats which were swarming around her.
The Deutschland, which has been in
captivity since the outbreak of the war,
except Alfred Lohmann and Herr Sta-
penfeld, the latter being one of the Di-
rectors of the company which owns her.
Bremen never heard of the Deutsch-
land's arrival until after 7 o'clock, and
Berlin not until after 9. In both cities,
as well as many others in Germany, an
event was made known by the distribu-
tion of extra editions of the news-
papers and by the reading of tele-
grams at the principal cafes, restau-
rants, hotels, and theatres. Every-
where there was rejoicing as if Field
Marshal von Hindenburg had won an-
other victory. But the players in this
game were not the Kaiser and his min-
isters. The State railways, and the
dangers of war and weather. Mean-
while Alfred Lohmann had received
Captain Koenig's report: "All
well on board."

American Neutrality Praised.

Captain and crew were full of praise
for the American people and the strict
neutrality observed by the American
Government. The American people,
the Kaiser said, was most zealous
in maintaining strict neutrality.

The Deutschland will be met to-mor-
row by two excursion steamers full of
Americans, and will be accompanied by
German journalists, Princes, leading
statesmen and other personages who
are pouring into the city on every train
from Berlin for the spectacular recep-
tion which will be staged on the wind-
ing river.

All the villages and towns, as well as
the old Hanseatic city, are straining
every nerve to give the loyal welcome to
the Deutschland. The State railways,
as well as the tram car companies are
arranging for extra trains to convey the
multitudes to points of vantage from
which the procession of decorated craft
can be viewed.

The aged Count Zeppelin, who from
the very start has displayed the most
exclusive of the economies of war. For
ocean trade in peace times merchant
submarines are of no importance. The
return voyage of the Deutschland fills
us all with the utmost satisfaction and
pride. We have, to be sure, never en-
tertained the slightest fear that this
enterprise would fail, but had luck was

England Twice Raided by German Airmen But Professes No Fear of Super-Zeppelins

LONDON, Friday, Aug. 25, 1:25 A. M.
—German airships have again carried
out a raid on the east and southeast
coasts of England, dropping bombs, ac-
cording to an official communication is-
sued early this morning. The commu-
nication says:

Several airships crossed the east and
southeast coasts of England shortly
before midnight. A number of bombs
were dropped, but there has been no
report of casualties or damage.

The east coast of England was vis-
ited on Wednesday night by a hostile
airship which dropped bombs in the
fields, but did no damage.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
LONDON, Aug. 24.—During the present
spell of relatively dark nights discus-
sions as to the chances of a Zeppelin
visit to London are frequent. While of-
ficial quarters are necessarily reticent
on the subject, it may be said that the
general popular impression is that the
hood of a successful raid on the metrop-
olis has been reduced to a minimum,
and predictions of one on London, in-
dulged in by Anton Kendrick in an article
in The New York Times, extensive ex-
tracts from which were cable to Lon-
don papers, have caused much more
amusement than apprehension.

In this connection today's Star says:
"It is quite clear that the German Gov-
ernment wants to spread terror in Eng-
land by the use of the super-Zeppelin,
and to send here in October. Their ob-
ject in so doing is to cause civil
disobedience and to divert the British
authorities and so force them to divert
this country anti-aircraft guns and aro-
planes, which would be more usefully
employed against the German army
front. In this enterprise they rely on
the assistance of fussy press and news-
papers who are doing their best to cause

alarm by spreading these stories. The
fact that the German Government takes
the trouble to have them cable to New
York is prima facie evidence that they
are false, and Lord Montagu's cam-
paign is wholly unavailing, and with
machine guns on top of the envelope for
dealing with aeroplane attacks from
above."

Lord Montagu was criticizing the
British air defense and advocating the
creation of the office of Air Lord as
adjunct to the Admiralty Board. He
said: "Those who have derided the su-
per-Zeppelin campaign, and who have
times forgot that when the Government
could not protect it, it should at least
be able to defend itself. So far from
despising the Zeppelins our attitude
as a nation should be that we should
be able to defend ourselves against them."

In some respects the provincial view
of the Zeppelin question differs from
that of London. For instance, the
Manchester Guardian applauds Lord
Montagu's campaign, and says that the
position is that, except for the London
area, which the Germans for the present
are not attacking, the Zeppelins have been
coming and going with virtual impunity,
and this is intolerable."

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—In a long
report received by Secretary Lansing to-
day by mail from James W. Gerard,
Ambassador at Berlin, the statement is
made that Grand Admiral von Tirpitz
has issued a "manifesto" to the effect
that the United States is in violation of
the laws of the sea.

The manifesto, which is a long and
unrestricted submarine warfare on mer-
chant vessels. The text of the man-
ifesto was not forwarded by Ambassador
Gerard, but he will be called upon to
give more detailed information regarding it.
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give more detailed information regarding it.

Whether representations are to be
made by the United States Government
will depend, it is understood, on the
exact facts in the case. The interest of
the United States is understood to be
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LONDON, Aug. 24.—George Hill & Co.

TIRPITZ DEMANDS NEW U-BOAT WAR

Kaiser's Ex-Minister of Marine
Issues a "Manifesto," Urging
Return to His Sea Policy.

GERARD NOTIFIES LANSING

Washington Officials Concerned
Over News and Will Ask Am-
bassador for Details.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—In a long
report received by Secretary Lansing to-
day by mail from James W. Gerard,
Ambassador at Berlin, the statement is
made that Grand Admiral von Tirpitz
has issued a "manifesto" to the effect
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FRENCH TAKE ALL MAUREPAS AND PUSH ON; BRITISH TIGHTENING GRIP ON THIEPVAL; RUSSIA READY TO STRIKE IN THE BALKANS

Trenches Wiped Out in 72-Hour Storm of Steel
as French Shell German Lines on 30-Mile Front

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Aug. 24.—The latest news from the Somme front emphasizes
the methodical character of the French offensive. Wise in past experience,
General Foch leaves nothing to chance; he initiates no movement before
taking all measures to insure its complete execution.

The recent German counterattacks, combined with aeroplane activity on
a scale unusual since the beginning of July, indicate not only the arrival
of reinforcements, but a determination to check at all costs, if possible, the
French tide that is steadily swamping their fortifications.

Consequently, the whole German front from Guilleumont to Soyecourt
has been overwhelmed for the last seventy-two hours by a French artillery
storm which eyewitnesses describe as far surpassing anything hitherto ex-
perienced. The bombardment was first directed chiefly upon a cluster of
battlement hills, seamed by steep valleys, north of the Somme. It spread
after twenty-four hours to the flatter country south of the river and along
the front from Lihons to Lassigny, (a total distance of thirty miles.) The
German trenches were first cut off from reinforcements or supplies by the
concentration upon communication trenches. Escape was impossible, and
the German casualties must have been exceptionally heavy, because the
trenches were filled with troops brought up especially for counterattacks.

An artillery Lieutenant who arrived in Paris on leave this morning
gives me the following description of what he saw Tuesday night from an
observation post just north of Soyecourt:

"I was ordered to watch a section of German trench running some 150
yards along the edge of a small covert. It linked with an extensive trench
system behind the wood by two communication trenches whose position
we knew fairly accurately. On reaching the post the local commander re-
ported at least two full companies of Germans opposite. His section had
been subjected to a heavy fire and he expected an attack at nightfall. It
was then about 6 P. M.

"It was a brief but horrible sight. At first there was a series of earth
fountains along the trench line, followed by great cones of smoke, which
slowly collected over the wood itself, until the latter was hidden. Through
glasses I could see that whole sections of trench had closed up, burying the
defenders. Constantly human limbs and bodies were visible among the
upthrown earth and debris. At intervals a gray-green form would leap
swiftly backward from the trenches, but the hazard from the incessant
rain of steel fragments was too great, and gradually there grew a line
of motionless bodies among the brushwood. I counted thirty-seven after
three-quarters of an hour.

"After eighty minutes I signaled, 'trench demolished,' and the bom-
bardment ceased. I would have defied any one to point out where the
trench had been. There was nothing but a line of hollows, hillocks, and
shellholes. As the smoke cleared, I saw how excellent had been the aim on
the communication trenches. Two open roads, each twenty feet wide,
had been blasted through the wood. It was only the bodies, lying thick
along both, that showed they had indeed been communication trenches."

"I continued to watch. Here and there a wounded survivor dragged
himself painfully amid the tree stumps. Perhaps a few survived in the
deepest dugouts, but as a practical unit the half battalion had ceased to
exist. And remember, that was a tiny sector. Add the total of such cases
along the whole front, and you will realize why our victory is certain."

RUSSIAN ARMY ON RUMANIAN BORDER THIEPVAL CAUGHT IN HAIG'S NIPPERS

Rumania Also Massing Troops
on the Lower Danube
and the Pruth.

BULGARS GET MUNITIONS

Austrians Rushing Shells to Al-
bania—Serbs Retake Positions
on Saloniki Line.

Shells Make New Hills and De-
pressions Around the Cap-
tured Positions.

By PHILIP GIBBS.

The London Daily Chronicle Dispatches.
Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN
THE WESTERN FRONT, Aug. 22, (Delayed.)—The
British are drawing very close to Thiepval. Standing yesterday on high ground
to the right of the windmill by Pozières,
within 500 yards of Martinpuich, I could
see how near the British lines had been
pushed to both these places.

Thiepval I had seen several times from
the western side, but yesterday I stood
to the southeast of it looking straight
across the cemetery of Pozières to a
long line of branchless trees and broken
roofs, where the German garrison
awaits its certain doom. That doom
crept a little nearer last evening, when
some of the English troops left their
trenches south of Leipzig road, and, fol-
lowing in the wake of a terrific bom-
bardment on a short line of the German
position, took that section quickly by
assault. It was highly organized, and
the grim bit of work was very quickly
done, and with few casualties on the
British side.

As soon as the guns had lifted after
a concentrated fire which tore up the
ground and made utter chaos of the
German line of trench the British fol-
lowed. They went over in two waves
and in a double number of killed, and
thoroughly sick of war, like most of
his comrades, and that Verdun, from
which he had just come, was a heaven
compared to the battlefields of Picardy.
Some time after the assault German
troops were observed massing for a
counterattack behind the captured po-
sition.

In less than a quarter of an hour the
fight was over. The Germans must
have suffered heavily. The British guns
caught them during a relief, which
means there was a double garrison, re-
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AMSTERDAM, Friday, Aug. 25.—Three
Austrian trains are arriving daily at
Orsova (a Hungarian town on the
Danube near the Serbian and Rumanian
borders) with ammunition, which is
being conveyed in barges to Bulgarian
ports lower down the Danube River,
says an Odessa dispatch to The Daily
Mail.

A great quantity of explosives and

THE DOGMA THAT THERE IS NO JUSTICE

SHAW HURT IN POLO TILT.

len Cove Captain Struck by Mallet
In Match Won by Newport.

Special to The New York Times

caused the defeat of Glen Cove at
slo here today at the Westchester Polo
club field in the finals for the Thorn
memorial Cup. The score was 5 to 4
Newport's favor, but the visitors
at one goal by penalties.

the second period by a mallet while in mixup on the sideboards in front of

in his body and was carried to the subhouse, bleeding profusely. After Mr. Jacoby had bandaged his head Mr. Shaw was able to walk to his car assisted. It is hoped that the in-

the final for the gold medal on Saturday. J. C. Cooley was substituted for Shaw, and though he played

Young C. V. Whitney was the star of the Newport mallet welders, for he carried four of his team's five tallies. A large crowd attended the game because of the fog which almost obscured the players from the vision of the spectators. On Saturday Aiken will play Warragansett in the finals for the gold mallet. Wanamaker and Cooley each made a safety, while Wanamaker crossed Drage in the sixth. The summary:

NEWPORT.	GLEN COVE.
1-P. Stevenson.	1-J. J. Burdette, Jr.
2-C. V. Whitney.	2-R. G. Shaw, 2d.
3-L. Taiter.	3-J. C. Cooley.

Score-Newport, 5, Glen Cove, 4.
Goals made—For Newport: C. V. Whitney,
J. J. Drago. For Glen Cove: R. Wana-
maker, Jr. (3), R. G. Shaw, Ed. J. C. Cooley.
J. J. Drago, J. J. Drago, Jr., safeties against
Wanamaker, Jr., and J. C. Cooley.
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MEXICO CONFERENCE BEGINS HERE SEPT. 4

First Session Will Be Held at the
Biltmore, Mr. Rodgers Accompanying
Mexicans North.

TRAIN IS BEING PREPARED

Mexican Capital Interested in Possibilities
of Railway and
Financial Settlements Here.

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 24.—James Linn Rodgers, American representative to the Carranza Government, formally made it known to the Foreign Office here today that the preliminary conference of the representatives of the United States and Mexico for the settlement of international difficulties would be held at the Hotel Biltmore in New York on Monday, Sept. 4. The Mexican representatives will probably leave here on Saturday.

The final conference, it was said, would be held at some place on the New England coast.

Mr. Rodgers has been ordered by the State Department to accompany the Mexican Commission. He will act in the capacity of adviser to the American Commissioners in regard to various details of Mexican affairs. The Mexican Commissioners will be the United States by way of Eagle Pass.

American affairs in Mexico will be left in the hands of Charles B. Parker, who is now in charge of the records of the American Embassy.

Will Depart Without Delay.

A train is being put in readiness for the use of the Mexican commissioners on their journey to the United States. The latest estimate of the time for the trip to New York is six days, so that it is believed here there will be little delay in the departure of the commissioners after they have received their final instructions.

Alberto J. Pani, President of the National Railways of Mexico and one of the Mexican commissioners, declined today to discuss the possibility of a meeting in New York with American railway men, but the impression here is that he will take the opportunity of his visit to the United States to negotiate regarding the turning over of the Mexican national lines, which are now held and operated by the Government under the plea of military necessity, to the railway company.

In this connection the possibility of reorganization of the company and the passing of control to the hands of certain oil interests is being discussed here.

Luis Cabrera, President of the Mexican Commission, when asked today if he would confer with American bankers when in New York, declined to say anything except that he expected to be busy with the affairs of the conference while in that city.

Postal Rates Are Advanced.

An increase in postal rates to take effect Sept. 1 was announced today. In the case of first-class mail the advance will be from 20 to 25 centavos for letters to the United States, Cuba or Canada. The charge will be 30 centavos for mail to other countries in the inter-American postal union and one peso for letters to countries not included in the union. The parcels post rates will be United States and its possessions, 12 cents Mexican gold a pound up to eleven pounds; for Central American countries, 12 cents; Canada, 30 cents; Germany and France, 40 cents; for parcels of 25 pounds or less: England, \$1.00 for parcels up to eleven pounds.

The fee for registering mail will be increased from 40 to 50 centavos.

INDIANS KILL CARRANZISTAS.

Battalion of 200 Men All but Wiped
Out in Sonora Canyon.

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Aug. 24.—The Twenty-second Battalion, Sonora Infantry, was practically annihilated after it had been ambushed by Yaqui Indians near Baramonte, in the Alamos district, about ten days ago, according to reports brought here today by arrivals from Sahuaripa, 250 miles south of the frontier.

Reports of growing unrest in Western Sonora also were received in private dispatches from Hermosillo. These gave the monetary and industrial situation as the chief cause.

The Mexican Government troops, about 200 strong, were passing through Sahuaripa when the Indians fell upon them according to the meagre reports here.

Arrivals said also the Yaquis were committing numerous depredations in the district, and that many of the residents have fled to the mountains.

At Sahuaripa, under Colonel Achuetta, has been so reduced by desertion as to be unable to take the field.

LEGALISTS GO TO MEXICO.

Small Force Leaves Texas Town—
Hearst Property Seized.

Special to The New York Times.
EL PASO, Texas, Aug. 24.—General Manuel Ochoa, a former Villista commander, crossed the river below Sierra Blanca, Texas, last night with forty men to join Colonel Mariano Tamez and his followers in the Legalista movement. General Ochoa has been a refugee here and organized his force during the past week.

Carranza troops have taken possession of the houses, stock, and furniture of the "Phoebe" ranch at Santana, Chihuahua, and have placed a Carranza officer in charge. Carranza officers have refused to restore the property to the Hearst manager upon his request through General Gonzales in Juarez.

LEGISLATION FOR GUARD.

Vermont and Connecticut Assemblies
to Consider Pay and Voting.

MONTEPELIER, Vt., Aug. 24.—The Vermont Legislature met in special session today, called together by Governor Gates to take action to provide for the support of dependents of members of the National Guard on duty on the border. Another matter which it was thought might be aired at the session was the question of enacting legislation which would permit the guardsmen to vote on the border in the Vermont primaries.

Governor Gates in a message to the Assembly suggested the propriety of apportioning money for soldiers' pay and relief, while the committees in charge of relief work appeared before House and Senate committees to report on their conditions. Three bills drafted by the Committee on Military Affairs were presented in the House. They provided for State pay or allowances for the militia while in service.

HARTFORD, Conn., Aug. 24.—Governor Holcomb today called the General Assembly to convene at 10 o'clock on Sept. 12, to provide for taking the vote of the Connecticut soldiers on the border.

Previously been called since the civil war.

SHIPPING AND MAILS.

Miniature Almanac for Today.

(By the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey.)

Sun rises, 5:14; sets, 8:49; moon rises, 8:05.

THE TIDES.

High Water, Low Water.

Sandy Hook, 5:30, 11:30, 11:35.

Governors Island, 5:35, 11:38, 12:00.

Hell Gate, 5:34, 11:38, 12:00.

Arrived—Thursday, A. P. 24.

SS Euphrates, Rotterdam, Aug. 5.

SS City of New York, Seattle, Aug. 13.

SS Parola, Baltimore, Aug. 18.

SS Mandeville, Jamaica, Aug. 18.

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THINK 'BLUE FLEET' HAS MET INVADERS

Navy Enforces Rigid Censorship
After Receiving Word That
Mayo's Ships Are Located.

SOME WARSHIPS AT NEWPORT

Have Probably Been "Captured or
Destroyed," Although Officers
Won't Tell What Happened.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24.—Navy officials believed it possible tonight that the "red" and "blue" fleets had come into contact somewhere off the Atlantic coast, and were enacting the closing scenes of the great war game which began two days ago. A strict censorship was imposed, however, by Rear Admiral Benson, acting secretary and chief of operations, on all reports reaching the department.

A message early today from Rear Admiral Helm, commanding the "blue" fleet, indicated that his scouts might have located either the "red" fleet or its phantom train of transports, hypothetically loaded with men and supplies of an invading army which Admiral Mayo is trying to land on the coast of the United States. There were indications also that further reports had come showing that the "blue" fleet was hurrying toward its enemy, and that the second day of the war game was being fought at sea.

Admiral Benson would not discuss the progress of the game further than to say that it was possible a theoretical battle was taking place tonight. It is known, however, that Admiral Helm is sweeping the ocean with a line of scouts covering several hundred miles. They are searching for a phantom fleet at intervals of thirty miles. Any change in the course of one wing of the line requires altering the course of all scouts in order that a gap shall not be left through which the enemy fleet could slip for an attack upon the coast.

Rainy or misty weather may seriously hamper the defending scouts, as the thirty-mile intervals are wide enough to permit the enemy to slip by under such conditions. But that reason is not ready if the enemy invades the coast, and the line of scouts is being maintained and close to the coast, behind the defending battle line. The submarine force is being kept in readiness to attack any invading force. Early today the navy intelligence officers discovered a "phantom" fleet of transports and tanks at Narragansett and to destroy the tankers in the naval waters of the United States. The outcome of the pending battle will be determined by Rear Admiral Knight, who is in command of the "blue" fleet. The outcome of the pending battle will be determined by Rear Admiral Knight, who is in command of the "blue" fleet.

Special to The New York Times.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 24.—Several of the warships recently engaged in the naval war game now going on in the waters around Narragansett Bay today were seen by the navy intelligence officers. The warships included the flagship, the battleship USS Oregon, and the cruiser USS Albany, and the auxiliary ship USS Albatross.

Owing to the strict censorship regarding any news of the war game, it is not known whether these ships are in for fuel or have been captured since their departure from Narragansett Bay last Monday. The navy intelligence officers here are bottled up tight, and the officers of the returning ships will not talk. Therefore it is presumed the ships were captured.

It is known here that the ships have been in very bad weather with a strong breeze and rough sea, since yesterday. Between Cape Hatteras and Block Island, where the submarines are supposed to be in part.

ARCHIBALD CASE HURT.

Son of Noted Army Engineer Suffers a Fractured Skull.

Archibald Case, son of Major J. F. Case, the army engineer who had charge of building the sewers in Havana, Cuba, at the time of the American occupation and who was Director of Public Works in the Philippines, lies mortally injured on a cot in St. John's Hospital, Long Island City.

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Foreign Ports.

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25 Atlantic Refining Co.
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PUBLIC UTILITIES

Transactions in Stocks and

Bonds—Quotations for Rail-

way, Light and Power Issues.

The following range of prices and closing quotations were reported to the New York Times yesterday by dealers in public utility securities. The trading in these securities is done privately over the counter, and this record gives only those trades which are reported by the dealers making them:

STOCKS. Closing.

Adirondack Electric Power... 25 1/2

American Electric Power... 25 1/2

American Gas & Electric... 25 1/2

American Light & Traction... 25 1/2

American Public Utilities... 25 1/2

American Water Works... 25 1/2

American W. & E. Pfd... 25 1/2

Atlantic P. & L. Pfd... 25 1/2

Boston Edison Pfd... 25 1/2

Carolina Power & Light... 25 1/2

Central Mass. Valley Pfd... 25 1/2

Central States Electric... 25 1/2

Central Valley Electric... 25 1/2

Cities Service Pfd... 25 1/2

Colorado Power Pfd... 25 1/2

Columbia Electric Pfd... 25 1/2

Connecticut Power Pfd... 25 1/2

Dallas Electric Pfd... 25 1/2

Eastern Texas Electric... 25 1/2

Eastern Texas Electric... 25 1/2

El Paso Electric... 25 1/2

Empire District Electric... 25 1/2

Empire Light & Traction... 25 1/2

Federal Light & Traction... 25 1/2

Galveston-Houston Electric... 25 1/2

Galveston-Houston Electric... 25 1/2

Gas & Electric Securities... 25 1/2

Gas & Electric Securities... 25 1/2

International Traction... 25 1/2

International Traction... 25 1/2

Interstate Electric... 25 1/2

Interstate Electric... 25 1/2

Lincoln Gas & Electric... 25 1/2

Mississippi River Power... 25 1/2

Mississippi River Power... 25 1/2

Northern Ontario L. & P... 25 1/2

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Northern States Power... 25 1/2

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Northern Texas Electric... 25 1/2

Northern Texas Electric... 25 1/2

Ohio Cities Gas... 25 1/2

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Ozark Power & Water... 25 1/2

Ozark Power & Water... 25 1/2

Pacific Gas & Electric... 25 1/2

Pacific Gas & Electric... 25 1/2

Pennsylvania Light Co... 25 1/2

Pennsylvania Light Co... 25 1/2

Republic Ry. & L. Pfd... 25 1/2

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Securities Corp. General... 25 1/2

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Southern California Edison... 25 1/2

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Standard Gas & Electric... 25 1/2

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Tampa Electric... 25 1/2

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Tenn. Ry. & L. Pfd... 25 1/2

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Toledo Traction... 25 1/2

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United Gas & Electric... 25 1/2

FRISCO ROAD RECHARTERED.

New \$450,000,000 Corporation

Emerges from Foreclosure Sale.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Aug. 24.—

Articles of incorporation for the reorganized St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad Company were filed with the Secretary of State here today, and a charter was issued. The capital stock is \$450,000,000, of which \$200,000,000 is to be preferred and the remainder common. A fee of \$225,000 was paid for the incorporation, which covers 1,832 miles of line in this State and a total mileage of 3,467.

Covering the stock, the articles state that the preferred may be issued only in series and the dividends shall not exceed 7 per cent for any single year. No dividends can be paid on the common stock until those due on the preferred have been paid.

Five directors are named, all from St. Louis and each owning ten shares of stock, with the exception of William C. Nixon, whose ownership totals 34,860. The directors are William H. Biddle, Richard T. Booth, William Evans, Thomas E. Ehrhart, Frank Hamilton, Arthur A. Hamilton, Alexander Hilton, Frank J. Johnson, John A. Middleton, Edward T. Miller, Eugene G. Nahler, William C. Nixon, Frank G. Reilly, Nathan M. Rice, and Ben T. Wood.

Application was made to the Public Service Commission for authority to issue \$140,000 of stock, enough to effect a legal organization and choose officers. Later application will be made for authority to issue the rest of the stock. The Federal District Court at St. Louis will hold a hearing next Tuesday on the matter of confirming the recent sale of the Frisco at foreclosure. If the sale is confirmed the road will be turned over to the new company.

EARNINGS.

Railroads.

ATLANTA, BIRMINGHAM & ATLANTIC—

2nd week Aug. \$24,047 \$43,888

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HOUSTON & TEXAS RAILWAY FOR quarter ended June 30—

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OUTSIDE SECURITIES

Prices Ease Off After Early

Firmness and Many Stocks.

Close with Net Losses.

Transactions in the outside security market yesterday amounted to \$78,845,445 of stocks and \$84,000 of bonds. The sales of stocks were divided as follows: Industrials, \$6,885,000; oils, \$9,940,000; and mining, \$1,000,000. The range of prices of all issues in which transactions were recorded was:

INDUSTRIALS.

Shares. Open. High. Low. Last.

3,845 Aetna Explos. 12 1/2 12 1/2 12 1/2 12 1/2

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120 Emery 10 10 10 10

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DIVIDENDS.
The American Sugar Refining Company
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Jersey City, N. J., August 31, 1916.
The Board of Directors have this day declared a 13% dividend on the Common and Preferred Stock, payable October 2, 1916, to the stockholders of record September 15, 1916.

THE MONTANA POWER COMPANY.
Preferred Stock dividend of One and Three-quarters per cent. (1 3/4%) on the Preferred Stock payable on or before September 1, 1916, to stockholders of record at the close of business September 1, 1916.

NOTICE OF DIVIDEND
AXAX RUBBER COMPANY, INC.
1706-1708 Broadway,
New York, August 25, 1916.
The Board of Directors has declared a quarterly dividend of 2 1/2% (25 cents per share) payable September 15, 1916, to the stockholders of record at the close of business August 31, 1916.

SAPULPA REFINING CO. OF OKLAHOMA
The Board of Directors declared the regular monthly dividend of 2% on the Capital Stock, payable on or before September 1, 1916, to the stockholders of record at the close of business August 31, 1916.

THE MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS RAILWAY OF TEXAS.
Coupon interest on the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway of Texas, due September 1, 1916, will be paid upon presentation at the OFFICE OF AGENT FOR RECEIVERS, 11 BROADWAY, New York, City, after September 1, 1916.

AT MEETING Directors held today at London 10 per cent. (10%) for the period from January 1, 1916, to July 31, 1916, to the stockholders of record at the close of business August 31, 1916.

AMERICAN GAS COMPANY.
104 Market Street,
Camden, N. J., August 15th, 1916.
A quarterly dividend of \$2 per share has been declared on the Capital Stock of this company, payable on or before September 1, 1916, to the stockholders of record at 8 o'clock P. M., August 15th, 1916. The checks will be mailed, after September 1, 1916, to the stockholders of record at the close of business August 31, 1916.

RAGRA COPPER COMPANY.
A quarterly dividend of 80c per share has been declared on the stock of this company, payable September 15, 1916, to the stockholders of record at the close of business August 31, 1916.

CENTRAL LEATHER COMPANY.
New York, August 22nd, 1916.
A dividend of 10c per share is hereby declared on the stock of this company, payable on or before September 1, 1916, to the stockholders of record at the close of business August 31, 1916.

COTTON AGAIN SOARS, UP 18 TO 26 POINTS

Top Prices Yesterday Show An Advance of 60 Points Since Wednesday Morning.

LIVERPOOL IS STRONG ALSO

Absence of Rains in the Southwest Encourages Bulls—Crap Outlook Poor.

Cotton yesterday went through the usual routine of establishing new high levels, and around the top prices of the season the market had registered an advance of about 60 points from the level current on the opening break of Wednesday morning. While the market was not broad, it was active, and bullish enthusiasm was reflected in the advance of the futures. The market was strong, and the price of the futures was advanced by 18 to 26 points from the level current on the opening break of Wednesday morning. The market was strong, and the price of the futures was advanced by 18 to 26 points from the level current on the opening break of Wednesday morning.

General buying on insufficient rains. Very active market. The chief motive for yesterday's buying was furnished by the absence of rain in the Southwest. The forecast continued fair weather for Arkansas, Oklahoma, and Eastern Texas, with partly cloudy and probable showers in the latter part of the day. The big bulls added to their lines, and with the exception of some quiet selling around the highest level, the market was strong. There was no indication that the larger interests were inclined to lighten their load.

Report from the Eastern belt were conflicting. Southern Georgia wired that disastrous reports were becoming numerous, while Alabama message said that the weather was ideal and that crops had improved in the latter part of the season.

Chicago, who maintain a cotton crop reporting bureau wired:

Two-thirds of the cotton crop in the United States is now in the hands of the cotton growers. The cotton crop is now in the hands of the cotton growers. The cotton crop is now in the hands of the cotton growers.

Today is the official date for sending returns to the Department of Agriculture for the cotton crop. The cotton crop is now in the hands of the cotton growers. The cotton crop is now in the hands of the cotton growers.

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COMMODITIES MARKETS

WHEAT.

The wheat market was reactionary yesterday and prices declined 1/4 to 1/2 cent. There was a general feeling of uneasiness, and the market was weak. The price of the futures was advanced by 18 to 26 points from the level current on the opening break of Wednesday morning.

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TRAVIS MUST AUDIT FAIR JUNKET BILLS

Court Holds That Controller, and Not the Legislature, Should Pass on Expenditures.

WHITMAN MADE THE TRIP

The Controller is Also Among Those Alleged to Have Spent State Funds Improperly.

The financial Chronicle makes the consumption of cotton of all kinds for the year 1915-16, to be 1,000,000 bales, against 1,000,000 bales last year. Market closed very steady.

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THE WEATHER

Generally fair today and Sunday;
moderate change in temperature;
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For full weather report see page 15.

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BRITISH AND SERBS GAIN IN BALKANS

Cavalry Cross the Angista River
and Destroy Bridges, De-
spite Heavy Fire.

GUNS ACTIVE NEAR DOIRAN

Alexander's Troops Report ap-
preciable Progress On the
Allies Left Wing.

VENIZELOS SEES A CRISIS

Ex-Premier Urges Greek People to
be Calm, but He Favors
Demonstrations.

One Word That Changed the Balkan War News

An odd error in cable transmission
gave to last night's war news a sen-
sational turn which proved to be
quite misleading. The French official
report was sent out early in the
night as reading:
The towns of Kavala and Drama,
which are still occupied by Greek gar-
risons, have been attacked by the Bul-
garians.
It was so printed in the first edi-
tions of this morning's newspapers
with headlines appropriate to the
importance of such a Bulgarian
movement. An hour or so later was
received this correction:
Make paragraph read " * * * oc-
cupied by Greek garisons have been
attacked."
The "not" made all the difference
in the news.

LONDON, Aug. 25.—British and Bul-
garians have been in touch on the Ma-
cedonian front, northeast of Saloniki, and
the British troops, despite the Bulgarian
fire, destroyed three bridges over the
Angista in the vicinity of Kuchuk. This
is reported in the War Office bulletin
today.

The official bulletin of the French
War Office tells of vigorous fighting in
the Struma region.

The British official statement reads:
On Wednesday our forces destroyed
three bridges north of Neohori (other-
wise known as Yenikul, near the
Gulf of Orfano) between the Asa
Kopritsa and Kuchuk (near the An-
gista, east of Thahnos Lake) in the face
of Bulgarian opposition.

Successes against the Bulgarians all
along the line of the Serbian front in
Macedonia are reported in the Serbian
official statement of Aug. 22. The
statement reads:

On the right wing there has been an
artillery duel.
Our offensive is developing success-
fully in the centre and the Bulgarians
are being pushed back gradually to-
ward the frontier. We captured 208
men of the Third Bulgarian Division.
All the enemy counterattacks in the
vicinity of the frontier and on the left
wing were repulsed.
The positions chosen by our head-
quarters are being occupied and held.
The text of the French statement fol-
lows:

East of Lake Thahnos English cav-
alry patrols, outmanoeuvring the en-
emy, have crossed the River Angista,
and have blown up several bridges.
The towns of Kavala and Drama,
which are still occupied by Greek gar-
risons, have not been attacked by the
Bulgarians.

In the Struma region there has been
somewhat vigorous fighting between
the advanced corps of the two armies
and some skirmishes have occurred in
the direction of the Beles Mountains.
Toward Lake Doiran and on the
right bank of the Vardar vigorous
struggles are in progress.
Our troops are organizing the terri-
tory conquered in the neighborhood of
Ljumnica.

On our left wing the Serbian troops
have made appreciable progress in the
region of Kukuruz. Violent counter-
attacks directed by the Bulgarians
against our positions northwest of
Lake Ostrovo have been repulsed by
the Serbians, who have taken several
hundred prisoners.

Fighting between Bulgarians and
Greeks, principally at Seres, has been
reported in news dispatches from Greece
for several days past.
The advance of the Bulgarians on
Greek territory since the opening of the
Allied offensive has caused a profound
sensation in Greece, according to press
dispatches from Saloniki and Athens.
These dispatches reported that the Bul-
garian advance had been used by the
Venizelist leaders as a weapon to attack
the Government and that volunteers
were rushing to the front from all parts
of the country to aid the commander at
Serres, who had announced his intention
of resisting the invaders.

VENIZELOS URGES GREEKS TO BE CALM

Troops Are Still Offering Resist-
ance to Bulgars at Seres, Says
Their Colonel.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
ATHENS, Aug. 25. (Dispatch to the
London Daily Chronicle).—Colonel
Christodoulas has issued an explanation
of his action in resisting the Bulgars.

Says Germany Has Replaced All Merchant Ships Lost in War

COPENHAGEN, Aug. 25. (via Lon-
don).—Germany is ready now for the
competition on the sea which will take
place after the war, declares
Philip Heineken, Director of the
North German Lloyd Steamship
Line, in an interview in the Politiken
today.
Every ship destroyed during the
war had been replaced, he said, and the
North German Lloyd Line had built
four new passenger steamers
named the Zeppelin, Hindenburg,
Kolumba, and Muenchen, respec-
tively. The company, he added, also
intended to build a large number of
4,000-ton steamers of a uniform type
in order when the war is over to
enable the company to send out a
swarm of steamers with great rapid-
ity.
The submarines Deutschland and
Bremen, said Herr Heineken, would
not be used after the war, as the
cost of their operation was too
great.

8 KILLED IN LONDON BY ZEPPELIN RAIDER

36 Others Injured by Bombs
Dropped—Some Raiders
Were of New Giant Type.

LITTLE DAMAGE REPORTED

But Berlin Says Naval Batteries at
Harwich and Folkestone Were
Assailed with Good Results.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
LONDON, Saturday, Aug. 26.—One
of the Zeppelins that raided England
during Thursday reached the outskirts
of London, and the bombs which it
dropped killed three men, three women,
and two children, and injured more
or less seriously thirty-six other persons.
A dispatch to The Daily News from
Rotterdam says:

"Some super-Zeppelins, of which fre-
quent reports have come from Germany,
evidently took part in the attack on
England last night, for two of these
vessels were clearly seen on the way
west by inhabitants of the Dutch Is-
lands. Of the four Zeppelins observed on
the western coast, two were of the new
type, each of them carrying four
gondolas."
The missiles, which dealt death in
London, struck the houses in working
class neighborhoods. All the bombs
which came from the raider, (apparently
the only one which penetrated any
distance inland), fell in four well de-
fined areas. Only one of these was in a
main thoroughfare. The others were in
quiet residential districts.

In the first of these areas the sound
of the approaching airship was dis-
tinctly heard a quarter of an hour be-
fore any bombs fell. The raider made
a wide semi-circle and then began to
drop explosives.

One bomb fell near a van drawn by
two horses. One of the animals was
killed on the spot and the other had to
be destroyed. The driver was taken to
a hospital.

Another missile fell in an open yard
in front of a railway station, causing
damage to the iron fencing and break-
ing the window of the main building.
A marvelous escape was reported near
this place where a dairy was struck by
a bomb and almost wrecked. The only
room which was not damaged was one
in which all the occupants of the house,
four in number, were congregated.

Near by a bomb fell in the grounds of
some almshouses, tearing up trees by
the roots and breaking all the windows
for a long distance around. One of the
occupants was flung out of bed by the
concussion. Other occupants of these
almshouses had narrow escapes. This is
not remarkable, since much of the roof
was torn off and nearly all the win-
dows were broken. Some of the inmates
were bedridden.

In another place, where there were a
number of small houses, two of them
were completely wrecked. It is impos-
sible to imagine how any one could have
escaped.

Three Dead in One House.
From one house, now a heap of debris,
a man and woman and their little
daughter were brought out dead. Their
right-hand neighbors tried to descend
the staircase when they heard the
explosion, but they were too late. The
wife and three little children, and
all were thrown from the top of the
house.

Across the road from this little group
of houses was a quiet house which even
more curious of the sightseeing
crowds retrained from disturbing. Here
lives dangerously ill, more from shock
than from actual injury, a mother
who died one day last week.

Sleeping by her side, at the time of
the explosion, was the nurse who had at-
tended her.

A flying piece from the bomb hit
the nurse's head and she lay down. She
was removed to a local hospital. There
is little hope of her recovery.
Fragments of the bomb were recovered
in this neighborhood go to prove that
something in the nature of an aerial
bomb with a propeller or a motor, and
speed and force, was used in this latest
raid.

One child who escaped death from a
bomb was about 5 years old. When
taken to a hospital because of injuries
her first question was: "Have you got
my doll?"

Damage Loss Is Trifling.
Considering the nature of the districts
visited by the Zeppelin, the damage was
not large. Of military damage there
was none, except that some soldiers
were grazed by flying splinters. Not a
foot of railway line was injured, and
nothing done to stop any trade or in-
dustry. A few hundred pounds worth
of property was lost. In this respect the
raid was a complete failure.

Official Accounts of the Raid.
LONDON, Aug. 25.—Official bulletins
issued by the War Office say that the
damage done by the Zeppelin which
reached the outskirts of London in-
cluded the partial wrecking of an elec-
tric railway line.

BRITISH ADVANCE AGAIN ON SOMME

Push Lines Several Hundred
Yards Beyond Delville Wood
After Some Hard Fighting.

THIEFPAV SUCCESS GROWS

Trenches Captured Extend from
Nearly Half a Mile Across
the Leipsig Redoubt.

ACTIVITY NEAR ST. MIHIEL

Germans Attack at Several Places
in the Woivre Salient, but
They Are Repulsed.

LONDON, Aug. 25.—Attacking last
night along the high road that runs
from Longueval through Fiers to
Bapaume, the British gained consid-
erable ground in the face of very strong
German resistance. The fighting was
particularly severe on the northern and
eastern edges of Delville Wood. To
offset this advance the Germans de-
livered a strong counterattack on the
British lines west of Ginchy, which lies
a short distance to the east of Longue-
val. The attack was repulsed and all
through the day the German batteries
shelled the positions heavily.

According to the War Office state-
ment tonight, the British success south
of Thiepval is even more important
than reported yesterday. The trenches
captured extend across the Leipsig
salient for about 100 yards. All told, 500
prisoners were captured in this opera-
tion.

The Germans made the expected
counterattack during the night against
the New French positions southeast of
Maurepas. The attack failed, however,
with heavy losses. The French War
Office reports tonight that 600 prisoners
were taken in yesterday's fighting.

Kaiser's Son in Command.
The Germans have placed on the line
against the French between Hardecourt
and Clercy the Fifth Division of Bul-
garian reserves, the First Division of
the Prussian Guards. This guard
division is commanded in person by
Prince Eitel Friedrich, second son of
the German Emperor, and took part in
the fighting at Maurepas.

Guilleumont, where the British are en-
gaged in hard fighting, is being de-
fended by the 1st Regiment of the
Wurttemberg. In the St. Mihiel salient, where no
activity has been reported for several
months, the French War Office state-
ment this evening says that the Ger-
mans attempted three attacks along the
southern edge of the salient. Only one
of these attacks, in the position of the
British first-line trenches, but the Ger-
mans were immediately driven out.

The British afternoon statement fol-
lows:
On our right we joined up with the
French, who made important progress
in the direction of Maurepas. Much
hard fighting has taken place in the
eastern and northern edges of Delville
Wood, and we have now advanced to
the line several hundred yards on each
side of the Longueval-Fiers road. As
a result of these operations eight officers
and 179 of other ranks have been
taken prisoner by 8 o'clock this morn-
ing.

The length of the enemy's trenches
captured south of Thiepval yesterday,
which is the British communiqué, ex-
tends across the Leipsig salient for
a distance of some 100 yards. Still
further west, the British have made
this sector by bombing attacks, and
with very small loss to ourselves we
have taken 500 prisoners, additional to
the 62 reported last night.

Near the quarries east of Hulluch
we exploded a mine, the crater
which we are now consolidating. Last
night we made several successful
attacks on the German lines north of
Neuville-St. Vaast, near Hulluch,
and west of Aubers, inflicting some
loss on the enemy. Near Ginchy a
small hostile raiding party entered one
of our saps, but was easily bombed
out.

German Attack Repulsed.
The night report telling of the repulse
of a German attack on the British
trenches west of Ginchy follows:

West of Ginchy the enemy last
night, to the strength of about two
battalions, and machine guns, tried to
break through our lines. They were
driven back by our machine-gun fire.
The enemy's guns were silenced by
our heavy artillery. The enemy's
losses were heavy. Our machine-gun
fire was very effective. The enemy
was driven back to the top of the
hill.

There was much artillery activity
between the German and British lines
in the direction of Maurepas. The
British captured two machine guns
yesterday near Delville Wood. Ninety
prisoners, besides those already re-
ported, were taken by the British. The
front between Mouquet farm and the
Leipsig salient was quiet.

Two aeroplanes were carried out
against some of the principal rail-
road sidings on the enemy's lines of
communication. Several trains were
hit and considerable damage was
done. The aeroplanes were shot down
by the enemy's anti-aircraft fire.

On the left bank of the Meuse
the enemy's artillery displayed great
activity, as did ours in the region of
Thiaumont Wood. Toward 2 o'clock
this morning the Germans made an
attempt against the Village of Fleury,
which failed utterly.

In the Forest of Apremont, there
was a sharp battle between the Ger-
mans and the British. The British
were successful in repulsing the Ger-
mans. The British captured several
prisoners.

North of the Somme our troops con-
tinued their advance during the night.
The British captured several prisoners
on the ground captured north and
northwest of Maurepas. South of the
village of Fleury, the British made
a counterattack against Hill 121, oc-
cupied by our troops. Mowed down
by our artillery and machine-gun fire,
the enemy was unable to approach our
lines at any point, and suffered heavy
losses. Our machine-gun fire was very
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were successful in repulsing the Ger-
mans. The British captured several
prisoners.

On the left bank of the Meuse
the enemy's artillery displayed great
activity, as did ours in the region of
Thiaumont Wood. Toward 2 o'clock
this morning the Germans made an
attempt against the Village of Fleury,
which failed utterly.

Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt Under Fire at Front: First American Woman to Enter Verdun

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, Aug. 25.—Details have just
been learned here of a trip made to the
front a few days ago by Mrs.
William K. Vanderbilt, through the
special permission of the Minister of War.
She was accompanied by A. Platt An-
drew, director of the field sections of
the American Ambulance Field Ser-
vice, and although she had been active
in Red Cross work since the beginning
of the war, the trip was arranged to
give her her first glimpse of the Amer-
icans whose activities she has so gen-
erously aided financially.

The schedule of the trip called for
visits to headquarters, where field
ambulances are now working. It was
filled with more danger and gen-
uine thrills than are usually the lot of
visitors at the front.

Leaving Paris she told Mr. Andrew
she hoped "to hear the cannon." He
assured her her ears would ring before
their return. They did. One night was
passed at Pont-a-Mousson, where she
declared she had had the crowning ex-
perience of her rather inclusive career.
There was a heavy German bombard-
ment of the town, and she was quar-
tered in a house where the American
Ambulance drivers were lodged. She
was awakened by exploding shells and
heard walls collapsing not far away as
the shells loosened the foundations.

The din was terrific. All the Amer-
icans not on duty rushed for a re-
inforced cave, and Mrs. Vanderbilt was
warned to seek the same refuge. With
her hair down her back and a wrapper
over her nightgown she ran downstairs,
a pair of flapping slippers over her
bare feet.

"I was wondering whether any one
would call me," she said. "I heard
those terrible explosions and buildings
falling, but took it for granted that so
long as I was not called I was safe."
Mr. Andrew said she was as cool as
any of the men. Mrs. Vanderbilt re-
turned to her room unafraid when the
bombardment was over. She visited a
De Secours post from which ambu-
lances carry the wounded and where
they are within a thousand yards of the
German trenches.

At one place she was walking in an
exposed position, the French ma-
chine gun. A soldier was shocked
speechless by the sight of a woman
where no woman had been since the
battle lines were established. He sprang
to her side and made signs to her to
leave. She laughed. Then the soldier
found his voice and explained that
only a few minutes previously a
shell had fallen within five feet from
where she was standing.

Convinced then of her danger, she
sought shelter. Later in her automobile
she traveled a short distance over a
road covered by German batteries. One
shell evidently aimed at her machine,
fell in the road a hundred yards be-
hind. The last place visited was Ver-
dun, where she saw the American
Ambulance drivers at their mess.

She was the first American woman to
enter the city, and the only other woman
being a nurse. Mrs. Vanderbilt wore a
white dress on the entire trip, white
stockings and white walking boots. The
only marks of color were her blue veil
and a red cross upon her arm.

WOMAN'S SHOTS KILL CAPTAIN IN CAMP

Mrs. Adams Fires Point-Blank
at Spratling, a Leading At-
lanta, Ga., Physician.

HUSBAND DEFENDS HER
His Wife Confessed to Him, He
Asserts, That the Physician
Had Compromised Her.

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 25.—Mrs. H. C.
Adams of this city went to the State
militia camp near Macon this morn-
ing and shot and killed Captain
Edgar J. Spratling of Company F, Fifth
Regiment, Captain Spratling in civil
life was a well-known physician. The
shooting took place in the street in front
of Captain Spratling's tent.

Mrs. Adams, who had left her home
without the knowledge of her husband,
approached Captain Spratling, inquiring
if "this was Captain Spratling?" She
said later that she never before had seen
Spratling in uniform.

At the reply, "Yes," Mrs. Adams
drew a revolver and began shooting.
The first bullet struck Captain Spratling's
throat and a second entered his
mouth. Captain Spratling crumpled in
a heap on the ground before his tent.
Lieutenant S. A. Kyser grabbed the
woman, disarmed her, and placed her
under arrest. According to the Lieuten-
ant she cried out as she shot the
officer: "You have ruined my home."
Mrs. Adams made a statement tonight
defending his wife.

"I didn't know she was going to do
it," he said, "but she is justified if any
person ever was. She told me last Fri-
day of the reason which prompted her
act today, and she then threatened to
kill him. I thought I had succeeded in
convincing her that it was of no use.
She had a right to shoot him."
"I think her mind has become im-
paired. This man has preyed on her
for several weeks, and although I did
all I could to prevent it, it was use-
less. My wife has been under treat-
ment by Dr. Spratling. Some time ago,
shortly after the treatment was begun,
she told me that when she went to the
doctor's office he compelled her to
submit to his advances. She told me
the second day when she came to see
me."

According to Mrs. Adams, his wife
after relating to him the story of her
alleged relations with Captain Spratling
told him that she had threatened to
kill him.

"She told me," Mrs. Adams said, "that
Spratling had said to her, 'If you don't
do it, I will only result in publicity and
would hurt her more than it would him.
For this reason, I told her that when she
went to the doctor's office he compelled
her to submit to his advances. She told
me the second day when she came to see
me.'"

Mrs. Adams is a comely woman and
the mother of three children. She is
about 30 years of age. Captain Spratling
was a well-known Atlanta specialist. He
was 40 years old and a graduate of the
University of Georgia.

Dr. Spratling lived in New York for a
time and was assistant Superintendent
of Matteawan Asylum when Harry
Thaw was confined there. Dr. Spratling
was married to a woman named Mrs.
Thaw, who was the sister of the man
held in the Bibb County Jail on a charge
of murder. Flags were placed at half-
mast in the State capitol tonight. His
fellow-officers indicated a belief that
nervous disorders had caused the woman
to think the physician had acted im-
properly toward her.

WILSON TO KEEP UP FIGHT FOR RUBLEE

Federal Trade Commissioner Will
Get Recess Appointment and
Be Renominated.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—President
Wilson has decided to keep George Ru-
blee on the Federal Trade Commission
by making another recess appointment
as soon as Congress adjourns and to re-
new the fight before the Senate in De-
cember for Mr. Rublee's confirmation.
Since March, 1915, Mr. Rublee has
been serving as a member of the com-
mission. He was appointed by the Presi-
dent in 1915. He is a native of New
Hampshire, the Republican leader
in the State. He has been a member of
the Federal Reserve Board since 1914.
Mr. Rublee was continuing to serve, Chair-
man Hurley of the Trade Commission
replied, citing court decisions upholding
the legality of his service by recess ap-
pointment.

Mr. Rublee tendered his resignation
several weeks ago, but was urged by the
President to continue in office.

NEAR CRISIS AGAIN ON RAILWAY STRIKE; RAILROAD HEADS PROPOSE NEW TERMS; MEN INSIST ON ENDING NEGOTIATIONS

Brotherhood Leaders Say Railroads
Have Manufactured False Public Opinion

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—Not the least of the influences which have
brought the attitude of the heads of the railroad brotherhoods from tolera-
tion to resentment toward the nine days of delay by the railroads has been
the flood of telegrams which have been coming into Washington in support
of the railroads' stand for arbitration. It is said that the President received
more than 1,000 such telegrams today, only a few of which were copied.

The four labor leaders today charged before the President that the
railroads were manufacturing a false public sentiment, and expressed the
fear that their cause was being injured by this propaganda. In support of
their contention that the sentiment reflected in the messages was not
genuine, they placed before the President this telegram:

From Spokane, Wash., Aug. 24.
To W. G. Lee,
President Brotherhood Railroad Trainmen,
Washington, D. C.

Copy of message following was sent by J. L. Derocore, Division Super-
intendent, to all agents N. P. Ry.:
"It is highly important to get trainmen question discussed by the
farmers, stock raisers, dairymen and merchants. Please get as many of
these classes as possible in your town and vicinity to send telegrams rush
to President Wilson at Washington, D. C., urgently requesting him to settle
the controversy by arbitration. Telegrams should show business of sender.
These telegrams are to be paid for from station funds and statement sent
to me for voucher your credit. I want you to send copies of these telegrams
to me by wire as soon as transmitted to the President, using our own wires
for this. Might be well to have some of the most prominent signers send
message to their Congressmen and Senators in Washington in addition to
those sent to President Wilson. This is very important and must be given
preference over normal business today."

F. T. SAWDEY,
Secretary-Treasurer, Lodge No. 307.

The brotherhoods' leaders told President Wilson they had proof that
many other railroads were manufacturing sentiment by paying for tele-
grams to be sent the President by individuals.

Louis W. Hill, President of the Great Northern, who controls the
Northern Pacific, was shown the telegram and asked to comment on it.
"Well," he said, "I think this man was a good Superintendent but a
very poor diplomat. That's all I have to say about it."

The Press Agent Bureau of the railroads continues to give out for pub-
lication copies of hundreds of telegrams which, they say, have been sent
to President Wilson.

END OF EPIDEMIC BELIEVED AT HAND

Officials Feel Sure Schools of
This City Can Be Opened
by September 25.

Only 14 Reported for Day, with
but 22 Deaths—Lowest
for Any Friday.

Record of the Disease in the City.
Deaths New Cases
Thurs. Yesterday Thurs. Yesterday
Manhattan 12 14 12 14
Brooklyn 14 14 14 14
Bronx 14 14 14 14
Queens 14 14 14 14
Richmond 14 14 14 14
Totals 62 62 62 62
Total of deaths to date 1,785
Total of cases to date 7,621

Health officials hope—and some of the
more optimistic believe—that infantile
paralysis has made its last high record
in this city and that, from now on,
daily reports of new cases and deaths
will decrease steadily until there is
nothing more to report.

Several Department of Health and
United States Public Health Service
officials, including Senior Surgeon
Charles E. Banks, agreed yesterday in
predicting that in one month from
yesterday, that is, by Sept. 25, the date
tentatively fixed for the opening of the
schools, the epidemic stage of the dis-
ease would be over.

The ninety-four cases reported yester-
day not only made a low record for
any day in the week, but the number
also was the lowest reported on any
Friday since the outbreak became an
epidemic. Friday reports usually have
been larger than for any other day,
with the possible exception of Tuesday.

The week ending on last Saturday,
with its average of 130 cases a day, was
considered to mark the beginning of
the real decline of the epidemic, and
this week has seen the daily average
decrease to 108 cases for the first five
days.

With the end of the epidemic in sight,
the officials were led to make forecasts.
They expected the total number of cases
to exceed 10,000, and said that about
2,500 children would be left by the
disinfection in such condition as to need
braces, while at least 3,000 other chil-
dren would be crippled, but with chances
for complete or nearly complete recov-
ery. It was predicted.

Four persons who had had polio-
myelitis yesterday gave eighteen ounces
of blood at the Willard Parker Hospital,
and Dr. Abraham Zinger had appoint-
ments for today with three others who
volunteered by mail. Among the con-
tributors of blood was a young man,
whose name was withheld, who gave
eight ounces, despite the fact that he
had given six ounces a week ago. He
said he was going on to the front and
wanted to give all the blood he could
before leaving town.

Another volunteer was James Kelly,
10 years old, of 14 Eighth Avenue,
from whom Dr. Zinger took two
ounces. Carl Frankenshush, 15 years
old, of 1,412 Charlotte Street, the
Bronx, gave six ounces, and Edith E.

The House leaders were saying yester-
day that they would require a week
to adjust the differences between the
House and the Senate over the General
Revenue bill after the Senate had passed
the measure. "Today it was arranged
that the Democratic members of the
House Committee on Ways and Means
and the Senate Committee on Finance
should have informal conferences while
the bill was being considered in the
Senate, and that such changes as that
body made in the measure as it passed
the House should be discussed in the
informal conferences and the points of
dispute harmonized as fast as they ap-
peared. This means that when the joint
conference committee of the two
houses meets to adjust the differences
the adjustment in most cases will have
been made in advance, and the confer-
ence report will be ready practically
simultaneously with the completion of
the bill by the Senate.

**National Titleholders in Doubles
Will Take Court Today Against
Williams and Harte.**

In the matter of placing, Washburn was far and away the stronger, but there were weak spots in his play which caused havoc. Overhead the New Yorker failed. He repeatedly had opportunities for a smashing stroke, but many of them were netted, particularly in the first two sets.

Had Armstrong been less agile in his centering, the tide would have turned against him long before the defeat was actually registered. Washburn always came to the fore court at

Against Johnson and Griffin, Mahan was the weaker member of the team. Johnson and Griffin took full advantage of the fact. They kept shooting the ball to him, and most of the time he netted or drove out. The court was somewhat rough for this match, but the champions showed excellent team work and brilliant stroking. Washburn, who was in fine fettle, gave them some stiff games, but his part was concerned, but Mahan's weakness was fatal to any hope of victory.

gram this afternoon at the Saratoga course. As one facetious turf fan remarked, "Being Friday there was no stake today," but the lack of special features did not detract from the sport.

Time—1:15 3-5.
F. Township, J. E. Madden's br. g. 3 years,
110 pounds, by Fayette-Bohemia, 10 to
1, 5 to 2, 8 imp. (E. Martin) 1*
The Rock, 10 to 1, 5 to 2, 8 imp. (G.
3, 110, 20 to 1, 6 to 1, 5 to 2, (G.
Byrne) 2%
Meditation, H. Hewitt's b. c. 3, 110, 15
to 1, 5 to 2, even, (G. Rutwell) 8%
C. C. (imp.) Gibraltar, Kylon, (imp.)
Clack, (imp.) Tangle Bar Trust also ran.
Water Belle scratched.

SECOND RACE.—For two-year-olds, han-

Girl Swimmer Sets Record.
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 25.—Miss "Babe" Wright, a San Francisco girl, swam across the Golden Gate in 31 minutes 84 4-5 seconds today, setting an official Pacific Athletic Association record for women for the event. The best previous record was made by Miss Nell Schmidt of Alameda, who made it in 44:11.1.

one of the biggest surprises of the meeting when Billy Durfee placed Esperanza, a rank outsider, first in the 2:06 trot, winning the third and fourth heats after Joan, the favorite, had taken the open-

Zornet, blk. n.	(McDonald)	7	4
Tommy Deforest, br. h.	(Chandler)	5	6
Time-2:08; 2:08; 2:08.			
2:13 CLASS, TROT.			
Purse \$1,200. (Second Division.)			
Pittsburgh, ch. g.	by General Athol.		
(Mud)		1	5
Ben Gregor, b. h.	by Tommy Gregor		
(Whitehead)		5	2
Polly A., b. m.	(Garrison)	3	3
Baby Roll, b. m.	(Rodney)	3	2
Sal. A., br. gelding		4	4
The Toddler, b. h.	(Stinson)	4	0
Time-2:08; 2:07; 2:06.			

in the bot. This came in the ninth round, when the persistent Callahan bored through the former champion's defense and planted a stinging right to Wolgaast's jaw. The Cadillac fighter staggered backward and the referee saved

English and Hotchkiss in Final.
Special to The New York Times.
BETHLEHEM, N. H., Aug. 25.—The semi-finals of the annual mid-Summer invitation golf tournament were played at the Bethlehem Country Club here today. F. K. English, New Haven, beat C. C. Hingley, Plymouth, Mass., 1 up, and H. B. Hotchkiss, New Haven, beat W. M. Smith, Norfolk, Va., 3 and 2.

the second day of the annual Newport Horse Show, which attracted a large number of socially prominent spectators here today. The event was won by Mrs. Walter H. Hanley of Providence riding

Mrs. William Grosvenor, Miss Ross A. Grosvenor, Mrs. George Lothrop Bradley, Mrs. Austin L. Sands, and Mrs. William W. Sherman. The program was in charge of Henry E. Eldridge and Prescott Lawrence.

The summary:

Ponties, 122 hands and under: -Won by Singers Midgets br. a. Billy; Singers Midgets br. a. Cream Putt, second; Singers Midgets br. a. Moore, third; Singers Midgets br. a. Thee, fourth.

Prints, 100 hands and over: Local Class, open to residents of county. - Won by Gothan

G. Roehli's ch. g. Minstrel, fourth.
Four-in-Hands.—Won by Gotham Stable;
Mrs. J. S. Sylvester's team, second.
Best Pair of Hunters.—Won by W. H. Haw-
ley's br. g. Lantown and blk. g. sides;
P. A. Clark's ch. m. Flying Machine
and br. m. Sallie, second.

Misses Prescott and Haydel Win.
Special to The New York Times.
NARRAGANSETT PIER, R. I., Aug. 25.—In the doubles finals in the ladies' tennis tournament, continued today at the Point Judith Country Club, Miss Marguerite Prescott and Miss Dorothy Haydel defeated Miss Helen Ostby and Mrs. South.

By EMERSON HOUGH

The amazing fact that a woman's will has, at critical times in the history of all nations, changed the course of events, and guided the destiny of great empires is one of the most interesting details of history. The memoirs of European Courts are full of it. Many times the love of a statesman, or a king, for a woman, has brought on war. Our own country is no exception to this, and in this new romance

**STORY OF THE WORLD'S
GREATEST EXPLORATION**

is Meriwether Lewis, who, with Clark, is commissioned by Jefferson to go across the pathless forests to

Of all of Emerson Hough's great historical novels, so successful in appealing to the American public, none has such an extraordinary combination of love story and high adventure, none is a better example of this great story teller's ability. The descriptions of the struggles of the little band under Lewis and Clark up the great rivers, across the Rockies, and down to the Pacific, where no white man had ever been before, make

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the Pacific coast. And Burr's daughter, Theodosia, loving Lewis, is persuaded by her father to try to prevent his departure on the terrible journey, fearing that he will never return. The story of her endeavors, of her fascination, of Lewis' love for her, of the methods she used to try to prevent the start of the expedition,

THE MAGNIFICENT
ADVENTURE

has taken advantage of one of these episodes in the history of the United States to make a novel as strong, as real, as vivid in many ways as Dumas and Cooper. The period in which the romance is laid is during the Presidency of Thomas Jefferson, at the time of the Louisiana Purchase and of Aaron Burr's Rebellion, when England and Spain, assisted by Burr, were conspiring. The hero of this

of Jefferson's confidence in Lewis, and the final denouement, the happiness, the tragedy, and the noble characters of Lewis and Theodosia—make a novel which, true in its facts, is a fascinating story of

THE ROMANCE OF A VERY GALLANT GENTLEMAN

a well named novel. There never was a more magnificent enterprise nor yet a more romantic setting for the weaving of love and the spirit of youth, to say nothing of the almost irresistible power of woman over man, whether that man be a great explorer, a king, or a soldier. A fine story with real history. You will find here much that will picture what our country once was, and what men and women always are.

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In Yesterday's Market.

EXCHANGE RAISES MARGINS

Speculators Required to Put Up \$5
a Bale—Reports Tend to In-
crease Bullish Sentiment.

More than 16 cents a pound, or \$30 a bale, was paid for cotton on the New York Cotton Exchange yesterday for delivery next year. Earlier options closed at 15 1/2 cents, the highest price since the Civil War. That rate is the highest at which cotton has sold since the civil war in times of normal market, and twice has it been exceeded. In the Sully campaign of 1906-07 prices were carried to a 17-cent basis, only to drop precipitately. In the Patton-Shayes-Brown corner of 1910 shorts at 16 cents, the option were squeezed up to 20 cents as the month ran out.

Yesterday's speculation was the most animated of any day of the year, and brokers said the public interest in the market was as great as ever before. There had been days of larger advances in price, but none in which the market advanced so impulsively on general rather than clique speculation.

At one time prices of most of the options were up more than 50 points, or \$3 a bale, over Thursday's close. The close showed advances of more than \$2.50 a bale to be the rule. There was heavy buying for foreign account, for spinners and for shorts as well as for bullion speculators. Scores of reports from the South had it that planters were inclined to hold out for higher prices.

The 18 cent range compares with a price of 10 cents at which it was aimed to steady the cotton market two years ago. In the first month of the year the Cotton Exchange closed and cotton sold below 7 cents, or \$3 a bale. It was then expected the Teutonic markets would be closed. With that expectation realized cotton is now more than 100 per cent higher. Two years ago also there was formed a \$135,000,000 pool to steady the cotton market. Now the market is natural.

Reports from Southern countries said that the picking of the boll was under the cumulative effect of the use of inferior or scanty fertilizer for two years in succession. Damage from drought was also reported, and the bull said there would be no late pickings because the soil, having had insufficient moisture last winter, had not since been replenished.

Predictions were made that the Government crop report on Aug. 31 would indicate a crop even less than the scanty 12,000,000 bales, which lately has been an accepted estimate.

Liverpool again furnished a surprise by sending cables which were about 18 to 20 American points higher than due. Spot cotton was 16 points higher at 9.42 for American middling. The local market made more than a full response to cables, and opened at an advance of 23 to 31 points, with trading active and excited.

Bullish enthusiasm was stimulated by the admission of extensive deterioration in the report of the Bureau of Commerce on South Carolina. The National Ginners' Association was said to show a decline of about 9 points in condition, which would foreshadow a Government report on Sept. 1 of between 63 and 64. The western belt forecast pointed to continuance of dry weather.

Notwithstanding the heavy trading on the opening advance, the market absorbed all offerings and moved steadily upward. It was not until the January option had touched 15.95, with March, May, and July above 16, that the advance was checked.

Margin Figure Raised.

The exchange authorities evidently conceded that the advance has exceeded all bounds of conservatism, for the management of the clearing House yesterday decided to raise the margin for a bale from all members, regardless of the size of their commitments. The ordinary margin on commitments of normal proportions is only \$3. These extraordinary precautions should put some restraint on operations, although it must be admitted that there is no longer any long interest. The South has bought very little cotton. Liverpool and trading interests have been the chief buyers, and, aside from a group of large operators, the average trader of bullish inclinations has taken down his profits from time to time.

Members of the Cotton Exchange decided yesterday by a vote of 58 to 25 to make Saturday, Sept. 2, an extra exchange holiday.

According to the New York Cotton Exchange, the movement of cotton into sight for the week was 100,830 bales, against 77,294, against 104,620 last year.

Open. High. Low. Close. Prev. Last
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THIEPVAL'S DOOM NEAR AS BRITISH GUNS BLAST A WAY CLOSER TO THE VILLAGE; DESPERATE GERMAN ATTACKS REPULSED

SALIENT CAUGHT IN A NOOSE

Advance East of Mouquet Farm Almost Cuts Off Defenders.

VIVID TALE OF A CHARGE

Following an Overture by the "Orchestra of Death," Men Dash Forward in Groups.

SHELLS RAIN AROUND THEM

Entire Ridge Held by Teutons Is Obscured by Huge Columns of Smoke.

By PHILIP GIBBS.
The London Daily Chronicle Dispatches.
Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.
WITH THE BRITISH ARMIES IN THE FIELD, Aug. 26.—The doom of Thiepval is near at hand. By a series of small, sharp attacks in short rushes after enormous shellfire, the British troops have forged their way across the tangled web of trenches and redoubts until now they are just below a row of apple trees which still show a broken stump of two.

Below the somber shade of the village they have bitten off the nose of the Leipzig salient, and Thursday I saw them take the Hindenburg trench and its strong point, which is almost the last of the defensive works barring the way to the south entrance of the village fortifications.

On the west the British trenches have been dug for some time through the Thiepval Wood within 400 yards of this place, and on the east they have been pushed forward to the left of the Mouquet Farm; so that the British have thrown a lasso, as it were, around the stronghold on the hill, from which its garrison has only one way of escape—by way of the Crucifix northward, where the British guns will get them.

Garrison in a Deathtrap.
That Thiepval garrison is in a deathtrap. As I stood watching the place from a trench which was only a few hundred yards away, it seemed to me, as I saw the British guns firing, that the living there, I could see nothing of the village; for there is next to nothing left of it, nothing at all but heaps of rubbish, which were once roofs and walls of houses. But on the skyline at the top of the ridge, which slopes up from the Leipzig salient, there still stand a hundred trees or so, which are all that is left of Thiepval. They stood black and gaunt against the blue sky without a leaf on their broken branches. And all the charred brown hummocks of German trench lines encircled them with narrow strips of grass vividly green between these earthworks, and the British falling away to the British lines was a turmoil of upheaved soil where a mass of trenches had been made shapeless by incessant shellfire.

All through the afternoon, as all through the morning and the mornings and afternoons of many yesterdays, the British guns were firing in a steady, leisurely way, one shell every minute or two into the ground marked out by black tree-stumps. They were mostly shells of the heaviest, firing from long range, so that for several seconds one could hear the long voyage of each shell, listen to the last fierce rush of it overhead, and then see before the ears of the explosion a vast column of smoke and earth vomit up from the place between the trees or just below the line of trees where the German trenches lay.

A friend of mine, sitting on some sandbags with his steel helmet just below the top of the trench, was being very friendly to the paragon, said "Beautiful" every time there was a specially big cloud-burst. He is such a hater of war that he follows each shell with a kind of exultation, so that it shall help and it quickly. But I kept thinking of the fellows below there under that shellfire. It was only previous knowledge of explorations in German dugouts and talks with men who have come living out of such bombardments that made me still believe there were men alive in Thiepval, and that before the British take the place they will fight desperately and keep their machine guns going to the last.

No Human Being Seen.
There was not a human soul to be seen as the earth was being flung up in masses, but the underground garrison of German soldiers was sitting in deep cellars trying to turn deaf ears to the crashes above them, looking into the little mirrors of long periscopes which showed them a vision of things above ground and the stillness of the British trenches, from which at any minute there might come waves of men in a new attack. With a few others in the trenches where I stood I knew the British were to make another bound during the afternoon, although not the exact time of it. For nearly two hours the bombardment was steady and continuous, and then an intense fire from all available batteries. Every few minutes I looked at my watch and wondered: Will it begin now?

Down below it was the hummocky track of the front-line trenches, in which

British Airmen Raid Zeppelin Sheds at Namur; French Report Many Successes in Air Battles

LONDON, Aug. 26.—British aeroplanes have made another dash over Belgium, on this occasion penetrating to the vicinity of Namur, thirty-six miles southeast of Brussels, and bombarding German airship sheds. One aeroplane is missing. An official account of these operations issued today says:

Early Friday morning an attack was carried out by naval aeroplanes upon enemy airship sheds near Namur. The sheds were successfully bombed and two of them were hit, but, due to low flying clouds, it was not possible to observe the amount of damage done. One of our machines failed to return.

PARIS, Aug. 26.—Aerial engagements have been taking place all along the French front. The official report issued this afternoon says:

On the whole front our air service was particularly active yesterday. It engaged in a number of fights with the enemy, in the course of which it clearly showed its superiority.

In the region of the Somme three German machines were brought down, one by Second Lieutenant Nungesser, who thus accounted for his eleventh machine. A second aeroplane was brought down by Warrant Officer Dornier, being his seventh success to date. The third enemy machine fell near Pétain. Three other machines were bombed and damaged by machine guns at close quarters by our pilots and descended suddenly in damaged condition.

Near Craonne our anti-aircraft guns brought down a Fokker, north of Clons, a Fokker, which was attacked and pursued, fell heading in its own lines, being smashed to bits. In the region of Verdun a German machine was brought down in flames. Near Metzville two others were hit and went down in a damaged condition, one in the forest of Spincourt, the other near Foenax. In the vicinity of Pont-a-Mousson a Fokker was put out of action.

German captive balloons were set afire by our airmen, one north of the Aisne, in the region of Palisy, and the other on the Somme front, near Meunil St. Neazie. Finally, it is confirmed that on Aug. 23 a German captive balloon was brought down by our anti-aircraft guns and fell in flames toward Bezevoeux, in the region of Verdun.

Last night an enemy aeroplane dropped eight bombs on Baccarat. The material damage was insignificant.

BERLIN, Aug. 26, (via London).—The official report today has this to say of aerial activities:

Two enemy aeroplanes were shot down by machine gun fire in the region of Bapaume and another by anti-aircraft guns near Zonnebeker, Flanders, while in aerial engagements one aeroplane was brought down east of Verdun and one north of Frennes, in the Woëvre.

BRITISH BEAT OFF PRUSSIAN GUARDS BULGARS RETIRE; SERBS PRESS ON

Crack Troops of the Kaiser Make Great Effort to Regain Positions at Thiepval.

HARD FIGHT IN CHAMPAGNE

Germans Penetrate the French Lines West of Tahure, but Are Driven Out Again.

LONDON, Aug. 26.—The Germans are making almost superhuman efforts to recover the ground lost to the British in the last two days in the maze of fortifications north of the Somme, known as the Thiepval salient. By alternate artillery bombardment and infantry assault German troops have forced their way to within a few hundred yards of the village of Thiepval. Here the Germans, backed by a great concentration of guns, delivered an attack last night, using the Prussian Guards. The attack led to some very heavy fighting, but the British maintained all their positions.

The Mouquet farm, also strongly fortified, defends Thiepval from the east. The British have made some progress east and southwest of this position that the German hold on Thiepval has been rendered very precarious.

Elsewhere on the Somme front the Germans have been bombarding both British and French positions, while west of Guillemont they launched an infantry attack which, however, was repulsed with loss.

What appeared to be an attempt to feel out the allied line elsewhere were made today near La Bassée, (north of Arras), and in the Champagne. In the latter sector the Germans delivered a strong attack at a point west of Tahure. They gained a momentary success, penetrating a French salient, but were quickly driven out by a counterattack. Paris says:

The day bulletin of the British War Office reads:

The enemy bombarded our first line trenches along the greater portion of the front south of the Ancre at various times from 7 o'clock last night until early this morning.

Covered by his artillery fire he attacked our positions west of Guillemont, between the quarries and the Montauban-Guillemont road. He did not cross our line at any point and was repulsed with loss.

Near Mouquet Farm we made further progress, both on the east side of the farmstead and also southwest, where we have taken another 400 yards of the enemy's trenches along the Courcellette-Thiepval road.

The importance attributed by the enemy to the Thiepval sector of his line is shown by the great efforts he is making to recover his lost ground in the Leipzig salient. Recently he has been effecting a great concentration of guns in this area to oppose our progress and support his attacks.

Last night he delivered an attack in considerable force on our new trenches south of Thiepval village. This attack was made by troops of the Prussian Guard, and was preceded by a very heavy bombardment which commenced at 7 P. M. The attack, launched at about 7:30 o'clock, was pressed with determination, but

Von Batocki Asks Women of Rural Germany To Share Food With Their Urban Sisters

LONDON, Aug. 26.—Adolf von Batocki, President of the German Food Regulation Board, has issued an appeal to the women of rural Germany to divide their food with the women and children of the towns and cities, says a Reuter dispatch from Amsterdam today.

Herr von Batocki in his appeal says that the harvest this year is, in general, abundant and that the cattle have recovered from the effects of the food scarcity of last winter, which was caused by the failure of crops last year.

"But with the maintenance of production," he adds, "all is not done. The produce must be rightly distributed to those who require it. Millions of soldiers are engaged in the hardest of warfare. They must be well and abundantly fed. Hundreds of thousands lie wounded in the hospitals and need abundant good food. Other millions of men and women in the big towns and in mines are also working loyally for victory. They wish, like you, to have enough to eat in order to be able to work. Like you, they have children who cry when their mothers cannot give them necessary food, and their parents then lose the strength and courage for work.

"Both for the soldiers and for those who fight in workmen's clothes we must

BERING SEA ROCK WRECKS EXPLORERS Borden Party Is Found by the McCulloch Marooned on St. Matthew Island.

ENTIRE PARTY IS SAVED

Wireless Tells of Rescue by Government Vessel 15 Days After Adventurers Reached Land.

ON BOARD U. S. COAST GUARD CUTTER McCULLOCH, BERING SEA, Aug. 26, (via Wireless to Seattle).—The power schooner Great Bear, carrying the Arctic expedition headed by John Borden of Chicago and Captain Louis Lane of Seattle, was wrecked on Pinnacle Rock in Bering Sea on Aug. 10. The vessel was a total loss, but the entire party landed safely on St. Matthew Island, where they were found yesterday by the McCulloch.

The members of the party were able to land tents and provisions, and lived comfortably for fifteen days until the McCulloch, which had been sent to Nome to search for the vessel, found their entire party taken aboard the McCulloch, which started back to Nome last night.

NOME, Alaska, Aug. 26.—The cutter McCulloch is expected to reach here tomorrow with the members of the Borden expedition. St. Matthew Island, where they were picked up, is twenty-five miles southwest of Nome.

A brief report received here says that the vessel and the rest of the expedition by Captain Louis Lane to investigate a report that another vessel had been wrecked in that vicinity. Captain Lane received the report shortly before midnight and turned off his course to investigate.

A great storm was raging and at 12:30 A. M. the Great Bear struck on Pinnacle Rock, a bleak, desolate volcanic island, so named by Captain Cook. Pinnacle Rock is not far from St. Matthew Island.

SEATTLE, Wash., Aug. 26.—The Great Bear left here on July 26 for an extended cruise in the Arctic. When the vessel was wrecked, the entire party was saved by the cutter McCulloch, which was sent to search for the vessel. The Great Bear was especially constructed to withstand the pressure of the Arctic seas and was equipped with a 100-foot mast and a speed of seven knots an hour.

The Great Bear carried 5,000 gallons of oil and about \$3,000 worth of provisions.

Special to The New York Times.
CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—Mrs. John Borden received this wireless message today from her husband:

Great Bear wrecked on Pinnacle Rock, near St. Matthew Island, night of Aug. 10 in dense fog. The vessel and all aboard saved. The party is well and provisions plentiful. The Great Bear has very kindly consented to take us to Nome, where we will do everything possible for our welfare and comfort. Entire party well and happy. JOHN BORDEN.

Norris H. Blokum, an insurance broker of Evanston, was one of the Borden party.

NAMES COMMANDER WHO SANK LUSITANIA

Copenhagen Says He Is Son of a Cathedral Dean and Has Received Several Decorations.

LONDON, Aug. 26.—The Stifts-Tidende of Ribe, Denmark, is quoted in a Reuter dispatch from Copenhagen to the effect that the commander of the submarine which sank the Lusitania was Captain Max Valentiner, son of the Dean of the Soderburg Cathedral.

Captain Valentiner, this newspaper says, has been decorated with several orders since the sinking of the liner, including the Iron Cross of the First Class and the Ehrenkruze House Order with Swords, a special distinction which is the personal gift of the German Emperor.

RAILWAYS FIRM AND MEN BELLIGERENT; PRESIDENT SEEKS HELP FROM CONGRESS AS THE NATIONAL STRIKE LOOMS NEARER

Rival Agreements in Railroad Situation Between Which the President Must Choose

WASHINGTON, Aug. 26.—Here are the provisions of settlement in the railroad strike situation which the brotherhoods have accepted, and the provisions which the railway Presidents now indicate are the utmost they will accept:

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| What the Men Will Accept <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. That the men receive the eight-hour day, with the present ten hours pay for the proposed eight hours work.2. That overtime be paid for on a pro rata basis.3. That all other issues between the railroads and the men, except these, be settled by a Federal commission. | What the Railways Will Accept <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. That the Interstate Commerce Commission authorize the railroads, starting at once, to keep two sets of maintenance books, one on the basis of the present rate of pay, and one on the basis of the men's original demands.2. That the President name a Board of Arbitration to consider the whole of the issues between the railroads and the brotherhoods.3. That the difference in amounts between what the two sets of books show be subject to the draft of the arbitrators to pay the men whatever increase in wages they may fix, the eight-hour day proposition being left to the arbitrators. |
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These modifications by President Wilson were pronounced satisfactory by the men after they had demanded ten hours' pay for eight hours' work, with all overtime to be paid for at the rate of time and a half.

UNDERWOOD BOLTS TO RUN THE ROADS IN REVENUE FIGHT IF A STRIKE COMES

Alabamian Moves to Cut Income Exemption to \$2,000 in Disregard of Caucus.

BRINGS ON BITTER DEBATE

Stone and Simmons Assail Their Colleague and Amendment Is Lost, 31 to 19.

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 26.—Senator Oscar Underwood, author of the present tariff law, today revolted in the Senate against the revision of the pending general revenue bill made by the Democratic caucus, declared he would not be bound by it and clashed with the leaders of his party over the exemption of taxable incomes. He moved to make the exemption of \$2,000 instead of \$3,000, and lost by a vote of 19 to 31.

In the background of the controversy was the dyestuffs paragraph of the revenue bill, which Senator Underwood repudiated. He said he would fight it because it was a Republican proposition and abhorrent to all Democratic principle and practice for a hundred years and more.

For an hour the scene on the floor of the open Senate was practically a session of the Democratic Senatorial caucus. Senator Stone undertook to control the Alabama Senator, and the latter defied all restraint and acted independently of caucus dictation. Senators on both sides of the chamber watched the struggle with intense interest. Democratic Senators who sympathized with Mr. Underwood created a scene at one point in the fray when they undertook to put a personal censure on Senator Stone by calling him "a vote."

The Missouri Senator became angry. He shook his fist at his fellow Senators. "I cannot express my contempt for the man who will cry 'vote' in the effort to stop my voice," he said. "I am a Democratic Senator and I do not ask your permission to speak. I will speak because I am a Senator."

When the vote finally came on Senator Underwood's amendment four Democrats voted with him—Bankhead of Alabama, Hardwick of Georgia, Lane of Oregon, and O'Gorman of New York. But these, with Mr. Underwood and fourteen Republicans, were not able to overcome the disposition of the Democratic majority to stick by the determination of the caucus.

Stone Protests.
General debate being closed on the revenue bill the Senate proceeded to consider the measure paragraph by paragraph. When the clause containing exemption on incomes liable to taxation was read Senator Underwood offered his amendment reducing the limit to \$2,000. Senator Williams declared that the Alabama Senator was under no obligation to follow the recommendations of the Finance Committee. Senator Stone arose and in a dramatic gesture against the caucus the course of Mr. Underwood.

"I register my protest at least," said Mr. Stone, "against any coming in here at this juncture and moving an amendment in defiance of the conference of his party."

"Who registers a protest?" demanded Senator Underwood. "Fish by Sir Stone," answered the latter, "as a Senator because he may happen to serve on a committee and his constituents have seen fit to keep him here for many years? If we are to take orders from other Senators, why not close our books and go home? I have never found that anybody had a right to protest against the action of any other Senator so far as his individual views are concerned."

"I do not consider that a Senator is bound to think that a committee has the right to arrogate to itself the power to legislate. I do not concede or recognize the right of any member of a committee to direct my vote. If this is the reason, make the most of it. No one can question my loyalty to the Democratic Party. When the members of the Democratic Party go into a caucus and agree to bind themselves on the action that may result I will bow my head and abide that result."

Senator Simmons undertook to explain the situation to the Senate.

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ONE MORE MEETING MONDAY

Union Leaders, Resenting Delay, to Leave Washington at Once.

LITTLEHOPE OF LEGISLATION

Newlands Tells President the Senate Would Wish to Debate Measure a Month.

RAILWAYS DROP 8-HOUR DAY

Presidents Demand That All Matters Now in Dispute Shall Be Submitted to Arbitration.

Legislation President Asks To Avert Railway Strike

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 26.—President Wilson asks Congress to pass this legislation immediately as a means of settling the railroad strike crisis:

1. An amendment to the Newlands bill increasing the membership of the Interstate Commerce Commission by two, by which the commission would be directed in considering rate cases to take wage schedules into account.
2. An amendment to the Newlands bill providing for a permanent arbitration board to hear railroad labor disputes.
3. A resolution declaring it to be the sense of Congress that if the eight-hour day imposes a new and heavy burden upon the railroads, the railroads should have an increase in freight rates.

The bill which the President seeks to amend is now in the Senate, having passed the House, and Administration leaders have already assured the President they saw no way to complete this legislation at this session of Congress.

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 26.—After the railroad Presidents had framed a document expressing final rejection of his plan for averting a strike, but before they could read it to him, President Wilson went to the Capitol this afternoon and asked Administration leaders in Congress to sanction a program of legislation that would meet the conditions under which the railroad Presidents gave Mr. Wilson to understand several days ago they would accept his eight-hour scheme. The President had Senator Newlands, Chairman of the Senate Interstate Commerce Committee, make a canvass of the upper house members, and it is understood that the Senator made a report that could hardly be called hopeful.

There was a conference of Administration Senators at the White House tonight, at which the President laid before the Senators his plan for legislative action to avert the strike. The conference lasted until a late hour.

The railroad Presidents, with their final rejection ready, when they heard of the President's move telephoned to the White House for an appointment, but received information that the President had gone golfing. While efforts were still in progress to get an audience at the White House, President Hale Holden of the Burlington, spokesman for the railroad Presidents, issued this statement:

"The Presidents' conference having concluded its discussion the committee of eight has asked for an appointment with the President and is waiting his leisure."

Following several efforts to reach Mr. Wilson this afternoon after he had gone golfing the railroad Presidents asked for a conference at the White House tonight. The President replied that he had important engagements tonight, but would break them if the railroad Presidents desired to see him immediately. The railroad Presidents replied that they would like to see Mr. Wilson in the morning. The President said he could not see them on Sunday, but would receive at 10 o'clock on Monday morning. His opponent has been on the President has asked Congress to act immediately. The provisions which the President wants enacted into law are set forth at the beginning of this article. The Newlands bill has passed the

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CULBERSON, WILSON MAN, WINS TEXAS PRIMARY

Senator Defeats ex-Gov. Colquitt, Critic of President, Who Carries German Counties.

DALLAS, Texas, Aug. 26.—Virtually complete returns from practically all the Texas counties in the Democratic Senatorial primary today gave Senator Charles A. Culbertson, known as the "Wilson candidate," 144,507, against former Governor Colquitt with 84,477. Fewer than 30,000 votes remain to be accounted for.

Colquitt, who was known as the candidate who had severely criticized the Administration of President Wilson in his public utterances, and this was the chief issue of the campaign, Colquitt especially attacked the President's Mexican policy.

Senator Culbertson has not been in the State during the preliminary campaign. His opponent has been on the stump continually for six months.

A notable fact from the returns received is that the former Texas Governor carried practically every county in the State which has a large German population. He also seems to have carried the larger counties and cities.

HUGHES SUMS UP CAMPAIGN ATTACKS

Tells Great Denver Audience Where He Believes Democrats Have Failed.

GIVES CREDIT TO COLONEL

Names Him as the "Stalwart American" Who Aroused the Democrats to Preparedness.

Special to The New York Times.

DENVER, Aug. 26.—Charles E. Hughes completed the first stage of his nation-wide campaign tonight by addressing the largest audience he has met on his tour. For the first time Mr. Hughes named Colonel Roosevelt as the "stalwart American" who, he said, stirred the people and caused the Democratic Party to come out for preparedness. There was loud applause. Cries of "Roosevelt" were heard. The nominee was speaking on preparedness. He had assailed the Administration for calling advocates of preparedness "nervous and excited."

"And then," Mr. Hughes said, "a stalwart American went through the land."

He was interrupted by a roar from the crowd. As the applause died down the nominee continued:

"Mr. Roosevelt went through the land, arousing the nation to its needs, and the Administration changed its mind overnight."

Likes His Colorado Reception.

Mr. Hughes was cheered by the cordiality of the reception he received today, as Colorado is written down by the Democratic leaders as safe for President Wilson. The Republicans admit that there is basis for such a claim, but they have not lost hope that Hughes will carry the State, as Roosevelt did in 1904.

Mr. Hughes has visited twelve other States, of which all except two, Nevada and Montana, are generally put in the Republican column when national elections are held. In many of them it was found that Mr. Wilson had unexpected strength. In others, factional strife and apathy upon the part of many of the Old Guard leaders threaten the normal Republican pluralities.

Mr. Hughes found the evidence of strong Wilson sentiment here, but the crowds which greeted him upon his arrival were among the largest on the tour. The Wilson strength is based on the feeling among many of the voters that the Administration has done well in keeping the country out of war and supplying constructive legislation under trying circumstances, and that Mr. Wilson should be returned.

The Hughes strength lies in the fact that Colorado has a popular Republican Governor—George A. Carlson—and that there is some feeling against the Administration's Mexican policy.

The prohibition law which was advocated by the Republicans and put into force last January is in other States visited here as well as in Colorado. Colorado seems to like prohibition and the men who worked for it. On the other hand, there is a faction headed by Samuel Nicholson, which is fighting Governor Carlson in the primaries for the nomination as Governor. This fight may have some effect on the national ticket.

The Democrats say that this factional fight will work to their advantage. They say also that organized labor here, as in other States, is for President Wilson. Both sides claim a majority of the votes of the women, the Democrats because Wilson has kept the country out of war, the Republicans because Hughes is for the Federal amendment.

The best information from both sides indicates that the situation here will be very close, with present conditions favoring President Wilson. These were the conditions which Mr. Hughes faced when he got here today, and he strove hard to win the confidence and votes of the people before he left late tonight for a three days' rest at Estes Park. Following the breathing spell he will start for Topeka, Kan.

Sums Up His Charges.

In his addresses today Mr. Hughes summed up in carefully chosen paragraphs, the bulk of the charges he makes against the Wilson Administration and left them for the people to digest in the hope that they would tip the scales in his favor. Some of the Democratic leaders, who would scarcely answer the purpose and to which Mr. Hughes had failed as yet to satisfy the Progressives. The paragraphs follow:

"Before I leave I want to say what is very close to my heart—that we have got to have an economic, business-like administration of Government in this country, in charge of competent men. Our opponents said they would reduce the cost of living. They haven't reduced the cost of living. They said that they would stand for the merit system in government. They have shamelessly betrayed the merit system in government. They said they were for the maintenance of the constitutional rights of American citizens throughout the world. They left our citizens to be murdered and their property to be destroyed right here in Mexico close to our own boundary."

"They did say they were opposed to a tariff for protection. That they carried out, with the result that before the European war broke out unemployed men were walking the streets of our cities, jobless, asking for work, and having to be fed by countless charitable organizations."

"I want to see efficiency in government, efficiency in business, efficiency in the execution of all laws relating to governmental activity. I desire to see a contented people living under just laws as fellow-workmen, fellow-laborers in a splendid co-operative enterprise. That is what free institutions mean. They mean co-operation."

"Now, my friends, I leave the word with you. 'Show us the great people advance and hold ourselves in the difficult days of the twentieth century? If I can aid in the accomplishment of this and my service is at your command.'"

The Colorado campaign started at Greeley at 9 o'clock this morning, where Mr. Hughes spoke in the public square.

He referred briefly to his career as Governor of New York.

"I am for the public interest every time," he said. "I believe in the regulation, in the supervision of every activity that comes in contact with public interest, so that the general public may be protected against exploitation, against monopolistic practices, and against unjust discrimination."

Mr. Hughes arrived in this city at 11:15 o'clock. Apparently orders had gone out to disregard the instructions of Chairman Wilson and his representatives. A. N. Rowley, for there was a well-organized demonstration at the station. The long line of automobiles which carried the party passed through well-filled streets. There was little cheering. "An old-fashioned Colorado

welcome" was the way one of the committee described it. Mr. Hughes was smiling, and he never stopped waving his hat.

Attends Non-Partisan Luncheon.

A luncheon tendered by the Mile High Club at the Adams Hotel was the next event on the program. It was a non-partisan affair, and on either side of Mr. Hughes were George Speer, the Democratic Mayor, and Julius C. Garter, Democratic nominee for Governor. A dozen Brown University alumni had seats in front of Mr. Hughes.

The nominee in his speech took up a discussion of business matters, and said: "I do not think there has been in many years a campaign in which business men, solicitors for the future of our country, should feel or have so deep an interest. The difficulties with which we are dealing are the main economic differences, and these I think are conditions that pass beyond partisan differences."

"We ought to be able in this country to do right to insist upon what is right, to prevent abuses, to cut off monopolistic practices, to check and prevent monopolistic discrimination in every unjust form. The only way we have a fine sense of co-operation to have a United States go ahead and make a worthy place as a nation successful, proud of its achievements among the nations of the world."

Urges Co-operation and Efficiency.

"We face a new era. And there are two watchwords of this era—co-operation and efficiency. You cannot ever amount to anything without either."

"We have had a new consciousness as to what is due to the public with respect to public rights and privileges. I think there are very few business men today who think that the great object of life is to build up a citadel somewhere along the highways of commerce where the ordinary traveler may be held up and made to pay tribute."

"I regard that day as passed. I believe the business men of the United States to be patriotic, broad, sound in their views, and ambitious. And because that is so I look into the future with confidence that it will be met right. I should look to the future with deep dismay did I not feel this."

"We have got to have efficiency and we have got to have a greater co-operation than ever before. And I regard it as absolutely essential to our own prosperity in the future that we honestly apply the doctrine of a protective tariff. If patriotism in this country must have a little different direction from what it has had in the past, we have got to have patriotism in public business which will come with that sense of co-operation of which I spoke a moment ago."

ORGANIZE HUGHES ALLIANCE

Plans for the Five City Boroughs to be Completed Today.

The Hughes Alliance in the State of New York, through its Executive Committee, will today complete its plans for organization in the city and will shortly open headquarters in the various counties of the State, it was announced at Republican campaign headquarters.

Jacob J. Lesser, member of the Board of Assessors and a former Vice President of the Progressive County Committee, is directing the work of organization in New York County, and among those engaged with him are George H. Bell, Commissioner of Licenses; Alfred C. Cox, Jr., President of the New York Young Republican Club; Winford T. Denison, former Secretary of the Interior of the Philippines, and former Assistant Attorney General of the United States; Nathaniel Phillips, and Richard Wolters. This committee will be enlarged.

The New York county plan of organization provides for its division into seven districts: East side, Hudson, Murray Hill, Riverside, Yorkville, Harlem, and Washington Heights with sectional committees and a Chairman for each section. The names of the Chairmen will be made known this week. The Hughes Alliance in Kings County is headed by Elmer G. Sammis, President of the Brooklyn Young Republican Club. Mark Reardon, who was Secretary of the Progressive organization of Kings, and is Secretary of Brooklyn Borough, is Secretary of the Kings Alliance. Other Kings members are William Hamlin Childs, Jacob C. Klinek, President of the Williamsburg Trust Company; Dennis R. James, Jr., of the Municipal Civil Service Commission; Nathaniel H. Levi, Travis H. Whitney, Public Service Commissioner; William S. Miller, ex-Assemblyman; Alvin W. Hoff, Fenwick B. Small, George A. Shellen, Westervelt Prentice, W. H. Pendry, George A. Green, and Homer L. Bartlett.

CORNER GRAIN HERE, NEW GERMAN IDEA

Berlin Editor Urges This Means of Forcing England and France to Starvation.

THE HAGUE, Sunday, Aug. 27, (via London).—To corner the grain supplies against the Entente powers, despite the tremendous money sacrifice involved, is a step seriously urged by the commercial editor of the Berlin Post.

"If England buys Rumanian grain to let it rot rather than to allow us to have it," says the writer, "we can do the same thing by manipulating the grain markets where our enemies buy and which are also accessible to us. If corners in the Chicago and New York markets are possible in peace times they are more so now, when the demand for grain is so keen and the crops in America and enemy countries are so poor."

"Considerations of depreciations in our exchange should not deter us as long as we bring victory nearer and our food supplies and the conduct of the war do not depend on exchange. The forward-looking German, who recognizes what it calls this 'wild card scheme,' admits that it would make bread in England and France dear, but at a wholly unproportionate cost to Germany."

Schall, Blind Congressman, is Hurt.

PORTLAND, Me., Aug. 26.—Minnesota's blind Congressman, Thomas D. Schall, who was scheduled to speak at a Republican meeting at Kearsar Falls tonight, was injured in the back at Cornish today when an automobile backed into his machine. Congressman Schall was brought to this city tonight. His injuries are not serious, but he is not able to continue his campaign. His wife, who was in the car with him, was not hurt.

AIR RAID ON NAMUR PLEASES LONDON

Retaliatory Attack on Zeppelin Sheds Approved Amid Discussion of Home Air Defense.

SOME THINK IT IMPROVED

Others Think Every Aircraft That Visits England Should Be Brought Down.

Special Cable to The New York Times.

LONDON, Aug. 26.—The bulletin issued today by the Admiralty of the British aeroplane attack on the Zeppelin sheds, near Namur, was generally hailed with satisfaction as in line of the "defensive offensive" policy advocated by the majority of air experts, whose views have received most publicity in the popular newspapers. It is recalled, however, that the Namur sheds were raided before the British official report from Flanders on August 11, said that they were attacked just prior to that date by the Royal Flying Corps, which also raided the Zeppelin sheds at Brussels.

Some London papers are falling foul of one another in discussion of the latest Zeppelin visit. One set of papers vigorously attacks the Air Board, arguing that the soundest test of the progress of aerial defenses lies in an answer to the question, How many Zeppelins were brought down? The duty of the Air Board, according to this view, is to prevent any Zeppelins that come over here from getting back again.

"That alone," says The Daily Mail, "is what the public cares about. The cheap assumptions that Zeppelins wander about in the sky without knowing where they are going are not convincing. Everybody knows that they more than once approached places of considerable importance and dropped bombs as near thereto as they were able. That should be taken as prima facie evidence that they were on an objective. They knew what they were aiming at and they hit, but they keep on trying. Is any apostle of silence and composure prepared to assure us that practice and persistence will not bring their usual reward, or that the Germans may not succeed in arming their new and improved and powerful airships of which Lord Montagu spoke with devices which will insure more accurate shooting? Every Zeppelin raid is no doubt more or less an experiment, but repeated experiments are in common experience generally crowned at last with success. It is for that reason that the public care after every raid. How many Zeppelins have we brought down? and the public, which is not at all nervous or panicky, is not in the least inclined to be put off by pontifical adjurations to hold its tongue."

The air defenses are still unfortunately incomplete, largely because the demands of the armies at the front, which have natural precedence, are heavy and increasing. The experiences of Thursday night, however, proved that a great step forward has already been made, and that Zeppelins can no longer roam over our land unchallenged. We are a long way beyond the ridiculous darkness and composure stage.

These two extracts have been cited because they pretty accurately represent what may be called the popular view. Some of The Daily Mail's commentators accuse it of "playing the German game," but it is noticeable they are not so vociferous in denunciation now as they were before Thursday night's raid over the outskirts of London. The Mail has struck a very popular note.

It is hardly necessary to repeat that the latest raids and the expectation of more before the harvest moon rises in the middle of September—between mid-August and mid-September—last year have not created anything like a panic. The following incident at the inquest held today on Elizabeth Schneider, 62, a widow who lived in the outskirts of London, but some miles

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TELLS HOW POLITICS BLOCKS ISLES' SALE

Copenhagen Correspondent of
The Manchester Guardian
Puts Blame on Campaign.

PRO-GERMANISM CRY RAISED

Opponents of the Riksdag Leader
Have Lost Sight of the Treaty
in Their Factional Rivalry.

Special Cable to The New York Times.
LONDON, Aug. 26.—Some interesting
sights are thrown on what is called
the "islands crisis" in Denmark by the
Copenhagen correspondent of The Man-
chester Guardian, who, writing on Aug.
16, made the prediction, since verified
by events, that the Danish Parliament
would postpone the sale until after the
general election. He says that the real
issue is one purely of domestic politics.
There would be a majority for the sale
of the islands if it were not complicated
by a quarrel over methods. In favor of
the sale are the Radicals, the Socialists
—the largest party—and the Left. They
are against the Cabinet's tactics, and
generally aim at throwing out Premier
Zahle, but they declare through M.
Christiansen that if a constitutional
Riksdag is elected they will vote for the
sale. Alone of the recognized parties
the Conservatives condemn both the
sale and the method of carrying it
through. Continuing, The Guardian's
correspondent says:

"The wisdom and expediency of the
sale are entirely submerged by other
questions. First comes the outcry
against secret negotiations, and an al-
leged attempt to commit the nation to
the transaction without being consulted
beforehand. Even in the present uncer-
tain situation, the Danish Parliament
has taken the lead. These
newspapers proclaim that Premier
Zahle's methods would have been in-
conceivable before the war."
The fiercest personal attacks are on
Minister Brandes, a brother of the
critic, Georg Brandes, who is reputed
to be the ablest of all the Danish poli-
ticians. Just as Premier Christiansen
is considered the country's best Riksdag
politician and negotiator, Minister
Brandes is the real negotiator of the
sale. Under the queer system in Den-
mark, her overseas possessions are
administered by different departments.
Greenland is under the Ministry of the
Interior, Iceland under the Ministry of
Justice, the Faroe Islands are adminis-
trated by a part of Zealand, and the
West Indian Islands are under the
Finance Ministry.

"The Cabinet position has been
made plain by Ministers Brandes and
Scavenius. Brandes declares that in-
ternational considerations alone were
the cause of the sale. The meaning of
the condition of the islands and the Ameri-
can monetary offer were not the decid-
ing inducements. The meaning of in-
ternational considerations was made
plain by Minister Brandes in this ques-
tion: 'What should we do, for in-
stance, if the United States occupied
the islands? We declare war or
appeal to Europe.'"

Holds Riksdag Responsible.
"Minister Brandes further said that
if the opposition had its way and forced
a general election, which could not be
decided before November, responsi-
bility for the consequences which might
follow would fall on the Riksdag. The
Conservative newspapers declare that
if this is not another false statement,
it means that Washington, for reasons
connected with the Presidential election
there, wants the deal completed at
once, and is determined to complete it
if Denmark hesitates. Foreign
Minister Scavenius emphasizes the hints
of his colleague about pressure, and
even says he does not know how far
the American Government would con-
sent to a postponement.
The Left party, in demanding a gen-
eral election, is merely repeating de-
mands which it made many times dur-
ing the last year. Up to now the de-
mand has failed because the Conserva-

tives on this question stood with the
Cabinet, and when a crisis over the
question of the islands threatened last January
the Conservatives denounced Premier
Christiansen's policy as dangerous to
Denmark's neutrality. Now the Con-
servatives and the Radicals are in an agree-
ment to attack Christiansen as a fire-
brand, general election during the
war would, in their opinion, imperil
Denmark's neutrality, and Premier
Christiansen was sharply attacked for
bringing down this risk for the mere
purpose of returning to power.
Before the island crisis began,
Christiansen's party was assailing the
Cabinet for alleged subservience to
Berlin. The Government's organs re-
plied that when Christiansen himself
was in power he and his colleagues,
Count Alfeldt, pursued a policy
so friendly to Germany that the popu-
lace called it a German course. Chris-
tiansen was sharply attacked for
trying to reverse his manoeuvre and
exploit the undoubted unpopularity of
Germany with the Danish masses in
order to become Premier. No election
cry is likely to succeed so well as
charge of pro-Germanism. The actual
issue of the islands' sale is entirely
subordinated to this party struggle."

DANISH PRESS IN DISPUTE.

Conservative Newspapers Printed
False Telegram, Opponents Charge.
Special Cable to The New York Times.
COPENHAGEN, Aug. 26. (Via Lon-
don).—A few days ago the Conservative
organ, the National Tidende, published
what purported to be a statement from
an official of the State Department in
Washington, to its London correspond-
ent. At the time the alleged statement
was published the question of postpone-
ment of the proposed Danish West In-
dies sale treaty until after the general
elections here had not been determined
by the Landsting. According to this
statement, which since has been vari-
ously ascribed to Counselor Frank A.
Polk of the State Department, to Secre-
tary Lansing, and to a "high official,"
the United States Senate was not likely
to ratify the sale treaty at its present
session.

Following publication of the statement
in the Tidende, Minister Maurice F.
Egan made inquiries of the State De-
partment in Washington regarding the
authenticity of the published declara-
tion. The Tidende, which, as the Con-
servative organ, opposed early consid-
eration of the islands' sale. In reply to
his inquiries, he received the following
telegram from Secretary Lansing: "So
far as I know, no such question has
been put to the President. A strict physi-
cal examination will be called out for
instruction for not to exceed
fifteen days a year, or for longer, with
the consent of the officers. Members of
the corps who have served for more than
fifteen days may be examined at the
end of the period for higher grades."
In time of actual or threatened hos-
tilities the order continues, "The
President may order members of the
officers reserve corps, subject to physi-
cal examination, to temporary duty with

the regular army, or as officers in vol-
unteer or other organizations, or as
officers at special rendezvous and
depots, or on other duty."
The policy of the two weeks' training
is to be fixed by the Secretary of War
on recommendation of the General Staff,
and programs of the training are to be
forwarded each year to the members of
the reserve corps. At the end of the
year records are to be made of the
amount of instruction and progress made
by the officers.
Great interest is being displayed here
in the Quartermasters Corps of the re-
serve. In the camp are officers of
some large concerns, whose special
knowledge would make them of great
value in time of war.
Major Lawton today explained to the
men who are going to take the examina-
tions for Quartermasters, what the re-
quirements were. They are divided into
two classes—one for duties which re-
quire a knowledge of administrative de-
tails and one for special services of a
professional nature requiring no special
military knowledge. The second class
is not subject to mental examination.
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300 ROOKIES TO TRY FOR RESERVE CORPS

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to Serious Work in Order to
Qualify in Examinations.

PROMINENT MEN APPLY

Bank Presidents and Railroad and
Express Company Officers Es-
pecially Interested in Quar-
termaster Corps.

Special to The New York Times.
PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Aug. 26.—With
the prospect of getting commissions in
the officers' reserve corps, the citizen
soldiers in the present camp have settled
down to the most serious kind of work.
Frivolity and "horseplay" have little
place in the camp—much to the chagrin

of many Plattsburg merchants, who say
the rookies never come to town any
more. About 300 men in the camp have
expressed their intention of taking the
examinations. The greater number of
them have attended previous camps or
have had some other military experience.
The heads of the examination boards
have not fixed any date yet for testing
the fitness of applicants. The large num-
ber of applications, however, have caused
them to decide to begin next week, prob-
ably before the holidays. Many of the ap-
plicants are ready to take the examina-
tions now, and the plan is to let each in-
dividual present himself before the board
when he wants to be examined.
The record of previous training of the
applicant will be considered part of the
examination. This means that the rec-
ommendations of company commanders
will be of great importance. A strict physi-
cal examination will precede the mental
tests. Defects of vision which may be
corrected by glasses do not disqualify.
By the terms of the general order sent
out by the War Department commis-
sions will be issued for periods of five
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itary life they see little humor, but rather
a lesson in what practical preparedness
really is. Their progress, according to
the officers, has been remarkable.
"I never saw much drilling in any of
the camps here before," one of them
said. "It is uniformly good. The
manual is executed with precision and
snap every time, and I have never seen
such lines as they hold in the regimental
parades."
An entraining drill was held this morn-
ing in preparation for the entrainment
which will take the troops off the first
day of the campaign. One of the com-
panies was marched to the railroad tracks
where two flat cars, rigged up with side
rails, were waiting. They were marched
onto the cars and off again. The men
will have to stand the entire sixteen
miles that they are going by train.
Mayor Milroy of Toledo, who has been
here as a rookie, returned home today at
the end of his tour of duty. He said
he did not expect to return. He had
intended taking the examinations for a
commission.
Continue Secret Mail Route Inquiry.
Assistant District Attorney John E.
Walker and agents of the Department
of Justice continued yesterday their ex-
amination of witnesses who were sup-
posed to know something about the
secret mail route to Germany. The
investigation grows out of information
given in connection with the arrest of
Edmund Thompson and Frederick
Uffelman, the latter a landing agent
at one time in the employ of a Nor-
wegian steamship company. It was er-
roneously stated yesterday that Uffelman
was employed by the Scandinavian
American Steamship Company.

PROTECTS MORRISON MONEY

Court Bars Lawyer from Collecting
Aged Chicagoan's Rentals.

Special to The New York Times.
CHICAGO, Ill., Aug. 26.—James R.
Ward, the attorney who benefited to
the extent of hundreds of thousands,
if not millions, of dollars by the
"philanthropy" of Edward W. Mor-
rison, aged millionaire, will collect no
more rents from two valuable down-
town properties, for a time, at least.
Papers were served on the Hotel
Company and Benjamin Roth today
requiring them to turn over the rentals
of the properties at 70-78 West Madison
Street, 5 and 7 North Clark Street,
and 15 and 17 South Clark Street, to
the receiver for Mr. Morrison.
If a trustee is appointed for Mor-
rison, it is likely that a suit will be
started to compel Ward to deed back to
him the property which Morrison
gave him.
John Sommers, the Wabash Avenue
jeweler, who is alleged to have received
money from Mr. Morrison amounting
to \$500,000, promised today to give
sensational testimony at the hearing
on Tuesday. He hinted that, as a result
of his testimony, Margaret and Alice
Burnstein, adopted daughter of Mor-
rison, might be taken away from their
foster father.
Mr. Morrison may fall heir to still

EX-WIFE CAUSES ARREST.

Engineer, Said to Own \$1,475 Al-
imony, Prevented from Leaving.

Maximilian Helmes, a civil engineer,
was arrested yesterday morning as he
was about to leave the Hotel Manhattan
to board the American liner St. Paul, on
an order signed by Supreme Court Jus-
tice Gregory of Brooklyn. The plaintiff,
Helen R. Helmes of Rochester, from
whom he was divorced, alleged that
Helmes was behind in his alimony to the
extent of \$1,475. He was arrested on
the ground that he was about to leave
the jurisdiction of the court.
Helmes said that he had remarried and
had a business in Berlin which the war
ruined. He gave his residence as Lon-
don, England, where his second wife and
child are living.
Acknowledgment.
THE NEW YORK TIMES has received
\$5 from G. M. Sommes for the Elizabeth
Whitman fund to buy anesthetics for
the Allies.

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regularly 3.95 and 4.95
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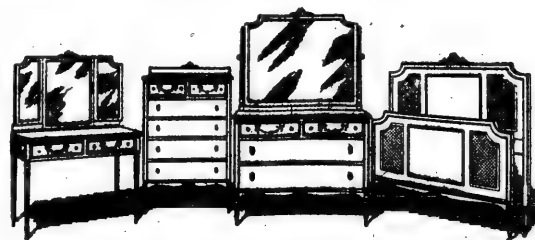
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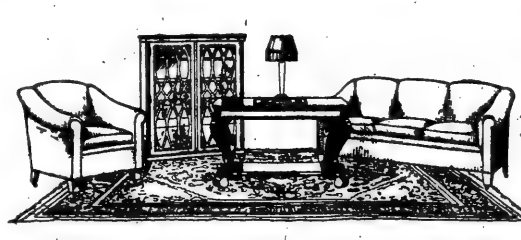
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carved frame. regularly 290.00, 184.50
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regularly 300.00
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regularly 750.00
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regularly 250.00
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regularly 550.00
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LOST IN SALT MINE, FASTS TWELVE DAYS

Workman Delirious and Almost
Unconscious After Ordeal in
Shaft Near Genesee, N. Y.

LOSES 60 POUNDS WEIGHT

Nicodowsky's Body Black and
Emaciated When the Rescuers Found
Him—Says He Had No Water.

Special to The New York Times.
ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 26.—After
wandering about the interior of the Re-
sult salt mines, west of Genesee, for
twelve nights and twelve days, Benny
Nicodowsky, a Pole, 21 years old, was
brought out alive at 10 o'clock last night,
and able to tell of his adventure. His
body was black and emaciated, and
although for the last three days he has
been too weak to walk, he was able to
give a faint yell when he heard a res-
cuing party approach him. He was
taken to the hospital of the Result com-
pany near the mine after being exam-
ined by Dr. R. A. Page of Genesee.

With ninety other men he went down
the shaft two weeks ago tonight. Some-
how he became separated from his com-
panions, the others left the mine, and
all the lights were turned out as he
was making his way toward the shaft.
He followed the track until he came
to a switch when he took a track that
led him into an old abandoned passage.
He was without matches. He wandered
around the mine, trying to find his way,
until three days ago, when he sank
exhausted to the ground, and in that
condition he remained until rescued to-
night. He was twelve days without
food.

When he was first missed an investi-
gation was begun which included the
interrogation of the boss of the gang
of which Benny was a member. The
boss said the man had come up from
the mine. As it is part of the boss's
duty to see that the men are safely out,
that explanation was accepted, but when
it could not be substantiated that any one
had seen Nicodowsky outside the mine,
fears began to be felt that he must still
be in its depths. A searching party was
organized under an order from District
Attorney William A. Wheeler.

Besides being half dead from starva-
tion, Nicodowsky was in a state ap-
proaching nervous prostration from the
dauntless experience. During the last
three days his mind had become nearly
unbalanced, it is thought, for he said
today that he had been lying in one
place for the last three days without
moving. Dr. Page does not credit his
assertion that he went without water for
that length of time. The young Pole's
tongue was not cracked or swollen as
would seem to have been the case in an
atmosphere of salt, smoke, and kero-
sene fumes. Benny speaks English fairly
well.

"I had been working one day and
one night without sleep," he said to-
night. "And my eyes got very heavy
while I worked. Pretty soon I crawled
away when the boss wasn't looking and
went to sleep. When I woke up it was
dark and quiet. I got pretty scared,
I bet you, and started to run. I go
where I think the shaft is and can't
find it. I run everywhere, and can't
find that shaft. I bump into cars.
Pretty soon I think I hear noises, and I
get so scared I stay in one place and
shiver."

The mine is an extensive one, con-
sisting of three levels, one at 500 feet,
one at 1,000 feet and a third at 1,500
feet. Passages cut up into thirty-foot
chambers lead in every direction, form-
ing a veritable maze. The chamber in
which Benny was found by the rescu-
ing party was in a part of the mine
known as level one, which has not
been worked for eight years. The elec-
tric light connections used in the active
part of the mine had been taken away,
and the passages, nearly 2,000 feet be-
low the surface of the earth, were in
total darkness. This level is the east
of the shaft. The one now being worked is
north of it.

Benny was not affected very long by
the experience as far as his mental
state was concerned. In about twenty
minutes from the time he was taken
out he was sitting up. However, when
he went down into the mine at 1 o'clock
last Sunday morning he weighed 130
pounds. Now he weighs 70 pounds.
The young Pole does not blame any-
body but himself for his mishap. He
realizes, he says, that as long as the
men attend to business and stay with
the gang there is no danger of being
lost. No blame is attached to the com-
pany by those at the mines, but it is
thought that the boss of Nicodowsky's
gang was careless in not holding that
Benny did not punch his ticket as usual
that night.

Nicodowsky kept track of the time,
he says, all through his imprisonment
by the sound of the 6 o'clock whistle that
he set off every day. The echoes,
however, presented him with a false
direction. Nicodowsky is of a habit
of unexcusable temperment. Apparently
he did not realize his danger at any
time. Dr. Page said he will be able to
return to work within a week.

IN NEW JERSEY.

BAYONNE.—Florence Kellogg, 2 years old,
received the choice of living with her
father yesterday in Recorder Cain's court
here. She chose her mother, Mrs. L. K. Kel-
logg, of 215 Eighteenth Street, Brooklyn,
who was the complainant against the father,
Harry Kellogg, whom she accused of kid-
napping the child and taking her to live with
his stepmother, Mrs. F. B. Kellogg, at 97
East Thirty-ninth Street, this city.

NEWARK.—State electricity caused a \$100,000 fire in the apartment
room of the P. Kelly & Sons building, 100
Broadway, when it came in contact with the
building's interior wiring.

HACKENSACK.—Sheriff Heath of Bergen
County with Under Sheriff Thomas B. Engle-
and a posse of men, all armed, yesterday
traced the four men who held up and
robbed Herbert H. Brown, a wealthy
resident of the Hackensack Brick Company of
Little Ferry, of \$2,800. The men cut the
telephone wire of the brick works before
committing the robbery.

ORANGE.—Mrs. Ida Mather, 50 years old,
dramatist, of 60 Eaton Place, West
Orange, committed suicide yesterday, leav-
ing a note that she feared attempts were
being made to place her in an insane asylum.

BELLEVILLE.—The family of Paul Au-
gustine, 22 Dawson Street, were awakened
by the barking of a dog on Friday night
in time to escape from their home, which
was completely destroyed by fire.

DOVER GROVE.—The Rev. Billy Sunday
yesterday morning preached the first of a
series of sixteen sermons to an audience of
about 11,000, mostly women.

BRADLEY BEACH.—Recorder Bernard V.
Henderson yesterday fined William J. Jones, an
Ocean Grove chauffeur, \$25 and sixty days in
jail for taking the car of his employer, Mrs.
B. B. Fisher, out for a joy ride on Friday
night which ended when he collided with the
automobile of Ralph Lewis, Perth Amboy,
and badly injured him.

PRINCETON.—Practically 15 per cent. of
the students at Princeton University have an-
nounced that they will not return to school
in the fall. This is proportionately three times as many
as those who are taking part in the preparedness
movement in any other college.

AUTO TRUCK KILLS BOY.

Five Other Persons Hurt in Motor
Accidents in City.

Miss May Ryan, 22 years old, of 927
East 168th Street, and Miss Elsie Smith,
aged 18 years, of 420 East 168th Street,
were slightly injured yesterday morning
in an automobile accident at the corner
of Fordham Road and Crotona Avenue,
the Bronx. The machine in which they
were driving belonged to Charles Good-
man of 1,075 Simpson Street, the Bronx.
It was driven by George Frankenberg
of 118 East 170th Street, who had an-
other man with him whose name could
not be learned. The machine turned
right, throwing the occupants to the
ground. The man escaped injury.

James Kilma, 118 West Ninety-
ninth Street, was arrested last night
charged with felonious assault after re-
sisting the arrest of a police officer. He
was driving a car down Mr. and
Mrs. Newick of 302 West 111th
Street. Kilma was following a street car
along Eighth Avenue and was said to
have turned sharply to pass the car
when it stopped to allow passengers to
board. The man escaped injury.

MRS. SKEFFINGTON HEARD.

Denies Husband Wore Green Uni-
form When He Was Shot.

DUBLIN, Aug. 26.—Women crowded
the Four Courts today when the inquiry
into the shooting of P. Skeffington, editor of The Irish Citizen, and
two others in the rebellion in Dublin
was resumed. Mrs. Skeffington, widow
of the editor, the witness was merely
called to deny German sym-
pathies and the report that her hus-
band was wearing a green uniform when
he was arrested and killed.

Otherwise the inquiry lacked interest,
the greater part of the testimony con-
sisting of the difficulty of obtaining in-
formation regarding the prisoners, their
treatment by the military authorities at
the Portobello barracks, and concerning
arrests on suspicion in connection with
the rebellion. Mrs. Skeffington, sister of
Mrs. Skeffington, described Captain
Bowen-Colthurst, who was found guilty
at his trial for the shooting of the editor
as of the "cold, collected type of Eng-
lishman whose eyes showed the cruel,
cold look which went with an unimagin-
ative nature."

SPANISH PARTY AIDS ALLIES.

Reformists' Commission Will Work
with Portuguese Leaders.

PARIS, Aug. 26.—The National Con-
vention of the Spanish Reformist Party,
says a Havas dispatch from Oviedo,
headed by Melquiades Alvarez, the Re-
formist leader, to Lisbon to express the
party's approval of Portugal's inter-
vention in the war. The committee
the dispatch adds, will then proceed to
Paris to give the Entente Allies assur-
ance of the Spanish and Reformist powers.
The convention decided also to begin
a campaign in favor of closer relations
between Spain and the Entente powers.

BATALHA, Portugal, Friday, Aug.
26, (via Paris, Aug. 26).—The first meet-
ing was held here today in a campaign
for the purpose of stirring the interest
and enthusiasm of the Portuguese people
and explaining the reasons for the
nation's intervention in the war. Among
the speakers were Melquiades Alvarez,
and other members of the Cabinet, the
democratic orator Alexandre Braga,
former Minister of the Interior, and
number of Deputies and Senators. The
meeting aroused great enthusiasm.

YOUNG ARTISTS' EXHIBITION.

Studio Fire Destroyed Works Pre-
pared for Exhibit Last Spring.

The exhibition of American decorators,
which was to have been held last Spring
under the auspices of the Society of the
Friends of Young Artists, will take place
in the Autumn. The affair was post-
poned because of the loss in the fire at
the studio of C. S. Pietro, the sculptor,
at 630 Fifth Avenue, where the work
of 150 artists was being held prior to
the exhibition.

Mr. Pietro is one of the Directors of
the society, with Mrs. Harry Payne
Whitney, Otto H. Kahn, Elihu Root,
and many other well-known persons. He
arrived at the Waldorf-Astoria yester-
day from the country, and will begin
making arrangements for the exhibition.
While Mr. Pietro estimates that his per-
sonal loss in the fire exceeds \$100,000,
his keenest regret is the loss of the
works of the young artists who had
spent so much time in the preparation
of their exhibits, which were to have
been shown in competition.

Weather in Cotton and Grain States.
N. Car. S. Car. and Ga.—Fair Sun. and
Mon.; light variable winds.
Fla.—Fair Sun. and probably Mon.; light
winds.
Ark. and Miss.—Fair Sun. and probably
Mon.; light w. winds.
Tenn. and Ky.—Fair and warm Sun. and
Mon.; light w. winds.
Ohio—Fair Sun. and Mon.; light s. w. to
w. winds.
Ind.—Fair and cooler Sun. Mon. fair; light
n. to w. winds.
Pa.—Fair Sun. and Mon.; warmer,
light w. to n. winds.
N. Mich.—Fair Sun. and Mon.; warmer,
light w. to n. winds.
E. Mich.—Fair and warm Sun. and Mon.;
light w. to n. winds.
La.—E. Texas—Generally fair Sun. and
Mon.; light w. winds.
W. Texas—Sun. and Mon. partly
cloudy.
Okla.—Sun. and Mon. unsettled; cooler Mon.
Ill.—Mon. fair; light w. to n. winds.
Mo.—Fair and warm Sun. and Mon.; fair
and warmer in extreme s. Mon. fair and warmer.
Wis.—Fair and cool Sun. Mon. fair and
warmer.
Minn.—Fair Sun. and Mon. warmer Mon.
and w. n. Sun.
Iowa—Fair Sun. and Mon. warmer Mon.
and n. w. Sun.
N. Dak.—Fair and warmer Sun. and Mon.
S. Dak.—Fair and warmer Sun. and Mon.
Neb.—Fair and warmer in s. partly cloudy
and warmer in w. Sun. Mon. fair and
warmer.
Kan.—Fair Sun. and Mon.; warmer Mon.
and in n. Sun.

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Negligees of Satin,—slip-on model with chiffon col-
lar. 9.75Slip-ons of Crepe de Chine,—very attractive model in
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4.50 and 7.50

WOOL DRESS GOODS

New Fall Novelties in Plain and Fancy Weaves and
Colors, also White and Black, at special prices.2,500 yards of Velour Suiting in a complete assortment
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shrunk. 58 inches wide. yd. 1.85

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back; also Shetland Weave Worsted
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sertion, finished with hem-
stitching. 3.95B. Semi-tailored Blouse
in White or Flesh Color,—
fine tucking-down front;
deep pointed collar in
back; white crocheted but-
tons. 3.95C. Dressy Blouse in
White or Flesh Color,—
deep collar in back; trim-
med with Point Venise
lace; fine tucking in front.
3.95D. Dainty Blouse in
White or Flesh Color,—
fine tucking down front;
eyelet embroidered collar
and lapels; lace vestee.
4.95E. Hand-embroidered
Blouse in White or Flesh
Color; effectively trimmed
with beads. 4.95F. Blouse in White
or Flesh Color, finely
hand-embroidered dots on
flat pointed collar and
down front. 4.95

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'BLUE' FLEET BEATEN, HOSTILE ARMY LANDS

Admiral Mayo Puts Theoretical Force Ashore After Wiping Out Defending Forces.

"RED" TACTICS PUZZLING

Forced the Blue Fleet to Accept Battle in a Position from Which There Was No Hope of Escape.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 26.—The great war game ever undertaken by the American Navy ended today with a victory for Admiral Mayo's "Red" fleet, which theoretically wiped out the defending "Blue" fleet and landed an invading army at Far Rockaway Beach, L. I. Rear Admiral Knight, acting as umpire, announced the result in this report to the Navy Department: "Manoeuvres completed. Red and Blue bodies engaged 9:30 to 10:30 this morning ten miles southeast of Ambrose Lightship. Blue decisively defeated. Red gaining command of sea. Red effects landing at Far Rockaway and secures base." The final report closely followed one announcing that Rear Admiral Helm's "Blue" defending fleet virtually had been annihilated in an engagement off Scotland Lightship at the entrance to New York Harbor. With the exception of a few light craft the entire "Blue" fleet was "sunk." The full extent of the "Red" losses was not known to night, although early reports showed that they included the superdreadnoughts Nevada and Texas and two destroyers. With Admiral Helm's fleet out of the way only a thin line of submarines remained to protect the coast. Then these, too, were quickly disposed of by the Red fleet, and with nothing left

to interrupt the landing of troops from his transports Admiral Mayo was declared victor in the game, and the ships, Red and Blue alike, started for Newport after four days of arduous duty at sea.

The story of the game, as pieced together from radio reports to the Navy Department, indicated that the tactics of Admiral Mayo completely puzzled Admiral Helm and forced him to accept battle in a position from which there was no hope of escape. The umpire declared the Blue fleet destroyed hours before the time limit of the action expired.

Game Began Last Tuesday. When the game began Admiral Helm's fleet was assembled at Narragansett, while Admiral Mayo, with his fleet and transport train, was 600 miles off Cape Hatteras. At 8 A. M. on Aug. 22 Admiral Helm received word of the enemy's location, and his seventeen scouts swept out to sea in a long circling line. An hour later the blue battleships also were at sea following the scouts.

The cruiser Baltimore sighted 5 battleships, 2 cruisers, and 3 other units of the Red fleet at 5 P. M. Aug. 23. They were 500 miles off the coast, steaming west. The Baltimore dared not attack such a force, and presumably fled for safety. Evidently she did not succeed, for Newport reported her arrival there yesterday, and it was understood that the vessel was "put out of commission."

It was 11 A. M., Aug. 25, before the Red force again was sighted. This time it was a battleship which was picked up 120 miles off New York. Again the Blue scout was outmatched. At 5:30 P. M. Aug. 25 the destroyer Benham, later reported destroyed in action, sighted the Red transport train seventy-five miles off the New Jersey coast. Relying on her speed to escape the convoying warships, the Benham followed the transports, keeping Admiral Helm informed. At that time the Blue battle fleet was fifteen miles further in shore, steaming in a line parallel to the transport train.

At 8:30 o'clock the same evening the Benham reported that three enemy battleships and the transport train had headed in shore to make a landing. Admiral Helm drove his battle fleet forward to intercept the "enemy" at daylight. He sighted the Red ships at 5 o'clock this morning. The transport train was steaming in toward the Long Island coast with its destroyer screen thrown out to seaward.

During the night, however, the "Red" battle fleet also had come up, and steaming parallel to the transports and

between them and the "Blue" fleet, interposed itself to cut off Admiral Helm's attack.

"Blue's" Task Was Hopeless. The fleets engaged promptly, but the "Blue" fleet's position was hopeless. To cut off the rush of the transports for the coast it had to swing sharply to the west. As the "Blue" ships came to the turn they filed in one at a time and caught the concentrated fire of Admiral Mayo's guns.

While the battle still was in progress Admiral Helm played his last card. The Block Island preceding night, wear following the movements of the "Red" transports, but kept well in shore as a last line of defense. Daylight found them within an hour or two of the chosen landing point of the invaders. Admiral Helm ordered them forward in a desperate effort to destroy the troop ships, but they were not equal to the task and the transports and their shielding fighting ships steamed by victorious.

"Disabled" Ships at Newport. Special to The New York Times. NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 26.—Fifteen ships all attached to the defending fleet under Rear Admiral Helm came into this port today. The ships were the Baltimore, of the mine division, the supply ship Culgoza, the tender Melville of the destroyer force with the destroyers Sterrett, Balch, Jarvis, Winslow, Erickson, Paulding, Duncan, Benham, and Fanning, and the destroyers Ammen and Lamson.

The supposition here is that all these vessels were either theoretically sunk or captured by Admiral Mayo's "Red" fleet. Before the arrivals today of the Flagship Birmingham with the aeronautical ship North Carolina, the mine-layers Ontario and Dubuque, the fuel ship Jupiter, and destroyers Aquila, Cushing, Jacob Jones, McCall, O'Brien, and Porter were in the bay. These ships were put out of action by Admiral Mayo's squadron in a supposed engagement on Wednesday off Cape Hatteras.

Gold Loving Cup for McCarter. MENDHAM, N. J., Aug. 26.—Former Governor Franklin Murphy was host today at his summer home here to a party of about 400 men and women who served on several committees having in charge the two hundred and fifth anniversary celebration of Newark. The guests today gathered to honor U. S. McCarter, Chairman of the Finance and Executive Committee. They gave Mr. McCarter a solid gold loving cup weighing seventy ounces.

CALHOUN NEAR WANT HE SAYS IN COURT

Former Millionaire Testifies That \$4.55 Is Practically His Sole Wealth.

WIFE FORCED TO RUN HOUSE

Ex-Street Car Operator Blames Financial Troubles to Graft Cases Conducted by Heney.

Patrick Calhoun, at one time one of the best-known and wealthiest operators of street railways in the United States, and a prominent figure in the "graft cases" prosecuted by Francis J. Heney in San Francisco in 1906-7, is practically penniless, according to his testimony in supplementary proceedings in the Supreme Court here yesterday. Mr. Calhoun, whose wealth at one time was estimated at \$14,000,000, told of his alleged fall from affluence after having been sued by Mrs. Emily J. De Forest and others for unpaid office rental. Mrs. De Forest and the other parties to the suit had asked that a receiver for Mr. Calhoun's property be appointed. "This is practically all the money I have in the world," said Mr. Calhoun, pulling \$4.55 out of one of his trousers pockets while being examined. "During the past two years I have not been able to contribute anything to the running expenses of my home. Mrs. Calhoun, who has an estate of her own, has been forced to help me."

This statement, coming from the man

whose home in Cleveland is one of the most beautiful in that city, who was President of the United Railroads in San Francisco, and who organized the traction companies in Pittsburgh, St. Louis, and Baltimore, beside being a Director in many other traction companies, caused a sensation.

Three years ago, when Mr. Calhoun resigned as President of the street car company in San Francisco, he was supposed to be very wealthy. A grandson of John C. Calhoun, the famous statesman, he had displayed some of the brilliancy of his distinguished forebear in some of his professional and business dealings. Starting his career as a lawyer in Georgia in 1875, he made his first success in the traction field by helping to consolidate the Central Railroad of Georgia, Richmond & Danville.

In addition to organizing the other traction companies mentioned he had also been a Director in the United Railways Investment Company of San Francisco, in the Calhoun Falls Investment Company, and in the Calhoun Mills, beside having been the owner of Euclid Heights in Cleveland and a large owner of real estate in South Carolina, Georgia, and Texas.

According to Mr. Calhoun's testimony yesterday the market value of his property at the time of the earthquake and fire in San Francisco was \$14,000,000. Mr. Calhoun said he lost more than \$2,500,000 in the fire, beside suffering other losses indirectly due to the catastrophe.

He blamed much of his financial troubles to the "graft cases" conducted by Mr. Heney. These cases, coming after Mr. Calhoun had achieved additional fame by defeating the street car men's union in a strike following the earthquake, brought him considerable publicity. He was indicted for bribery in one of the "graft cases," but the jury disagreed. In 1914, a year after he resigned as President of the United Railroads, the State Railroad Commission, having been alleged that the money he had diverted illegally to the company to Calhoun's bank.

"All my railway stock," said Mr. Calhoun, "was pledged to secure a \$3,000,000 deficiency in California, but they (the San Francisco prosecutors) kept me tied up there for four years or more, though I made repeated

applications to try and force a trial. Finally it came in 1906. "The trial, in my opinion, was a perfect mockery. But it lasted from January until July. As a result I was withdrawn from my business, and it was next to impossible for me to look after my affairs for nearly four years. I never would have believed a private citizen could have been dealt with so in this great country."

Mr. Calhoun was much hated by the street car men's union for having broken the strike, and it was known for a long time he was in fear of his life. He insured his life for \$500,000, but he asserted, all except \$150,000, which he pledged for a loan of \$100,000, was later defaulted by him. He invested a great deal of money in a land deal after quitting San Francisco, but lost it. It was alleged. He then came to New York City.

Mrs. Calhoun has been paying the expense of the family and advancing money from time to time," he said. "I have been trying to have her property, but recently she lost her house. All her Cleveland property has been lost. If I am thrown into bankruptcy now I shall always make a fight for Mrs. Calhoun's rights."

Arrested as He Pawned Jewelry.

A youth who entered a pawnshop in Third Avenue, near Fifty-fifth Street, last night, and tried to pawn \$1,000 worth of scarfpins, cuff links, and other articles of jewelry was seen and arrested by Detective Dockstadter of the First Branch Detective Bureau. The young man said he was Daniel Hogan, 20 years old, of 200 East Seventy-fifth Street, an elevator operator employed in the apartment house at 375 Park Avenue. He said, according to the police, that he broke into the apartment of Lieutenant Hoffman Nickerson, U. S. A., at that address, on Aug. 18, and stole the jewelry. He was locked up in a minute just by calling that policeman there.

Spine Fractured in Diving.

Thomas Thomas, 20 years, of 267 Fifty-eighth Street, Brooklyn, dived yesterday afternoon into the surf at the foot of West Twentieth Street, Coney Island, and struck the bottom. He was dragged over by life savers and taken to Coney Island Hospital, where it was discovered that he had fractured his spine. His condition is serious.

FUGITIVE BETRAYED BY MAN HE HAD FED

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never get away. Why, they'd probably make you do fourteen years more to pay you."

He shuddered and Hogan laughed. He demanded drinks, and Lee, protesting first, bought liquor with what was left of his small funds. By nightfall the money was gone and they slept in a field under some trees.

"Afraid to take me home with you?" Hogan demanded and because that was just his fear Lee protested he had no room for him, only a tiny room, and they'd be more comfortable in the fields under the trees.

Morning came and Hogan, uncomfortable after his night in the open, was sulky. He didn't want farm work. He would return the city with Lee. So they crossed the ferry. It took the last cent, and Hogan wanted food.

"Get some money," he commanded. "You ought to be able to get some. What are you going to do? Let a fellow starve?"

Threatened With Arrest.

Lee said he couldn't. No more money was coming to him until he worked again. He was broke. Hogan grew indignant. "You're a fine friend," he sneered. "You'd like to see me starve. You wish I hadn't showed up anyway. I know you. And I could send you back to jail in a minute just by calling that policeman there."

Lee begged him to be quiet. They were in Battery Park and many persons were about. Hogan laughed. He taunted Lee, called him a fall-bird, a fugitive, an escaped convict. Lee pleaded with him, recalled the awful life in a cell, begged him not to give him up. And Hogan laughed. Then he grew angry and declared he would turn Lee over to the next policeman if he didn't get money.

"You'll have to take care of me, or I'll see you're put where you can't throw

down another friend," he shouted. And then a husky person grabbed the men from behind, swung them about so they faced him, and demanded: "What's the trouble, What's all the noise? Come on, speak up, I'm Detective Moriarty of Headquarters."

Lee tried to say that nothing was the matter. He clutched Hogan's arm and tried to draw him away. Hogan laughed and jerked free. He turned to Moriarty and exclaimed: "If you're really a cop you ought to grab this fellow. He's an escaped convict from Michigan City."

Then he walked off, leaving Lee white-faced with terror and Moriarty wondering what he ought to do. Finally he led Lee to Police Headquarters. At first he tried to pretend that Hogan had been fed, but at last he broke down. "Take me back," he cried.

Lee was locked up as a fugitive from justice after he had told the whole story. Hogan is still free. There is nothing to arrest him for, but he would do well to keep out of the hands of Moriarty or his confederates. Moriarty was too startled to attend to him yesterday, but he's sure he wouldn't be another time.

ARRESTED AS A DESERTER.

Battleship Captain Has Police Lock Up Naval Militiaman.

Naval militiamen on duty are as much in the employ of the Government as the enlisted men of the navy, according to Captain Kaiser of the battleship New Jersey, who last night asked the police at Coney Island to arrest George F. Eadie of 2,337 Webster Avenue, the Bronx, as a deserter. Eadie joined the cruise on the New Jersey and deserted the battleship a week ago last Thursday when she returned to New York and anchored off Ninety-sixth Street, North River.

Eadie told his shipmates then he was tired of the work on board. He went to Coney Island and got a job dispensing soda water on the boardwalk at Brighton Beach. Captain Kaiser recognized him as he was passing, and had him locked up. He will be arraigned in the Coney Island Court.

Stern Brothers

West 42nd Street Between 5th and 6th Avenues West 43rd Street

New Autumn Models in

Women's Smart Wearing Apparel

are constantly being added to our assortments of

Tailored Suits, Street, Afternoon and Evening Dresses

embodying every new Paris idea in the rich fabrics, trimmings and smart Autumn colorings sanctioned by fashion for the coming season, also

Women's Coats and Wraps

in the new Fall fabrics, including Wool Velour, Bolivia and Velour de Laine, many with smart fur trimmings.

Prices will be found extremely moderate.

Novelty Dress Silks

FOR THE FALL SEASON, DISPLAYED ON THE SECOND FLOOR.

Comprise new and exclusive designs in rich Brocaded Tinsel effects, in silver and gold designs on satin and taffeta grounds; Brocaded Velvets on satin grounds; new assortments of Satins, Georgettes and Crepe de Chine in the latest Autumn shades; Faille Broché Velours Duchesse d'Uzes, Broché Faille Quadrille, Pekin Satin Broché deux Meteaux and Poulte de Soie Broché Argent; also Printed Silks for linings.

The "American Frat" Dress

SPECIALLY DESIGNED FOR STERN BROTHERS

IS SHOWN IN THE MISSES' DEPARTMENT.

On the Third Floor, together with a large variety of other models for Misses and Small Women, for College, School and general utility wear, in surplice, box and full plaited models, many designed in Oriental wool embroideries, and made of serges, or combinations of plaids and plain taffetas; sizes 14, 16 and 18 years, at \$14.50 and 16.50

Important August Sale of

Household and Decorative Linens

IN THE MOST DESIRABLE GRADES OF PURE LINEN, AT ONE-QUARTER TO ONE-THIRD LESS THAN USUAL PRICES.

Table Cloths, at \$2.38 to 4.00
Pure linen damask; regly. \$3.75 to 6.00
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damask, round; scalloped; reg. \$4.75 to \$8
Pure Table Linen, yd. 85c to 1.50
Satin damask; regularly \$1.10 to 2.00
Pure Linen Napkins, \$2.75 to 4.95
Satin damask; reg. \$3.75 to 6.50 doz.
Pillow Cases, pair \$1.45 to 2.25
Pure linen; hemst'd; reg. \$2.00 to 2.75
Pure Linen Sheets, \$7.25 to 12.50
Hemstitched; reg. \$9.00 to 16.00 pair

Bedspreads, hemmed, \$2.25 to 2.95
Satin finish; regularly \$3.00 to 4.00
Turkish Bath Towels, \$2.95 to 6.50
Extra large size; hemmed; regularly \$4.50 to 8.50 dz.
Huck Towels, dz. \$3.25 to 5.90
Pure linen; hemst'd; reg. \$4.00 to 7.50
Luncheon Sets, at \$3.45 to 5.50
13 pieces; Real Madeira hand embroidered; regularly \$4.75 to 8.00
Tea Napkins, dz. \$4.95 to 7.50
Real Madeira; regularly \$7.00 to 10.00

The Annual September Sale of China, Glassware, Lamps and Shades

Affording an opportunity to procure the productions of the best foreign and American makers, at decided reductions from regular prices, will commence on

Friday, September 1st

Stern Brothers

Forty-second Street

Between 5th and 6th Avenues, New York

Forty-third Street

The Last Four Days of the Furniture Sale

Will provide exceptionally large additional reductions in splendid groups of Odd Living Room, Dining Room and Chamber Suites, as well as Separate Pieces resulting from a month of unusually active sales.

The following are specimens of the unquestionably striking reductions:

For Dining Room

Mahogany Suite, 10 pieces; formerly \$288.50, at \$172.00

Mahogany Suite, 9 pieces; formerly \$460.00, at \$250.00

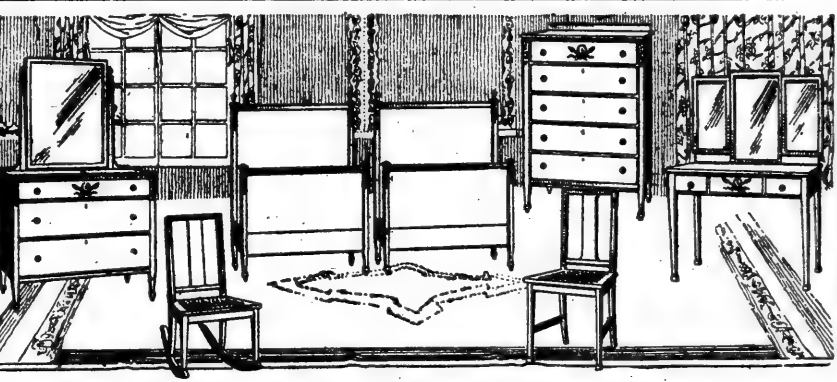
Sheraton Mahogany Suite, 10 pieces; formerly \$1025, at \$675.00

Mahogany China Closets, formerly \$40.00 to 85.00, \$26.50 to 50.00

Mahogany Buffets, formerly \$80.00 to 150.00, \$55.00 to 95.00

Odd Dining Room Tables, formerly \$60.00 to 130.00, \$25.00 to 65.00

Odd Serving Tables, formerly \$25.00 to 78.00, \$12.50 to 22.50



7-Piece Antique Ivory Bedroom Suite, with Twin Beds; Formerly \$198.00, at \$150.00

Miscellaneous Articles

Jacobean Oak Settees, cane seats and backs, \$35.00 to 90.00
Formerly \$70.00 to 150.00

Wing Chairs and Rockers, in tapestry, at \$20.00
Formerly \$30.00

Library Tables, in mahogany, \$28.50 to 80.00
Formerly \$35.00 to 125.00

Morocco Leather Arm Chairs, at \$37.50 to 110.00
Formerly \$75.00 to 165.00

Chamber Pieces

Ivory Suite, 4 pieces; full size bed; formerly \$73.50, at \$60.00

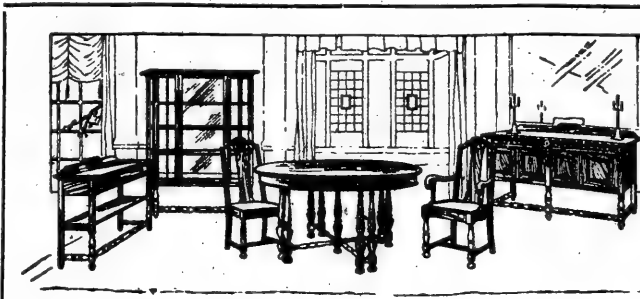
Antique Ivory Suite, 5 pcs; formerly \$125.00, at \$100.00

Antique Ivory Suite, with glass tops, including bureau, toilet table and twin beds; formerly \$470.00, at \$300.00

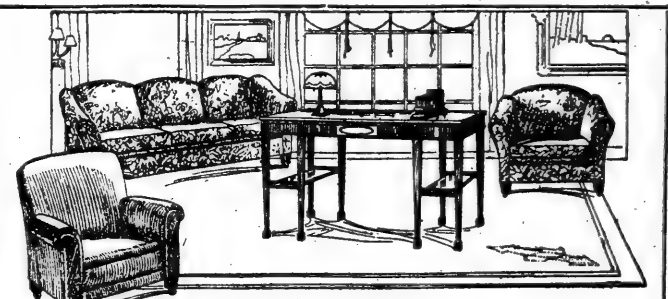
Solid Mahogany Suite, 10 pieces; formerly \$1500.00, at \$500.00

Circassian Walnut Toilet Table, formerly \$110.00, at \$55.00

Circassian Walnut Chiffonette, formerly \$115.00, at \$65.00



10-Piece Mahogany Dining Room Suite, Formerly \$239.00, at \$195.00



4-Piece Living Room Suite, Formerly \$260.00, at \$176.75

Specially Selected Groups of Rugs

Chosen from our large assortments, will be closed out during the last days of the August sale at prices totally disproportionate to their value.

Small & Medium Size Persian Rugs & Hall Runners
Values up to \$68.00, at \$24.50, 29.75, 39.75 up to 49.50

Persian Mahal, Bijar and Ghoerevan Rugs, room sizes; 7½ to 11½ ft. wide by 10½ to 18½ ft. long; regularly \$110 to \$585 at \$75.00 to \$450.00

Fine Sarouk, Kirmanshah and Kashan Rugs, room sizes; 8¼ to 10½ ft. wide by 11¼ to 16½ ft. long; regly \$265 to \$885, at \$188.00 to 650.00

Genuine Chinese Rugs, room sizes; 5¼ to 13¼ ft. wide by 8¼ to 14¼ ft. long, at \$45.00 to 225.00

Featured in American-made Floor Coverings are:

High Grade Wilton Rugs (Oriental designs)
9x12 ft., Reg. \$45 to \$75, \$34.50 to 54.00
8¼x10½ ft. Reg. \$40 to 68.50, 29.75 to 48.50
6x9 ft., Reg. \$27.50 to 46.50, 21.50 to 37.50

Inlaid Linoleum
In wood and tile effects; regularly sold at \$1.15 a square yard, at 90c

Heavy Seamless Axminster Rugs
Artistic effects; 9x12 ft., value \$39.75, 28.50
Plain and Figured Carpets
Values up to \$2.95 a yard, at \$1.25 to 1.95

Store Hours: 9 A. M. to 5 P. M.

Founded 1826

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Store Open All Day Saturday

Fancy Chiffon and Net Veils

The centre of patterned mesh and deep border of matching chiffon; in every fashionable color.

\$1.00 each; exceptional value.

Ground Floor.

Lord & Taylor

38th Street

FIFTH AVENUE

39th Street

Extraordinary Values Arranged for the Last Week of August

CHARGE PURCHASES WILL APPEAR ON BILLS RENDERED OCTOBER 1st

Fancy Square Veils

So much in vogue: all the Autumn shades.

Exceptional values at

65c and \$1.00 each

Ground Floor.

AUTUMN FROCKS**In Fetching Fashions**

Serge Dresses of the very smartest, silk Afternoon Gowns of distinctive style, enchanting Evening Frocks, are featured in the Lord & Taylor collection—in hosts of charming models.

Evening Gowns—of satin charmeuse, in cerise, blue, maize, pink or green, are in picturesque model with bodice and sleeves of silk net, strapped with gold bands; below the deep girdle flares a full corded skirt. **\$19.50****Afternoon Gowns**—of soft satin in a strikingly effective model, the surplice fronts embroidered and crossing to form a soft sash with embroidered ends; the skirt is of fashionable width. **\$22.50****Afternoon Gowns**—of satin charmeuse, the bodice fronts opening over a dainty vest of Georgette crepe trimmed with pendant buttons of black and white beads; the skirt is artfully draped at the sides to give the new "silhouette" **\$27.50**

Third Floor.

SMART BLOUSES**At Very Special Prices**

New models in the silks, crepe de chine and Georgette crepes so much in demand for early Autumn wear. Exceptional values, due to special purchases.

Crepe de Chine Blouses—in white and flesh color, two tailored models tucked and box pleated. **\$2.95****Georgette Crepe Blouses**—in white and flesh, a prettily tucked and hemstitched tailored model, button trimmed; also crepe de chine of heavy quality, smartly tucked and with a deep cape collar. **\$3.95****Georgette Crepe Blouses**—in white with the new "filigree" embroidery; Venise lace edges the deep square collar and cuffs. **\$5.00****Georgette Crepe Blouses**—a filet lace trimmed model in flesh and white, very effective with tucked yoke and cuffs; also Costume Blouses in navy and black Georgette, hand embroidered and over a chiffon foundation. **\$6.95**

Third Floor.

AUTUMN PETTICOATS**Very Attractively Priced**

These especially good values in the newest of models—full, flaring, prettily flounced styles—designed to give the fashionable silhouette.

Taffeta Petticoats—in changeable, the new Fall colors and black; deep tucked flounce, the ruffle-pleating edged. **\$2.95****Taffeta Petticoats**—of excellent quality silk in plain colors, changeable effects and black; deep shirred flounce over a silk underlay. **\$3.95****Washable Satin Petticoats**—in pink or white—the flounce of net and lace, trimmed with ribbon and rosebuds. **\$4.45**

Second Floor.

PRETTY NEGLIGEEES**Phenomenal Values**

Several charming new models, in styles practical and picturesquely effective.

Wool Crepe Negligees—in hand embroidered jacket model, the coatee over an accordion pleated skirt. **\$3.95****Bedford Cord Negligees**—in dainty light colors; an Empire model with lace trimmed collar and deep cuffs; accordion pleated skirt. **\$3.95****Crepe de Chine Negligees**—in wing sleeve kimono model of graceful style. **\$5.95**

Second Floor.

Linens, Blankets and Comfortables**In Standard Grades****Great Values for the Last Days of August****Damask Table Cloths**Pure linen—formerly \$3.75. **\$2.95****Napkins**Formerly \$3.75 a dozen. **\$2.95****Serviciable Huck Towels**Splendid values, at, dozen, **\$2.25, \$3.00, \$4.75****Scalloped Pure Linen Pillow Cases**Former price \$2.50 a pair. **\$1.88****Hand Scalloped Satin Damask**

Round Tea Cloths

Formerly \$7.50 each. **\$3.75****Elaborately Hand Embroidered,**

Madeira Tea Napkins

Extra value, at, a dozen, **\$4.75, \$5.00, \$5.50****Hand Embroidered Madeira**

Luncheon Sets

Former price \$5.50 each. **\$4.50**

Second Floor.

White Blankets

Formerly \$5.00 to \$16.75 a pair

\$3.95, \$5.75, \$9.50 and \$12.50**Comfortables**

Cotton filled—formerly \$2.00

and \$3.25. **\$1.65 and \$2.75**

Wool filled, figured cambric centre with

plain sateen borders. Formerly \$5.00. **\$3.95****Bed Spreads**Crochet—formerly \$1.65. **\$1.35**

Satin finished, hemmed. Formerly

\$2.75 and \$3.25. **\$2.35 and \$2.85**

Satin finished, scalloped. Formerly

\$3.50 and \$4.50. **\$2.95 and \$3.95****Satin Finished Scalloped**

Bed Sets

Full size. Formerly \$6.00. **\$5.00**

Sixth Floor.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday

LAST FOUR DAYS

of the

MIDSUMMER SALE OF FURNITURE

Many Odd Suites and Single Pieces

At $\frac{1}{2}$ Price

Only a Few of Which Are Itemized Below

The opportunity to secure Lord & Taylor Furniture (all of which is constructed by the Best Makers in America), at Half Price, is one of which every prospective buyer should take the fullest advantage.

It is an Occasion of Rare Occurrence

Dining Room Furniture

	Formerly	Now
Oak China Cabinet.....	\$40.00	\$20.00
Fumed Oak Extension Table.....	\$25.00	\$12.50
Grey Oak China Cabinet.....	\$50.00	\$25.00
Fumed Oak Buffet.....	\$50.00	\$25.00
Fumed Oak Extension Table.....	\$55.00	\$27.50
Grey Oak Extension Table.....	\$62.50	\$31.25
Mahogany China Cabinet.....	\$65.00	\$32.50
Mahogany China Cabinet.....	\$80.00	\$40.00
Mahogany China Cabinet.....	\$85.00	\$42.50
Oak China Cabinet.....	\$85.00	\$42.50
Mahogany China Cabinet.....	\$90.00	\$45.00
Jacobean Oak Extension Table.....	\$110.00	\$55.00
Oak Dining Room Table.....	\$150.00	\$75.00
Mahogany Extension Table.....	\$165.00	\$82.50
9-pc. Mahogany Suite.....	\$434.50	\$217.25
11-pc. Brown Oak Suite.....	\$470.00	\$235.00
9-pc. Jacobean Oak Suite.....	\$650.00	\$325.00

Bedroom Furniture

	Formerly	Now
3-pc. Mahogany Suite.....	\$350.00	\$175.00
4-pc. Ivory Suite.....	\$450.00	\$225.00
5-pc. Ivory Suite.....	\$550.00	\$275.00
5-pc. Mahogany Suite.....	\$585.00	\$292.50
11-pc. Prima Vera Suite.....	\$1050.00	\$525.00
11-pc. Decorated Enamel Suite.....	\$1250.00	\$625.00
11-pc. Walnut Suite.....	\$2487.50	\$1243.75
11-pc. Walnut Suite.....	\$2500.00	\$1250.00
13-pc. Mahogany Suite.....	\$2700.00	\$1350.00

Sixth Floor.

Living Room Furniture

	Formerly	Now
Mulberry Velour Arm Chair.....	\$95.00	\$47.50
Blue Velour Arm Chair.....	\$95.00	\$47.50
Blue Velour Wing Chair.....	\$125.00	\$62.50
Blue Velour Davenport.....	\$145.00	\$72.50
Blue Velour Arm Chair.....	\$150.00	\$75.00
Blue Velour Davenport.....	\$150.00	\$75.00
Red Leather Arm Chair.....	\$160.00	\$80.00
Mulberry Velour Cane Sofa.....	\$200.00	\$100.00
Blue Velour Sofa.....	\$250.00	\$125.00
2-pc. Blue Velour Suite.....	\$290.00	\$145.00
Red Leather Sofa.....	\$325.00	\$162.50
2-pc. Mulberry Velour Suite.....	\$330.00	\$165.00
2-pc. Blue Velour Suite.....	\$330.00	\$165.00
2-pc. Mulberry Velour Suite.....	\$350.00	\$175.00
2-pc. Blue Velour Suite.....	\$385.00	\$192.50
3-pc. Blue Velour Suite.....	\$420.00	\$210.00
3-pc. Mulberry Suite.....	\$455.00	\$227.50
3-pc. Mulberry Velour Suite.....	\$460.00	\$230.00
3-pc. Mulberry Velour Suite.....	\$505.00	\$252.50
2-pc. Blue Velour Suite.....	\$550.00	\$275.00

Odd Dressers, Chiffoniers, Dressing Tables and Wood BedsAlso at $\frac{1}{2}$ Price

The Balance of Our Entire Stock will be offered during these Four Days at Reductions of 10 to 50 Per Cent.

Sixth Floor.

SWEATERS

Of Milanese Silk

Formerly \$9.50 to \$15.00

\$8.50

A collection of fashionable Sport Sweaters in almost every popular color and color combination. Included are Russian models with belts or sashes, also picturesque shirred sweaters, with collars, cuffs and sashes in gay striped effects.

Third Floor.

Semi-made**SKIRTS**

Formerly \$2.50 to \$3.75

\$1.00

150 of them in Sport

stripes.

Ground Floor.

GIRLS' SERGE DRESSES**Advance Fall Model**Special **\$7.95**

Navy blue serge makes the box pleated skirt, deep belt and patch pockets of this extremely smart model, trimmed with black silk braid. The adjustable blouse is of white pique with deep collar and cuffs. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

Regulation Dresses

Of Blue Serge

Fine quality serge in belted model with box pleated skirt; collar and cuffs are braid strapped, and sleeves embroidered. Sizes 6 to 14 years. **\$8.50****Gymnasium Bloomers**Black poplin in very full cut style, well reinforced. Sizes 6 to 20 years. **\$2.95**

Third Floor.

INFANTS' DRESSES

Formerly \$2.95 to \$6.95

\$1.95

Smartest of Middy and Russian models, hand smocked, in colored Japanese crepes and chambrays. Tailored styles in crisp linens and gingham.

Also dainty white Dresses of sheer organdie and lawn, embroidery and lace trimmed. Sizes up to 6 years—incomplete.

Fourth Floor.

Fancy Cotton VOILES

Formerly 25c and 35c

15c

Desirable styles and colors.

Ground Floor.

DAINTY LINGERIE**At Substantial Reductions**

Models in which are included the designer's prettiest fancies, at radical price revisions, because space must be made for newly-arriving stocks.

Gowns in Flesh and White**98c and \$1.45**

A dozen or more styles simply trimmed with embroidery or hemstitching or elaborate with lace and embroidery.

Flesh Batiste Chemise**50c and 75c**

Sheer batiste with embroidery edges or Valenciennes and organdie embroidery medallions.

Silk Underbodies**98c and \$1.25**

White and pink crepe de chine and tub silk, Valenciennes trimmed.

Second Floor.

Oriental Rugs

Of Guaranteed Quality From Our Regular Stock At Extraordinary Price Concessions for This Week

Khiva Bokhara Rugs.....	Size 7-9x10. 6	Formerly \$140.00	Now \$95.00
Persian Sarouk Rugs.....	Size 7 x 10.11	Formerly \$300.00	Now \$185.00
Persian Sarouk Rugs.....	Size 8.4x12	Formerly \$450.00	Now \$265.00
Persian Sarouk Rugs.....	Size 9 x 12	Formerly \$495.00	Now \$365.00
Persian Meshed Rugs.....	Size 13.4x16. 8	Formerly \$475.00	Now \$250.00
Savalan Rugs.....	Size 11 x 14	Formerly \$337.50	Now \$265.00
Savalan Rugs.....	Size 12.7x15. 5	Formerly \$435.00	Now \$295.00
Savalan Rugs.....	Size 13.6x16	Formerly \$530.00	Now \$395.00
Laristan Rugs.....	Size 12 x 18	Formerly \$675.00	Now \$465.00
Laristan Rugs.....	Size 14 x 20	Formerly \$875.00	Now \$610.00
Persian Mahal Rugs.....	Size 15.8x26. 2	Formerly \$850.00	Now \$650.00
Persian Hamidan Rugs.....	Size 14.4x23	Formerly \$1500.00	Now \$975.00

Domestic Rugs

Best Quality English and American Wilton Rugs

Discontinued patterns at very special prices to close.

Size 9x12, Formerly \$75.00, Now **\$57.50** Size 8.3x10.6, Formerly \$66.50, Now **\$52.50**

Smaller and larger sizes, at proportionate reductions. Quantities limited in some sizes.

Rag and Cretonne Rugs (all sizes) 25 to 33 1/4% less than Former Prices.

Fifth Floor.

THIEVES LOOT STORE NEAR POLICE STATION

Select Finest Furnishing Goods at Leisure at Brill Brothers' in Cortlandt Street.

GET AWAY IN AUTOMOBILE

One Burglar Takes Time to Don an Entirely New Outfit—Stolen Goods Valued at \$5,000.

Four discriminating burglars traveling in a touring car jimmied their way into the store of Brill Brothers, 47 Cortlandt Street, early yesterday morning, and separated with about \$5,000 worth of the finest men's furnishings in stock. To gain an entrance they first broke into the hallway of 165 Greenwich Street, the side entrance of the building in which the store is situated; tore out three steps of the stairway leading to the second floor, dropped through the hole into the cellar, and from there opened the cellar door leading into the Brill store. To open the door on Greenwich Street the burglars worked directly opposite the Greenwich Street Police Station, a fact that apparently did not cause them either uneasiness or haste. Indeed, in such security did they work

that one man had time to undress and then dress in an entire new outfit from that to shoes.

It is believed that the burglars arrived about midnight. They evidently were familiar with the place, for they tore out the steps and were able to drop conveniently upon the cellar stairs beneath. From the evidence left behind, it is apparent that two of the four entered the store through the Greenwich Street door. One man acted as "lookout" near the corner, and signaled to the chauffeur to bring the car up. The third man assisted the two inside to open the front door of the store, so as to keep their "get away" open.

The burglars worked methodically. They took only the finest goods and showed a decided preference for silk. Hanging along the front of the case opposite the front door of the store were piles of silk shirts. The burglars took every shirt in the long case. They stripped seven display racks of the very finest of neckwear. Box after box of silk socks and silk underwear were emptied at the boxes thrown behind the counter. Up and down the shelves back of the counters the burglars traveled, emptying boxes as they went. Then they turned their attention to the jewelry case, and collar buttons, scarves, and gloves were taken. All of the good grades of gloves were stolen. As a last thought, apparently one of the men broke open the cash drawer behind the cashier's inclosure and took \$15 in money, and \$5 in stamps.

leisure and, with so little regard for appearances that they left the front door wide open.

About 2:55 A. M. two bakers and a fruit vendor saw the burglars put the loot into the car and drove away. They went to the police and have learned, however, self-possession and well dressed. The goods stolen were carried off in a black cloth bag. George Herzog, a baker, of 208 Eighth Avenue, said he saw the burglars leaving the store. He figured that their presence in Cortlandt Street at that hour in the morning could not be for a lawful purpose, and he went in search of a policeman. He said he could not find one, and he then thought of the burglars of the station house, and he hurried there and told the Lieutenant at the desk that he was sure the store had been robbed. The Lieutenant hurried around, but all that remained of the burglars was the evidence of entry and a faint smell of gasoline in Cortlandt Street.

MRS. SHONTS ASKS DAMAGES

Wife of Railway Head Says She Lost \$10,000 in Stock Deal.

Mrs. Millie D. Shonts, wife of Theodore P. Shonts, is the plaintiff in a suit filed yesterday in the Supreme Court for \$10,000 against Henry A. Haines, who is alleged to be an officer and Director in the Barytes and Chemical Company.

Mrs. Shonts charges that she subscribed for \$25,000 worth of stock and gave her notes in payment. Subsequently, she says, demand was made for the stock, and she returned it with the understanding that the notes were to be given back to her. This was not done, and she was informed, she alleges, that all had been destroyed except one for \$5,000 which was placed for an indebtedness of \$1,000. She charges that some of the notes were assigned to third parties, and she lost \$10,000 in settling for them.

LONDONERS WANT LIGHT AMUSEMENT

Tendency of Theatregoers, as the New Season Opens, Is Toward the Frivolous.

EXTENDS EVEN TO FILMS

Reaction from the Gloom of the War Is Seen in the Productions Now Showing.

Special Cable to The New York Times.

LONDON, Aug. 26.—The production of "High Jinks" this week at the Adelphi Theatre may be said to mark the opening of such a Fall theatrical season as London is likely to have, for His Majesty's Theatre reopens Thursday next with Oscar Asche's "Churchill-Club," and one or two other new pieces will be seen behind the footlights shortly after.

Except for a comedy by Henry Arthur Jones, nothing of much dramatic importance is on the program, for London's theatrical managers are convinced that their public wants frivolous rather than serious productions, and wants to be made to laugh rather than to cry. In a time like the present, so much mourning, hidden though it may be, there is a reaction in the minds of

many against all thought of melancholy, and the most popular performance is the London and of a light-hearted comedy like "Happy Days," at the Daly's, and "Manhattan," at the Prince's. And sweetly sentimental and romantic productions like "Daddy Long Legs," at the Duke of York's, and "The Girl of the Year," at the Lyric, to which Doris Keane returns on Monday after a three weeks' holiday, and an amusing realistic comedy like "Hobson's Choice," at the Apollo.

At present, indeed, not a single London theatre is presenting a deliberately serious play. The tendency to light-heartedness in popular amusements has affected even the cinemas, and this week has been a discussion whether the authorized War Office films of the opening day's battle of the Somme are not too tragic for everybody. The evidence of entry and a faint smell of gasoline in Cortlandt Street.

MOVIE "SUPERS" TO STRIKE

Present Scale of Wages to Agents Who, They Say, Eat Up the Profits.

The movie "supers" after uniting the good offices of Hugh Frawley, the local representative of the American Federation of Labor, have banded together, 10,000 strong, to make war on the agents who supply supernumeraries to moving picture Directors.

Louis Stern, who has been working for the new organization, said last night: "It's a crying shame the way these poor fellows are treated. The 'super' business was pretty good at one time, but it is now all shot to pieces. These agents have no heart at all. They work these fellows night and day and get about \$10 a week. The motion picture concerns for each 'super' they supply, and they pay the man hired \$1.50 for a day's work. Formerly these fellows got as high as \$10 a day. Now the agents are eating up all the profits."

Stern cited instances where men hired for non-actors had been seriously injured as the result of stairways and other properties falling with them. The list of complaints read: 1. Any "super" called upon to do

duty in a dress suit is to get \$5 per diem.

2. Any "super" who is called upon to do "bumper" work is to get \$7.50 per diem.

3. Any "super" who is called upon to work in civilian dress is to get \$5 per diem.

4. A week of "bumper" coming in numbers from 1 to 15 are to get \$3 per diem per "super"; from 15 to 30 \$4 per diem; from 30 to 50 \$5 per diem; and over that number, \$2.50 per diem.

5. To a scene that calls for stunt work, the "super" or "supers" at the case may be, are to get \$5 per diem.

6. A fixed or walking suit calls for the same amount.

7. Tramps or gangsters are to get \$2 apiece per diem up to 50 in number; over that, \$3.

8. Every studio is obliged to feed the "supers" engaged.

9. Night work calls for \$3.50 per diem. The hours are from 8:30 till 2 A. M. In the daytime the hours are 8:30 till 5:30 P. M. Overtime calls for double pay.

Shackleton to Try Again

BUENOS AIRES, Aug. 26.—Lieutenant Sir Ernest H. Shackleton, the antarctic explorer, left Punta Arenas, Chile, today on board the ship "Echo" to make a third attempt to rescue the members of his expedition marooned on Elephant Island.

STOPS HORSE AT LIFE'S END

"Mile-a-Minute" Murphy, in Another Daring Feat.

Motor Cycle Policeman Charles M. Murphy, whose feats earned him the name of "Mile-a-Minute Murphy," and who has been cycle racer and aviator in turn, stopped a runaway horse last night after a dash across the Manhattan Bridge at the risk of his life. The horse, which is owned by Jackson Browne, truckman, of 205 South Street, and was driven by George Brown, hotel street, his bride broke as he was passing under the Manhattan arch.

Murphy saw the horse and rider galloping full tilt to one side, amid shouts of "runaway," and a second later the horse was on top of him. He drove for its bridle, but was thrown to the side and the animal sped on. The policeman then mounted his motor cycle and started in pursuit.

The horse ran across the Bowery and into Canal Street and then Murphy caught him. He swung from his saddle and hung to the animal's head until it stopped. Brown, who had been thrown out, then came up and between them they reined the horse. Murphy, who was scratched and cut about the legs, returned to his post on the bridge.

This store will be closed all day Saturday, Sept. 2, and Monday, Sept. 4.

Arnold, Constable & Co.

5th Avenue at 40th Street

FEATURING NEW FALL MERCHANDISE

CLOSING OUT SUMMER STOCKS for Monday and Tuesday

The New Fall Fashions in Women's, Misses' and Junior's Apparel

WOMEN	MISSES	GIRLS
New Fall Suits—Copies of Paris models, of satin finished broadcloth and wool velvet in the latest colorings, featuring the long and medium length coat, plain or handsomely trimmed with fur. Specially priced.	New Fur Trimmed Suits of Broadcloth and Wool Velour in the newest suit shades in a variety of youthful models, with collar and cuffs of handsome fur. Sizes 14 to 20 years and small women. Specially priced.	School Dresses of Serge and other wool fabrics, in plain colors, plaids, and striped effects in a variety of models, some braided or embroidered, also in combination with plaid Taffeta or Satin. Sizes 12 to 16 years. Specially priced.
New Fall Serge Dresses—A most interesting collection for street and mountain wear, featuring the new bead and wool embroideries. Specially priced.	Serge Dresses for Street and School—Of Navy Serge, with Foulard, Taffeta, or Satin combinations, and smartly embroidered in the new colorings. Specially priced.	White Frocks of Voile trimmed with lace and ribbon, or dotted Swiss in very dainty models, lace trimmed or smocked. Specially priced.
New Fall Afternoon Dresses of Satin, Charmeuse, Satin and Georgette combinations, handsomely embroidered in gold and silver, also with jet incrustations. Specially priced.	Fall Model Afternoon Dresses of Satin in fashionable shades, with Georgette collar and embroidery; also Dresses of Charmeuse and Georgette in combination, with smart touches of bead embroidery. Specially priced.	Tailor Suits of Navy Serge and Mixtures, in Norfolk, belted, and other styles. Suitable for street and school wear. Sizes 12 to 16 years. Specially priced.
New Fall Evening Gowns—A choice assortment of high-class models in Pompadour and Silver Brocade, Nets with Paillette introductions, also plain and shaded Taffetas.	The New Dance Frocks in Taffeta in pastel and bright colors, combined with tulle or lace; also gold and silver brocade effects with net combinations. Specially priced.	Silk Slips for Lingerie and Net Frocks, in white, pink or pale blue, with flounce and lace edging. Specially priced.

Silk Hosiery
Plain, clocked effects, and all fashionable shades.

Pure Thread Black Silk Hose of dependable quality, lustrous and desirable weight; cotton tops and soles. 8 pairs at 72c pair. Regularly \$1.00 pair.

Pure Thread Clocked Silk Hose—Black silk of excellent quality, with white clocks; highly lustrous and smart in effect; cotton tops and soles. 3 pairs at 90c pair. Regularly \$1.50 pair.

Pure Thread Silk in a large assortment of most fashionable shoe and gown colorings. 3 pairs at 90c pair. Specially priced.

Fall Fashions in Feather Neckwear
The new Fall Models in Ostrich and Marabout, at very special prices.

Ostrich Feather Bows—27 inches long, extra fine full fluff, finished with heavy tassels, in black, white and taupe. Very special at 5.95.

Marabout Collarettes—An imported novelty in black and navy, finished with satin strap and buttons. Very special at 3.95.

New Fall Sweaters
We are now displaying the new Fall Models and Imported Novelties in Pure Silk, in the smartest Autumn colorings, at most moderate prices.

Shetland Wool Sweaters for sport and wear, in white, cream, old green, rose, orange pink and blue; also white with striped collar and cuffs. Value \$10.75. 7.50.

Closing Out Summer Stocks
150 Women's Suits, Coats, Dresses
85 Misses' Suits, Coats, Dresses
75 Children's Wash Dresses

Final Reductions
1/3 to 1/2 Less
NO C. O. D.'S
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ALTERATIONS 1/2 PRICE

Silk Gloves
Desirable styles to begin the Fall season.

Two-clasp Gloves of superior quality silk in all black or black with white stitching; smart and comfortable for early Fall wear. 45c Pair.

16-Button Length Silk Gloves of very dependable grade, double finger tips and Paris Point stitching, all sizes in black. Regularly \$1.25 pair. 75c.

3 pairs at 72c pair.

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1/3 Off to 1/2 Price

Envelope Chemise of Habutai Silk and Crepe de Chine, lace trimmed and hemstitched. Reduced to 6.50. Were \$2.50 to \$10.00.

Night Gowns of Habutai Silk and Crepe de Chine, lace trimmed and hemstitched. Reduced to 3.95. Were \$6.50 to \$7.95.

Camisoles of Habutai Silk, lace trimmed. Reduced to 1.10. Were \$1.50 to \$2.50.

Women's New Fall Blouses
Fancy Silks in the new blue, green, and gold plaid effects; also handsome satin and silk blouses in tones of brown, red, and blue, with threads of gold. Specially priced. 5.75.

Crepe de Chine Tailored Model in white and flesh, with neck and collar. Specially priced. 2.95.

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An exceptional assortment of fresh, dainty models in Batiste, Voiles, Colored Linen and Lingerie fabrics, in all white or pretty color combinations.

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Discontinued patterns 1/2 to 1/3 off to close.

Bigelow Body Brussels in our own private patterns with borders to match, suitable for large, medium and small rooms. Formerly \$1.65 to \$2.00 yard. 1.25.

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Saks & Company

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Final Offerings in the

Annual August Sale of Furs which concludes Saturday, Sept. 2nd

THERE is just one more week in which these fashionable furs may be had at such remarkable prices. Each piece is from regular stock, absolutely the same quality garments that will be offered at the expiration of this sale at regular prices.

The models shown are authentic copies of the very newest European creations for 1916-17. Newer furs, at such modest prices, cannot be found anywhere.

On receipt of one-third the purchase price we will store until Nov. 1, free of charge, any furs you may select. Balance to be paid at time of taking furs from storage.

Hudson Seal Coat, 45 inches long. August Sale Price \$85.00.

Hudson Seal Coat, 40 inches long. August Sale Price \$100.00.

Hudson Seal Coat, 45 inches long (remarkable quality fur). (Illustrated) August Sale Price \$135.00.

Hudson Seal Coat, with skunk collar and cuffs. August Sale Price \$142.50.

Hudson Seal Coat, with deep skunk collar, cuffs, and 12-inch border. Exceptional sweep in skirt. August Sale Price \$315.00.

Leopard Coat, 40 inches long, with badger collar and cuffs. Sport model. August Sale Price \$125.00.

Separate Fur Pieces

White Fox Scarfs. \$15.75. Hudson Seal Capes. \$19.50.

Red Fox Scarfs. \$12.50. Hudson Seal Muffs. \$13.50.

Kamchatka Blue Fox Sets. \$75.00. Mole Skin Stoles. \$55.00.

Poired Fox Sets. \$67.50. Mole Skin Muffs. \$16.50.

Imitation Silver Pointed Fox Sets. \$99.50. Kolinsky Capes. \$33.50.

Furs listed as Hudson Seal are made of dyed muskrat. Skunk Muffs. \$19.50.

Women's Suits, Wraps, Coats, Skirts and Misses' Apparel At Season-End Prices Tomorrow

Women's Coats... were \$45.00 to \$95.00... now \$25.00.

Women's Coats... were \$25.00 to \$39.50... now \$16.00.

Women's Coats... were \$19.50 to \$29.50... now \$10.00.

Women's Coats... were \$16.50 to \$22.50... now \$7.50.

Women's Coats... were \$12.50 to \$19.50... now \$5.00.

Women's Coats... were \$10.00 to \$13.50... now \$3.95.

Women's Sport and Dress Skirts... \$5 to \$7.50. Formerly \$9.75 to \$25.

Women's Wash Skirts, \$1.25, 1.95, 2.95, 3.95. Formerly \$2.50 to \$7.50.

Women's Silk Sport Suits... Reduced to \$7.50. Formerly \$25.00.

Women's Silk and Wool Jersey Sport Suits... \$14.50. Formerly \$19.50 to \$29.50.

Misses' Wash and Silk Dresses, \$3.95, \$6.95 & \$9.75. Formerly \$5.95 to \$29.50.

Girls' White and Colored Dresses... 75c to \$7.95. Formerly \$1.95 to \$16.50.

Girls' Party Dresses... \$5.95 to \$9.75. Formerly \$10.50 to \$22.50.

Beginning tomorrow, Monday, at 8.30 A. M.

Final Clearance Sale of 800 Pairs Women's Pumps and Oxfords at \$1.95

Formerly \$5, \$6 and \$7.

Odd sizes and limited selection of models usually characteristic clearance sales. In that particular this event tomorrow differs from the ordinary.

The styles included are some of the smartest shown this season; the selection of leathers and combinations is most unusual, and from a selection of 800 pairs it will be easy to find your size in one of the many models shown.

THE STYLES
All patent pumps, Oxfords and pumps in patent and gun metal with backs of tan, or grey buckskin; combinations of white and tan, and white and black; also white linen Oxfords trimmed with white or tan leather. Second Floor.

200 Wavy Hair Switches, \$2.95
Formerly \$4 and \$5.

24-inch switches, made of fine quality wavy hair. Also—Real Hair Nets, special at 85c dozen.

DANIELS PLANS TO RUSH NEW NAVY

Believes That Within Six Months
106 Vessels Will Be Under Construction.

EXPLAINS THE NEW LAW

He Is Confident That America
Will Gain Second Place
Among World's Powers.

TO SPEND \$545,000,000

Total May Even Reach \$654,000,000 If Rush Construction
Work Is Attempted.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 26.—In the first authorized interview he has given concerning the new naval building program, Josephus Daniels, the Secretary of the Navy, said that it was believed from the best information obtainable that this program would put the United States in second place among the naval powers of the world, unless other countries undertook a fleet construction policy for the purpose of preventing the United States from attaining that position. Admiral Dewey, Mr. Daniels said, was of the opinion that when the program was completed the United States would easily be second in naval strength. Another striking thing said by the Secretary of the Navy was that within six months the United States would have 106 naval vessels under construction. The interview was given to The New York Times by Secretary Daniels prior to his departure from Washington on Wednesday to engage in the Maine political campaign. It may properly be called a series of interviews, for, before answering some of the questions asked, Mr. Daniels sent to various bureaus of his department for the latest information to enable him to avoid the possibility of any error through depending entirely on his memory. As much of this information had to be obtained by a search of the files, and as preparation required considerable time, the conclusion of the series of interviews was necessarily deferred until the last of the data desired was in Mr. Daniels's possession. With memoranda thus obtained before him, the Secretary was able to give a comprehensive survey of what the new naval law means to this Government at a time when the necessity of supremacy on the seas has been demonstrated emphatically.

Much of what was said by Secretary Daniels had not hitherto been disclosed. Mr. Daniels explained that in anticipation of various authorizations contained in the new naval law the Navy Department had been making preparations for the last six months to carry out features of the expected extensive building program, and on that account was half a year ahead in its effort to augment the fleet within the shortest possible period.

"The only thing in this world that counts is results; my duty is to build and not to boast," said Secretary Daniels, after referring to the large number of naval vessels that the present Congress has authorized. Mr. Daniels gave credit to President Wilson for having aroused the country to the necessity of naval preparation through his speech-making trip into the Middle West. He also made reference to the criticisms that had been directed against his administration of the Navy Department and indicated that instead of becoming angry with his critics and ignoring their strictures he had carefully studied the suggestions they had made and had adopted and applied those that he believed were valuable.

"The naval bill owed its success, as it owed its inspiration, to the President," said Secretary Daniels, but the President recognized that it could not be enacted unless it was favored by the people of all parts of the country. He went to the people and presented his program and the people instructed their representatives accordingly. The result of this action of Congress will make the American Navy second to none in the world and will put us in a position where with a fleet of more than 200 ships our naval force may be enlarged to any extent that the exigencies of the nation may demand.

Explains the New Law.

Secretary Daniels gave some interesting information as to what the new Naval law would enable the Secretary of the Navy to do to develop the fleet from the standpoint of material. The great accomplishment of this law from the standpoint of the material development of the navy, said Mr. Daniels, is its authorization for the construction of a large number of new

vessels of all classes, a total of 157. What this section of the law does as regards numbers of vessels and fighting strength of the navy, I will give in detail after I have explained that next to this section there must be ranked in order of importance the sections of the law authorizing a large increase in the construction of the navy; that establishing the legal status of specialization in steam engineering, and that establishing an aviation corps, which is to include officers skilled in the design and construction of aircraft as well as being capable of operating them.

"These sections provide means for the building up of the technical branches of the naval establishment in such a manner as to insure great future progress in all matters affecting the navy. The law further authorizes the establishment of an experimental laboratory where the advice and assistance of civilian scientists and experts of the highest standing in experimental and development work of the utmost importance will be carried out. To establish the laboratory \$1,500,000 is provided. I have asked the members of the Naval Consulting Board, headed by Thomas A. Edison, to meet me on Sept. 28 for the purpose of making plans for the establishment of the laboratory.

The bill carries an appropriation of \$12,720,000 for building up the ammunition reserves of the navy to a point never before attained, but the necessity for which has been amply demonstrated by the experience of belligerents in the present European war. The bill carries authorization for the construction of a Government armor plant and a Government projectile plant which will permit the Government to manufacture and develop a large portion of its material for the purpose of making plans for the establishment of a large number of new ships. It carries marked increase in practically every current appropriation for the technical bureaus, including the greater latitude in the development and construction of material under their charge.

In appropriation of \$1,000,000 is made to permit the Secretary of the Navy to increase the shipbuilding facilities of the navy yards. The bill carries an appropriation of \$1,000,000 for the development of the naval aviation station at Pensacola, Fla., which will give to the navy the best facilities for the extensive development of this new but highly important branch of the navy.

New Construction Authorized.

When Secretary Daniels was asked how the provisions for new warship construction carried in the law compared with those of the last decade he produced a table which showed that the new law authorized the construction of 10 battleships, 10 battle cruisers, 10 scout cruisers, 20 destroyers, 30 submarines, 25 coast submarines, 2 gunboats, and 11 tenders with a total displacement of about \$12,000,000. Another table furnished by the Secretary showed that during the decade from 1906 to 1915, inclusive, there were authorized 10 battleships, 58 destroyers, 18 auxiliary cruisers, 2 gunboats, and 2 tenders, with a total displacement of 707,194 tons.

"It is estimated," said Secretary Daniels, "that the vessels authorized by this bill will cost about \$545,000,000. The act further authorizes the expenditure of 20 per cent. additional to this estimate for purposes of expediting their construction, if necessary, which means that the expenditure of \$654,000,000 is authorized under the new law. The bill provides that the cost of the vessels authorized in the last decade was about \$310,000,000 while all of them have been completed. I think it is interesting in this connection that the total cost of all the vessels of the Navy authorized from 1863 to 1915 inclusive is about \$700,000,000.

Another question put to Secretary Daniels concerned the approximate effect the program of new construction would have on the relative standing of the United States Navy as compared with the other great navies. In answer Mr. Daniels said:

"Due to the fact that the programs of the new construction of all the belligerents in the present war are held strictly confidential and accurate information cannot be obtained, it is impossible to make an accurate estimate of the present and prospective strength of their fleets. From the best information obtainable, however, it is our opinion that our program would put the United States in second place among the naval powers of the world unless other countries undertake to lay down a sufficient number of ships to prevent the United States from attaining that position. Admiral Dewey gives it his opinion that we will be easily second when the program has been completed."

To Start 106 Vessels.

Another table was furnished by Secretary Daniels in response to a question as to how many vessels for the navy would be under construction simultaneously when the new building program was begun. The new law provides that the program must be begun within six months. The table showed that there would be 106 vessels under construction, including 10 battleships, 4 battle cruisers, 4 scout cruisers, 24 destroyers, 37 submarines, 1 gunboat, and 1 auxiliary.

"Do the designs of the new warships embrace the results of the lessons of the present European war?" Mr. Daniels was asked.

"When the characteristics of all the new vessels become known," said Mr. Daniels, "it will be seen that marked changes have been made in many of the most important characteristics of every class of vessel. These changes are due primarily to a careful study by all branches of the Navy Department of every naval battle and every development which has taken place since the beginning of the war. It is not only in the chief characteristics of the ships that the results of this study will be found, but there also will be many developments in the details arising from the same causes. The new battleships will mount 16-inch guns. Up to this time the heaviest naval weapon is the 14-inch gun."

In reply to a question as to whether the Navy Department would push the program of new construction in order to permit a healthy flow of new vessels into the fleet, Mr. Daniels said:

"The already successful efforts of the department in this regard are best shown by the fact that immediately upon the approval of the Naval bill the department was prepared to advertise for bids for construction by private contract or to begin construction in Government Navy Yards of every one of the sixty-six vessels included in this year's program, with the exception of the four battle cruisers and one ammunition ship."

The designs of the battle cruisers

will be completed by Oct. 1 and those of all the vessels of the program will be under way well before the end of the six months' period called for by the act. After they have been started the construction of these vessels will be pushed with all practicable speed and it is the department's intention, if necessary, to take advantage of the authorization for the expenditure of 20 per cent. in excess of the limits of cost to expedite their completion.

"This program will be by far the greatest stimulus to the shipbuilding facilities of the country ever experienced. To complete the program within normal periods of construction, taken in connection with the large amount of merchant shipbuilding going on, will require the shipbuilders of the country to turn out more than twice as much product as ever before. The plants of the various shipyards will be materially enlarged. Some yards have already begun this expansion in anticipation of obtaining contracts under the new naval law. The demand for shipyard labor will, of course, be further stimulated and the supply will follow the demand. The net result will be that the shipbuilding facilities of the industry broadly, must be very materially increased during the life of the program."

Wide Scope of the Law.

"This bill is the most comprehensive ever enacted, not only for the United States Navy but for any other navy. It provides not only an unprecedented increase in material but for the first time the United States looks ahead with a view to having a personnel for the construction of the navy. In the time the new ships can be completed, increase in the commissioned and enlisted personnel of the navy, and a satisfactory reserve, large additions to the naval militia, and provision for the development of aviation are all in the same measure that provides such unprecedented material increase."

Coming to the subject of aviation Secretary Daniels said that the naval act provides for the development of aviation in the service. It appropriates \$5,000,000 for procuring, producing, storing and handling aircraft, including rigid dirigibles, maintenance of aircraft stations and experimental work in the development of aviation for naval purposes. This is the largest amount ever appropriated for these purposes, and an increase of 250 per cent. over the allowance for the previous year.

"With this sum available," said Secretary Daniels, "it will be possible for the navy to add a number of aircraft to its available force for instruction, to battle, for research, and for use in important experiments and tests. The act also provides for the establishment of a naval flying corps, the ranks of which may be filled under the direction of the Secretary of the Navy. It is demonstrated that the aviators possess suitable qualifications. Members of the corps will be selected from the considerable number of talented and experienced civilian aviators in the country, as well as from the officers and men of the navy. Wide freedom is given to the navy in the rapid acquisition of suitable men for this purpose."

What Battle Cruisers Will Do.

The great interest in battle cruisers, four of which, the first ever undertaken for the United States Navy, are to be laid down without delay, led the question to Secretary Daniels as to what part of the work of the fleet would be assigned to them. Mr. Daniels said that the battle cruisers were to be the backbone of the fleet, and went on to explain that with their great speed and great gun power they would be able to seek out and observe the enemy until driven off by superior force for the benefit of the main fleet. They would be the eyes and ears of the fleet, and their secondary duty would be to destroy the enemy's eyes and ears.

"We may then say," said Mr. Daniels, "that the primary work of battle cruisers is the support of the battle fleet in battle, and that their secondary duty is to destroy the enemy's eyes and ears. It is a very important part of the navy's work, and we have sought to find the best-fitted man for the hardest job."

Summarizing the important provisions

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Considering the qualities of these materials, the prices are moderate.

Gowns & Tailor-made Suits

Advance Styles for the Autumn season are now ready for selection.

(Women's Ready-to-wear Dep't, Third Floor)

Autumn Modes for Misses

contribute a particularly attractive note to the display on the Second Floor.

Among the novelties may be numbered a variety of smart styles modeled in the popular wool jersey materials, some exploiting decorations of braid, embroidery or fur, while all are designed on lines that will appeal to the fashionable young woman. There is also a representative collection of Gowns for afternoon and evening, Tailored Suits, Street and School Frocks, and Coats for all occasions.

Distinctive Blouses

The new models for Autumn, displayed in the Department on the Second Floor in advance of the season, represent the choicest originations of the foremost European and American designers of blouses for dress and sports wear.

Everything that is charming, in design, color and material, is included.

Visitors to New York or its vicinity are cordially invited to inspect the Store.

The Department for Women's, Misses' and Girls' Sweaters

has been transferred to a far more commodious location on the Third Floor, where virtually everything that is newest and most chic in sweater fashions may be found, at most attractive prices. The new sweaters for Autumn wear introduce many novel features, which are sure to find instant favor.

Women's Low Shoes, Pumps and Colonials

comprising a number of discontinued styles in broken sizes, will be placed on sale to-morrow, irrespective of former prices, at

\$2.75 per pair

(Women's Shoe Department, Second Floor)

A Monday Sale of Women's Silk Umbrellas

will afford an excellent purchasing opportunity at the low prices quoted.

Twilled Silk Umbrellas, with wood handles in natural or mission finish . . . \$2.50

Twilled or Taffeta Silk Umbrellas, with sterling silver-mounted handles . . . \$2.85

Exceptional Values in Solid Mahogany Art Furnishings

will be offered in a special sale to-morrow at these attractive prices:

Hand-painted Tip Tables

17-inch . . . \$9.50 22-inch . . . \$11.50

Circular or Octagonal Tip Tables

Diameter, 17 inches . . . \$4.50

Gate-leg Tables . . . 6.00

Smoking Stands, with match holder, ash tray and nickel cigar rests; a very attractive design . . . \$2.00

Candlesticks . . . each 90c.

Inlaid Serving Trays, size 15x15 inches, \$3.75

Also

Ebony-finish Serving Trays, lined with cretonne under glass; size 10x15 inches, \$1.25

(Art Objects Department, Fourth Floor)

THE AUGUST SALE OF ORIENTAL RUGS

now in progress, will be continued until and including August 31st.

An unusual opportunity is afforded, in this Sale, for obtaining choice Oriental Floor-coverings at advantageous prices, the quotations being, in many instances, lower than the present cost of import.

SMALL ORIENTAL RUGS

(approximately 3½x5½ feet)

at . . . \$14.00, 19.50 & 24.00

MEDIUM-SIZE ORIENTAL RUGS

(approximately 4x7 feet)

at . . . \$28.50, 35.00, 48.00 & 68.00

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(approximately 9x12 feet)

at \$135.00, 185.00, 250.00 & 325.00

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NO FIXED POSITION FOR TENNIS TITLE

Prophets Are Stumped in Championship Tourney Which Is to Begin Tomorrow.

SEASON FULL OF SURPRISES

Kumagae's Defeat of Johnston Complicates Matters—Form of Williams and McLoughlin Uncertain.

After a tennis season in which surprises have followed one another in rapid succession the leading players of the country are on the eve of the national championships, which begin tomorrow on the courts of the West Side Tennis Club, Forest Hills, with only one of them having demonstrated his right to be called favorite. Seldom has so much mystery and uncertainty surrounded the supreme test of the courts. In previous years the line of demarcation has traced itself with increasing clearness as the season progressed, until when it came time for the national title play there were left on the favored side not more than three or four seekers after the title, and even in this small group there was one whose pre-eminence tended to assert itself and in whose skill there was a wide confidence.

But this season all has been changed. There is no general acceptance of any one as there has been for instance, of McLoughlin in his prime. Now any one of a big group may be named as possible champion, and there is little in the record of the season to deny any man a choice. One guess is as good as another, for that is really what they are, and the factors which govern even such selections are presiding over the desire to see the man win than confident belief that he will win. It is this uncertainty which promises to give a real zest to the playing of this year's championships.

Many Fancied for the Title.

In naming those who are being mentioned as possible titleholders there is, of course, William M. Johnston, the present champion, who, from his very position as champion, comes as near being a favorite as any of the others. He is George M. Church, former intercollegiate champion, whose record for the season has been highly encouraging; Richard Norris Williams, 2d, national singles champion of two years ago, when he defeated Maurice E. McLoughlin for the title; Robert Lindley Murray, one of the California greats, who was placed fourth in the national ranking; Ichiro Kumagae, the Japanese star, whose play in this country has been marked with startling success; Willis E. Davis, the national clay court champion; Karl M. Behr, always a formidable factor in the championship; Clarence J. Griffin, and Maurice B. McLoughlin.

With the exception of McLoughlin there is not one of the others who has suffered defeat at least twice during the season, and the interlocking of defeats is such that the chances of almost any result may be obtained. Williams, for instance, has twice been defeated by the victors of the Longwood and the second time at Newport, but on the other hand Griffin has won at the Longwood, and at the latter at Longwood, Murray lost to Harold Throckmorton in an early season match at the Sleepy Hollow Country Club, dropped a match to Watson M. Washburn at the Longwood singles, and lost at Seabright, Church lost to Willis E. Davis at Sleepy Hollow, and Conrad J. Doyle in the national clay championship at Cleveland, and to Richard Norris Williams, 2d, in the change match at Seabright. Davis has twice lost to Church, and he was decisively beaten by Griffin at Seabright. The latter was vanquished by Murray in the Nassau Country Club tournament, and by Doyle at Seabright after being near defeat in an early season match at the Longwood. In the last of the group, came Earl S. Hines, who has not played in any of the tournaments, but who has gained much weight, which may argue well for increased endurance.

Public Form All Topsy-Turvy.

As for the little Oriental, he has trod the loser's path under the persuasion of Robert Lindley Murray on two occasions, one defeat being at Seabright and the other at the Crescent A. C., and he has also been vanquished by Watson M. Washburn at the Longwood, and by the former winning at Longwood, and the latter at Longwood, Murray lost to Harold Throckmorton in an early season match at the Sleepy Hollow Country Club, dropped a match to Watson M. Washburn at the Longwood singles, and lost at Seabright, Church lost to Willis E. Davis at Sleepy Hollow, and Conrad J. Doyle in the national clay championship at Cleveland, and to Richard Norris Williams, 2d, in the change match at Seabright. Davis has twice lost to Church, and he was decisively beaten by Griffin at Seabright. The latter was vanquished by Murray in the Nassau Country Club tournament, and by Doyle at Seabright after being near defeat in an early season match at the Longwood. In the last of the group, came Earl S. Hines, who has not played in any of the tournaments, but who has gained much weight, which may argue well for increased endurance.

Miss Wagner Wins Match.

Reaches Third Round in Mixed Doubles at Woodmere.

Darkness enveloped the clay courts of the Woodmere Country Club yesterday as the second round in the annual tennis tournament, which was being played in the afternoon, and which was progressing and caused a delay. The second round will be played today, prominent among the participants were Miss Wagner, who was defeated by Mr. Rosenbaum, winning their matches in the first round play handsly. Miss Wagner, who was defeated by Mr. Rosenbaum, winning their matches in the first round play handsly. Miss Wagner, who was defeated by Mr. Rosenbaum, winning their matches in the first round play handsly.

Kumagae New in the Lineup.

Until recently Johnston was undoubtedly the favorite, even though he was defeated by Williams at Seabright vs. West matches. The success of Williams at that time was startling in a way, but the contest was so close that those who saw it would hardly have wagered on the victor if the match had been played over again. Of marked interest in the early part of the season was the fact that Johnston was off form, as the Newport tournament seemed to indicate, and the question was whether he would be able to round into shape for the nationals.

Wrenched Ankle Affects Williams.

There is little doubt as to the status of Richard Norris Williams, 2d. The Philadelphia is certainly far from his best, and it is the result largely of a wrenched ankle, which he severely wrenched his right ankle, and since that time he has been favoring his left foot. The early rounds at Southampton found him unable to cover court, and he was probably also off his stride, and he was probably also off his stride, and he was probably also off his stride.

McLoughlin Just Has Hopes.

McLoughlin is at this unenviable position of many a former champion, in that he is trying to "come back," and all precedent bids him may. It was reported from the Coast that efforts were being made by his friends to have him forego the championship this season, but they found their arguments useless. McLoughlin may be confident of his own ability, but he is doing no boasting. Asked recently if he was in good form, he replied modestly, "I hope so." Those who have seen him play in the past many who would be overjoyed to see McLoughlin swing into his old stride, and even in this small group there was one whose pre-eminence tended to assert itself and in whose skill there was a wide confidence.

There is no general acceptance of any one as there has been for instance, of McLoughlin in his prime.

Now any one of a big group may be named as possible champion, and there is little in the record of the season to deny any man a choice. One guess is as good as another, for that is really what they are, and the factors which govern even such selections are presiding over the desire to see the man win than confident belief that he will win. It is this uncertainty which promises to give a real zest to the playing of this year's championships.

AIKEN FOUR LOSES TO NARRAGANSETT

Gold Mallet and Newport Polo Championship Taken by Riders from the Pier.

Special to The New York Times.

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 26.—By a remarkable spurt in the last five periods the Narragansett polo team trounced Aiken on the Westchester Polo Club's field here this morning, by the score of 10 to 4. In the final period the Narragansett team, playing in the morning is an innovation for polo matches.

Play during the first half was spirited and close, but from the fifth period on it was all Narragansett, for the Southern four crashed badly when E. W. Hopping's wrist, which he had broken earlier in the season, began to give out. Hopping was beaten, and his team's mainstay for the first four periods and with his aggressiveness missing the team's work became ragged and the defense weak.

Balding and C. V. Whitney did yeoman service for the winning combination. Balding tallied five goals and Whitney, three. The careful coaching by the English stars, Dr. and E. Hopping, kept young Whitney steady, and he played a game which was the best shown by any youth upon a local field this season. Whitney rides well and he sits his mount and swings with the confidence that bids fair to turn him into an international material.

Aiken's chances for victory looked good in the opening period, for Wamman shot the first two goals before Balding could break through the defense of Aiken. Usually the opening period is replete with loose playing, but this one was not, and the ponies were not spared in the dashes down the field after the ball. Aiken had the advantage in the second period, when the only one to tally, though this was cut to a half when Brown fouled Heckcher. In the third the splendid team work of the Narragansett began to tell, as the goals were scored by Balding and Whitney, while Aiken failed to tally. Whitney and Balding played the team in the lead in the fourth when the last sent the ball between the up-and-down goalposts for the final tally of the game for Aiken in this period.

The fifth was bitterly contested, with the Narragansett team leading by a goal. The seventh chukker was a procession for the Narragansett team, who scored the splendid team work of Drake and Balding being productive of these goals. The final tally of the game in the eighth.

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The final match of the tournament will be played Monday, when a team of the Narragansett team will play a team from the Narragansett team. The line-up and summary:

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6 LINERS IN ONE DAY DEPART FOR EUROPE

Lafayette Carries Prominent
Americans and Canadian
Officers and Nurses.

LABOR CHIEFS ON ST. PAUL

Saxonia, Kristianiafjord, Stockholm,
and California Also Sail—Large
Shipments of Munitions.

Six liners sailed yesterday for Europe carrying a large number of Americans going abroad on various missions, also Canadian officers, surgeons and nurses on their way to join the allied forces in France.

Among the 190 cabin passengers on the French liner Lafayette, for Bordeaux, was O. Galoquin, Director of the National Arms Company at Herstal, near Liege, Belgium, who had been in this country five weeks in connection with a contract for 150,000 rifles for the Belgian Government.

Mr. Galoquin said the factory at Herstal, which had employed 4,500 hands before the war, had been seized by the Germans, who had completely stripped the place, sending the machinery to Germany.

Frank A. Munsey, publisher of The New York Sun and other newspapers, sailed on the Lafayette to spend two months in Europe. He said he was going to Vichy and then to Verdun and the Somme.

Major Louis L. Seaman, U. S. A., retired, said he was going over to France and England in his official capacity as President of the British War Relief Association. So far, the organization has sent more than 2,500 cases of surgical dressings and five ambulances from America. Major Seaman went on to say that he would visit the front and hold conferences in Paris and London with local officers of the organization. He also expected, he said, to go to Lappein, Belgium, to see Dr. Le Page.

Another passenger was Dr. C. G. Pfeiffer, who said he had been requested to go to Paris by a member of the French Cabinet to attend a number of conferences on the subject of reconstruction after the war. Eleven members of the American Industrial Commission to France, which has been organized by the American Manufacturers' Export Association of 190 Broadway, sailed on the Lafayette. They were headed by the chairman, William Wallace Nichols, and planned to make a scientific study of industrial conditions in France and of what the world would need after the war. Other members on board were J. G. Miller, Jr., of New York; E. B. Ford, N. F. Hogson, F. J. Le Maître, Dr. C. G. Pfeiffer, J. E. Sague, and A. Warren.

Among the large number of passengers sailing for Liverpool on the St. Paul of the American Line was Sir William MacKenzie, President of the Canadian Northern Railway, who said he was going for a rest on the ocean, which had always benefited him more than any holiday ashore, and that he would also attend to business while in London. He was accompanied by D. B. Hanna, Vice President of the company.

William Mahon, President of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees, sailed on the St. Paul as a delegate of the American Federation of Labor to attend the British Trade Union Congress to be held at Birmingham, England.

He has letters from Samuel Gompers, and will try to induce the English labor leaders to work for peace terms which are in favor of the working men in Europe. The object of the American Federation in sending delegates to London is to hold a conference with the British labor leaders, and to discuss the question of sending the vessel to Liverpool and delay for twenty days, as they did on the last voyage.

WIDOW IN WILL CONTEST.

Six Hours After Aged Manufacturer's Death She Takes Action.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 26.—Within six hours after the death of Frederick Rumpf, Sr., a wealthy manufacturer, at Atlantic City yesterday, his widow, the third Mrs. Rumpf, filed at Doylestown a caveat against the probating of any paper purporting to be his will. There is every reason to anticipate a will contest of unusual interest because of the size of the estate, which is estimated at nearly \$400,000.

Mrs. Rumpf, seen at her home in Langhorne, would not disclose her purpose in filing the caveat. William Rumpf, one of the two surviving sons, said that when a proper interval had elapsed the proceeding would be contested.

Mr. Rumpf was 73 years old. In April, 1915, he underwent a serious operation. Mrs. Rumpf had him examined by specialists and made an unsuccessful effort to have a guardian appointed for him.

Fourteen years ago Mrs. Rumpf entered into an agreement in which she gave up all claim to the estate of her husband in consideration of the transfer to her of property valued at \$150,000.

SAILOR HEIR IS FOUND.

Will Take Half His \$2,000,000 Legacy and Build a Hospital.

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—Walter Stafford, the Great Lakes sailor who was sought in order that he might be tony to his inherited \$2,000,000 from a long-lost brother, was found today.

The sailor was as glad to be found as detectives were to find him. He and his wife live in Buffalo, and his brother, Pierce Stafford, who left him the money, so the story goes, was his only relative. Pierce died in Australia. The sailor says he will use \$1,000,000 to build a home and hospital for sailors who don't inherit millions. He says he is glad to be found to buy an automobile. He is 52.

Louisiana Mob Lynches a Negro. SHREVEPORT, La., Aug. 26.—A mob of 1,000 yesterday took Jess Hammet, a negro, from the jail at Vivian, twenty miles north of here, and hanged him to a telegraph pole. He was identified by a white woman as the man who attempted an assault upon her, armed with a butcher's knife. The woman's parents were among those who pleaded with the mob to prevent the lynching.

Upholds \$30,000 Legacy to School. RIVERHEAD, L. I., Aug. 26.—Surrogate Strong handed down a decision today holding that the Union Free School at South Hampton Village is entitled to the trust fund of about \$30,000 bequeathed to it in the will of Rufus Sayre, who died four months ago. The will was contested by the Rev. Edward Sayre of Baiting, Neb., and Edward C. Sayre of Bluffton, N. Y., a brother and nephew respectively, who were set mentioned in the testament.

SUES REV. DR. HILL AGAIN.

Miss Lucille Covington Shifts Her \$100,000 Action to Chicago.

CHICAGO, Aug. 26.—Miss Lucille Covington's \$100,000 breach-of-promise suit against the Rev. John Wesley Hill, lecturer and clergyman of New York, was refiled today in Chicago, to obtain quicker action, according to F. J. Karasek, Miss Covington's attorney.

The minister was served with a summons in his quarters in the Union League Club Friday night, but left during the day to keep lecture dates, according to his secretary. He has been in Chicago working with the Republican National Committee.

Miss Covington, the minister proposed marriage to her in Chicago on July 12, 1910. Her counsel says he stayed at his apartment in Chicago, and as having said she intended to produce letters from Dr. Hill in court.

\$300,000 WILL A SURPRISE.

Cousin, Asking Administration, Supposed Mrs. Scranton Died Intestate.

Through an application made by Henry D. Middleberger to Surrogate Ketcham in Brooklyn for letters to administer the estate of Celestine Cronin Scranton, who died at Beacon, N. Y., on Aug. 7, it became known that she left a will which has been filed in the Surrogate's office at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., disposing of an estate of \$300,000. Middleberger is one of eight surviving cousins of the testatrix. She lived at 117 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn, and Middleberger supposed she died intestate. When it was found out that she had made a will Surrogate Ketcham denied the application for the letters of administration.

By the terms of the will, which was dated Oct. 9, 1915, and a codicil dated Jan. 7, 1916, the bulk of the estate was left to Jennie M. Hill, the daughter, who was to receive \$30,000 outright and the residue of the estate, \$270,000, to be divided among her eight surviving cousins. Other bequests amounting to \$35,000 went to friends, and Kate O'Connell, a servant formerly employed in the family, was to receive \$5,000.

Robbed of \$1,800 Payroll. Four Men Beat and Injure Brick Manufacturer in Jersey.

HACKENSACK, N. J., Aug. 26.—Herbert C. Fehrford, member of the firm operating the Fehrford Brick Works at Little Ferry, was held up, beaten and robbed of \$1,800 today. He is in the Hackensack Hospital. The robbers escaped.

Mr. Fehrford came to Hackensack this morning to draw money for the weekly payroll due this afternoon. He put on money, all in money, in a satchel and left Hackensack by trolley. He rode to what is known as Fehrford's bridge, which leads from the main highway to the plant. In a wooded part of the road four men sprang upon him. One hit him several blows on the head with a revolver. Another hit him across the knuckles with something which cut the flesh to the bone and almost severed four fingers. Mr. Fehrford released his hold on the bag and the men fled with it.

Later a man going to the works found Mr. Fehrford lying in the roadway. He hurried to the works and gave the alarm. It was then found that the telephone wires had been cut near the point of the hold-up.

A. O. H. ASKS INVESTIGATION.

Maryland Branch Demands Inquiry About Casement Resolution.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 26.—The Maryland State Ancient Order of Hibernians passed a resolution asking for a sweeping Federal investigation into the delay in transmission of the Senate resolution of intercession in behalf of Sir Roger Casement, which had been prepared in plenty of time to stay the execution, but had not been received by official hands abroad until after his death.

The delegates today further condemned the action of the British Government for the brutal murders of Sir Roger and other "Irish martyrs." The resolution declared that they had only attempted to save the life of our country had succeeded in accomplishing its aim.

Mrs. Agnes Newman of Philadelphia, sister of Sir Roger Casement, brought the delegates to an upsurge of indignation by an address to the convention this afternoon. She said the British Government had been most discourteous in its treatment of her.

JERSEY FUGITIVE CAUGHT.

Federici, Wanted for Murder, Fights Capture in Newburg.

NEWBURG, Aug. 26.—Antonio Federici, a former constable of Essex County, New Jersey, was arrested here today after a struggle by Patrolmen Barrett, Wiltzie, Christal, and Mullerkey, during which Federici bit Wiltzie's hand and received a severe laceration. A loaded revolver was taken from him. The prisoner was wanted in East Orange, N. J., for having killed two policemen, Robert Shannon and William Mertz, and wounded Roundman William F. Higgins and Detective David Vondell.

When he came here in December he confided in a countryman, and the latter informed the police. When Federici was searched a copy of a Newark newspaper giving a description of his escape was found in his pocket.

After the man was handcuffed he begged his captors to shoot him. A special guard was placed over him at the county jail, and the New Jersey authorities were notified.

BRADLEY STOPS A LOTTERY.

Astury Park's Aged Founder Was Fortified with an Axe.

ASTURY PARK, N. J., Aug. 26.—James A. Bradley, former State Senator and founder of this place, today used an axe in enforcing the closing of a booth in which the members of the Voluntary Fire Department were selling large dolls and Teddy bears by lottery.

With a number of workmen he arrived at the booth and ordered his men to demolish it. When they hesitated he ripped off the canvas covering and then prepared to attack the booth with an axe. The firemen intervened to save their property, and then Mr. Bradley, who is 85 years old, announced that as the booth was on public property he would have it torn down unless it was removed within two hours. He charged it was being used for gambling purposes. The booth was then closed.

Baby Dies as House Burns.

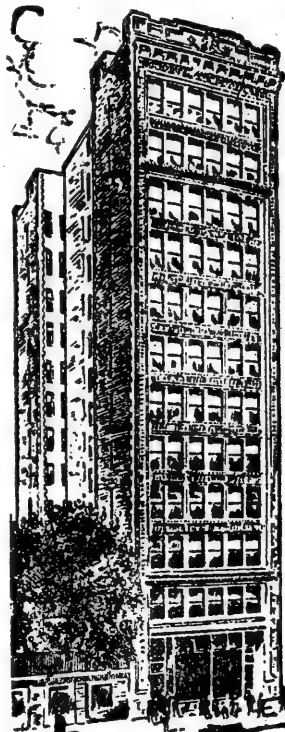
GLEN ROCK, N. J., Aug. 26.—An infant child of Charles Diapola, a barber, was burned to death when the house the family occupied was destroyed by fire today. It is supposed that the fire was started by a gas jet left burning overnight, and before the mother discovered the fire the room where the baby was abode. The fire was called, but the frame building burned so rapidly it could not be saved.

Mrs. McAdoo Is Better.

SPRING LAKE, N. J., Aug. 26.—Mrs. William G. McAdoo, wife of the Secretary of the Treasury and daughter of President Wilson, who is confined to her home here with typhoid fever, passed a comfortable day, according to Dr. William Gray Schaffner, who is attending her. He said tonight that her case was progressing favorably. The streets leading to her home have been closed off by the health authorities and no visitors are allowed.

GIMBEL BROTHERS Have Purchased, to Sell at 35% to 50% Off, the Entire Retail Stock of GUSTAV STICKLEY CRAFTSMAN FURNITURE LAMPS ETC

On the occasion of Gustav Stickley, The Craftsman's, retirement from the retail business, including immense reserve stocks at his factory and warehouse, on sale beginning tomorrow at 35% to 50% off standard Stickley prices



THE FAMOUS CRAFTSMAN SHOPS

Located at 6 East 39th Street, just off Fifth Ave. The retail department has been discontinued—the stocks have been moved to GIMBELS—and Mr. Stickley will hereafter make furniture for the wholesale trade only.

CRAFTSMAN Furniture, as we know it today, is the most modern and highest expression of purely American decorative thought. Created and evolved by Gustav Stickley—thinker, artist, and, above all, American—it is American in source, American in inspiration, and a credit to American art and industry.

Developed from the simplest and purest art forms of the Mission period in American history, it has the Three graces of Simplicity, Beauty, and Comfort—which means Utility. In harmony of design, in workmanship, in appropriateness and lasting worth, Craftsman furniture is worthy to vie with the best of any country or period.

Its artistic success, in fact, was so great that Gustav Stickley built tremendous factories and warehouses in Syracuse and a twelve-story building in New York to produce and display his fine furniture in large quantities.

But the demand for Gustav Stickley's productions has become so nation-wide and so large that he decided to limit the number of his patterns and to discontinue the retail business entirely. Henceforth he will sell only at wholesale.

This naturally means greater exclusiveness, higher appreciation and greater costliness of the furniture—styles which he originated, and makes this sale an even greater economy event.

As the most famous and greatest of furniture outlets, with a reputation of its own for art and originality, the GIMBEL Store secured the entire retail stock of Craftsman merchandise, and now places it on sale at 35% to 50% LESS THAN THE ORIGINAL PRICES.

And in the face of the certain greater scarcity and higher price of Craftsman-type furniture, this means a saving and an opportunity much greater in proportion.

If you are planning to furnish a new house, or add to or refresh your furnishings, here is THE chance, THE opportunity, THE STAR EVENT of the entire year! Visit the GIMBEL Galleries tomorrow—and you can and will see for YOURSELF!

All Fine Craftsman Furniture Reduced

Whole suites, odd pieces, French Willow Furniture, and every piece rich, distinctive and worth while. Here is but a hint of the values offered.

CRAFTSMAN Dining-Room Furniture

\$70 Fumed Oak 6 ft. Sideboard, \$42
\$50 Mahogany 48 inch Sideboard, \$30
\$28 Fumed Oak Side Table, \$14
\$38 Fumed Oak Oval Dining Table, \$23
\$230.50 Early English 10-piece Suite, \$138
\$152 Dark Brown Fumed Oak 4-piece Suite, \$92
\$235.50 Fumed Oak 9-piece Suite, \$142
\$280.50 Fumed Oak 10-piece Suite, \$170
\$196 Fumed Oak 6-piece Dining-room Chair Set, \$98

CRAFTSMAN Living-Room Furniture

\$32 Fumed Oak Bookcase, Lattice doors, \$20
\$117 Tapestry Upholstered Settee, \$70
\$11 Arm Chair, Tapestry seat, \$6.75
\$60 Fumed Oak Davenport Table, \$26
\$35 Mahogany Drop Leaf Table, \$20
\$48 Fumed Oak Desk, \$29

CRAFTSMAN Willow Furniture

The right kind of willow furniture, affording exactly the relief that is necessary to lighten the general effect of the heavier and darker pieces of Craftsman furniture.

\$24.50 Natural Willow Arm Chairs, \$18. Cushion seat and pillow back.
\$68 Willow Settee, 78 inches long, \$50. Cushion seat and 2 pillows.
\$14 Willow Arm Chairs, \$10.50. Cushion seat and back.
\$15 Willow Arm Chair and Seat Cushion, \$11
\$15 Natural Willow Arm Chairs, \$3.50
\$10 Natural Willow Arm Chairs, \$7.25

CRAFTSMAN Bedroom Furniture

\$281 Ivory Enamel 7-piece Suite, \$165. Full size bed.
\$233 Gray Enamel 7-piece Suite, \$140. Contains twin beds.
\$226 Mahogany 5-piece Suite, \$135. Twin beds.
\$40 Fumed Oak Chest of Drawers, \$25
\$32 Fumed Oak Single Beds, \$19.50
\$48 Fumed Oak Dresser and Mirror, \$28
\$20 Fumed Oak Full size Bed, \$15
\$15 Ivory Enamel Toilet Mirror, \$9
\$34 Fumed Oak Triplicate Mirror Toilet Table, \$20
\$132 Fumed Oak 3-piece Suite, \$80
\$158 Mahogany 3-piece Suite, \$95
GIMBELS—Sixth, Seventh and Eighth Floors

Combined With the Stickley Sale Is the Annual Half-Price Event in GIMBEL Standard Furniture

Craftsman Lamps

Table lamps, floor lamps, ceiling fixtures, candlesticks, wicker shades, pottery lamps, antique metal lamps, copper lamps. Entire lamp stock from the Stickley Store.

Desk Lamps
One-light electric lamps, green or amber hammered antique glass shade, set in an adjustable hammered copper frame, 16 1/2 inches high. Fumed oak base, \$3 complete; Stickley's price, \$12.
Fumed Oak Lamps, Willow Shades
\$5, Stickley's price, \$7.50; \$11.50, Stickley's price, \$18.50; \$7.50, Stickley's price, \$12; \$30, Stickley's price, \$45; \$45, Stickley's price, \$75.

Portable Reading Lamps
Hampshire Pottery
\$8.50, Stickley's price, \$20; \$17.50, Stickley's price, \$30.
Antique Parchment Lamps
\$29.50, Stickley's price, \$58.
Bronze Lamps
\$18.50, Stickley's price, \$34.
Silk Shades
22-inch, \$8.75, Stickley's price, \$15; \$10, Stickley's price, \$17.50; \$15, Stickley's price, \$24.50.

Floor Lamps
Fumed Oak, Mahogany, French Gray. Standards only—Mahogany, \$6.75; Stickley's price \$10. Mahogany, French Gray, \$7.50, Stickley's price \$12.50; \$10, Stickley's price \$20; \$17.50, Stickley's price \$27.
Ceiling Fixtures
One of a kind, about one-half Stickley's prices. Wickers, \$10, Stickley's price, \$18.50; \$22.50, Stickley's price, \$35; \$35, Stickley's price, \$65.

Willow Shades with Silk Linings
10-inch Boudoir size, 60; Stickley's price, \$12.50. 14-inch Lamp size, \$12.50; Stickley's price, \$2. 18-inch Lamp size, \$1.75; Stickley's price, \$3. 22-inch Lamp size, \$2.25; Stickley's price, \$3.25.

GIMBELS—Fifth Floor

High Grade Rugs

\$67,000 Worth, Specially Priced

To Accompany the Craftsman Furniture Purchase

We call particular attention to both Oriental and Domestic rugs larger than 9 x 12. We quote below a few of the sizes and prices of some of the most important weaves to give you some idea of the reductions:

Kirmanshah Rugs
12 ft. 5 x 8 ft. 11, \$350; reg. \$440
11 ft. 11 x 8 ft. 9, \$350; reg. \$325
12 ft. x 9 ft. 9, \$310; reg. \$400
18 ft. 2 x 12 ft. 8, \$675; reg. \$900
Sarouk Rugs
10 ft. 7 x 7 ft. 1, \$240; reg. \$310
11 ft. 11 x 8 ft. 7, \$285; reg. \$350
12 ft. 2 x 9 ft. 3, \$395; reg. \$500
14 x 10 ft. 2, \$575; reg. \$750
Ghorvane Rugs
13 ft. 10 x 11 ft. 2, \$295; reg. \$375
12 ft. 5 x 9 ft. 9, \$225; reg. \$300
12 ft. 2 x 9 ft. 2, \$250; reg. \$350
13 ft. 3 x 9 ft. 8, \$275; reg. \$350
Afghan Rugs
9 ft. 11 x 8 ft. 7, \$145; reg. \$180
9 ft. 7 x 7 ft. 8, \$125; reg. \$155
9 ft. 7 x 8 ft. 1, \$135; reg. \$170
10 ft. 9 x 8 ft. 7, \$125; reg. \$155
Domestic Rugs
9 x 12 Seamless Wiltons, \$50; reg. \$75.

GIMBELS—Sixth Floor

—and Craftsman Upholstery Reduced

The Upholstery Department has purchased all the draperies and fabrics in the stock of Gustav Stickley's Craftsman Shop. There are many items of interest to home furnishers offered in this sale. Stickley stocks and GIMBEL stocks have been combined in this event.

50-inch Craftsman Canvas, in various plain colors, some linen, others cotton; sale price, 50c per yard; original value 85c to 95c yard.

Antique Crash for Hangings. Red, blue and rose; 50c per yard; original value 85c yard.

Streit Antique Crash. Tan, green and red; 75c per yard; original value \$1.25 yard.

Plain Colored Figured Linen. 7 colors; \$1.25 per yard; original value \$1.85.

And about 1,500 yards of Brocades, Tapestries, Armures, Damask, and Casement Cloths, fabrics suitable for Hangings and Furniture Coverings, at prices which show reductions averaging 33 1/3%, and range at reduced prices from 95c to \$6.75 per yard.

About 25 Half Pairs of Curtains at 40c each, valued up to \$5.

About 50 Half Pairs of Portieres at 85c each, valued up to \$9.

Short lengths of net, scrims, muslin, etc., to close out at prices from 15c per length up.

Stenciled Crash Curtains

A complete range of patterns and quantities in stenciled crash curtain, couch covers and table covers which have been reduced especially for the Craftsman Sale, at prices ranging from \$2.25 to \$5.15 each for the couch covers and table covers, and \$3.35 to \$5.65 per pair for the curtains.

Also a clearance of discontinued styles of single and half pairs of portieres at prices averaging 50% less than original.

Lace Curtains in the Craftsman Sale

2,000 pairs of Hemstitched Marquise Curtains, \$1.10 Pr. 2 1/2 yards long; similar curtains to these were sold by the Craftsman Shop for \$1.65 per pair.

Antique Lace Curtains. 93 pairs at \$1.75 to \$6, reduced from \$2 to \$6.75.

Craftsman Scrim Curtains. 190 pairs at \$2 to \$5.40 per pair, reduced from \$2.25 to \$6.

Craftsman Stripe Net Curtains. 136 pairs at \$1.35 to \$4.75 pair, reduced from \$1.50 to \$5.25.

Light weight material by the yard appropriate for Craftsman and Mission styles:

4,500 yards of 36-inch Poplin, Sunfast colorings; 9 plain colors

1,400 yards Sunfast Madras, 45c yard, value 55c.

600 yards Sunfast Madras, 70c yard, value 85c.

700 yards Sunfast Madras, \$1 yard, value \$1.25.

500 yards Sunfast Madras, 60c yard, value 75c.

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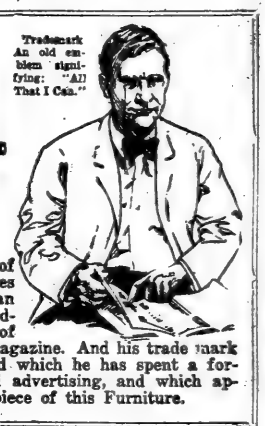
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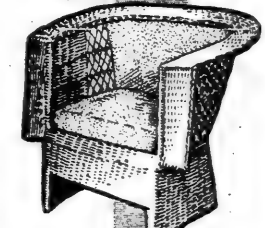


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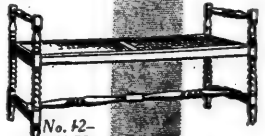
No. 1—\$20 Fumed Oak Arm Chair, \$45. Tapestry seat and loose pillow back.
No. 2—\$35 OH Mahogany 44-inch Drop Leaf Table, \$51. Oval top when open.
No. 3—\$38 Fumed Oak Table Desk, \$52.50. Top 41 inch x 24 inch, copper hardware.
No. 4—\$41 Chromewald-Blue Clover 1-Piece Table, \$50.
No. 5—\$110 Mahogany Chiffonier, \$65. Panelled front and sides. Large mirror, inside wardrobe.
No. 6—\$29.75 5-Piece Mahogany Suite, \$175. Sideboard shown only of 5-piece suite.
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No. 9—\$35 Section, 1 ft. over all. Gray Fumed Oak, \$57. Spring seat in brown Spanish leather.
No. 10—\$32 Fumed Oak Bookcase, \$19. 55 inches wide, with lattice doors.
No. 11—\$42 Chromewald Bureau, \$17.5. Case seat.
No. 12—\$21.50 Natural Willow Arm Chair, \$15. Complete with seat and back cushion.
No. 13—\$25.50 Fumed Oak Desk, \$25.50. Fine Craftsman model copper hardware.



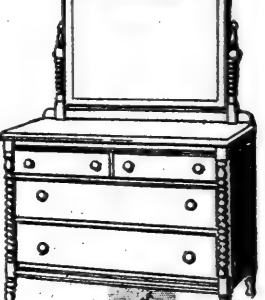
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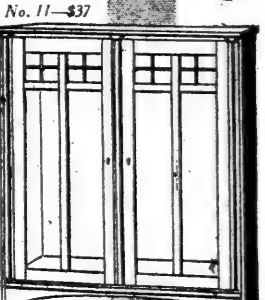
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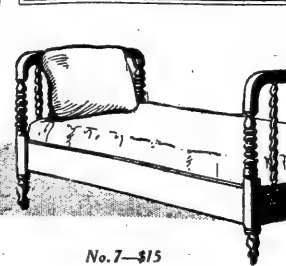
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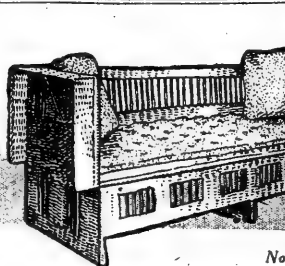
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FASHIONABLE FALL ATTIRE WILL COMMAND RECORD PRICES

Paris Dressmakers "Holding Up" Americans, Say
Buyers Just Back from France—Embroidery to be
the Rage—Satin and Velvet the Leading Materials.

THE steamers are bringing home the buyers from Paris, and with them are coming a minor part of the new Autumn gowns. The openings will not be held until the latter part of September, however, except to a favored few who insist upon buying their clothes now, and to the vast number of dressmakers from all over the country who have arrived here to select from the present assortment.

The important importations will not arrive for a week or two, and Callot and a few other houses will not send over their best things until the last hour.

What has arrived is, however, important, and the buyers are full of the gossip of the Paris houses. Here are the leading bits of news:

Embroidery is the chief thing. It is as overwhelming as it was in the Middle Ages. Soutache is used in a variety of close designs, sometimes almost covering the entire coat of a suit. Ecclesiastical patterns are worked out with infinite skill. Chinese and Japanese designs are in fashion. Bullion threads, round and flat, twisted metal-colored threads, chenille threads clipped and looking like cut velvet, threads strung with beads, especially jet bugles, are molded into ornate and intricate designs that will drive our workers quite out of their minds. Net and lace is weighted down with this embroidery. Not even the plainest street suit is free from it. Black silk house frocks are almost too heavy to lift from the surface of jet beads that covers the foundation.

In materials satin and velvet play the

solid body, and the voluminous skirt, built up this season with extraordinary convolutions made of the cloth itself turned and twisted upon the surface. The revers are significantly large, starting from a high, loose, rolling collar, and sometimes looping back to form open spaces that might be used as a muff.

All the coats have belts, usually narrow, that button or buckle in front. Some are short-waisted, others are lifted at the waistline in the back and slightly dropped in front. The coachman's collar is dead. Sleeves are leg o'-mutton, or merely gathered with unusual fullness at the shoulders, and then fitted tightly to the arms by buttons below the elbows.

Callot has already sent over a gown that might be inspired by the Louis XI. period. It is straight, minus belt or girder, and covered with black soutache in an intricate ecclesiastical design. Margaine Lacroix sends over a

dull blue satin that might have been worn by Tosca, with its high waistline and long hip trimming. So the fat and the slim can take their choice. There is a robe by Chanel of black satin that hangs entirely loose from the shoulders in full folds until one remembers the satin girder that goes twice about the hips and is looped at the side.

So much for the shapes. The prices are the topic of gossip. One gown by Doucet, a three-piece suit, costs \$1,100, not francs. Everything ranges from \$200 up, without adding the cost of duty. Materials are from \$6 to \$30 a yard, and the embroidery which covers all surfaces is held at a King's ransom.

Never in the history of clothes importation has Paris held America up for such prices. Never have the manufacturers demanded so much money. Our buyers are in a quandary as to how they will get back their expenses. Will the public pay? they ask. Will

FOR THE MODERN BRIDE

New Garments for Her Inspection
Are Whimsical, but Lovely.

WAR or no war, there will be marriages. If one had the knack of gathering up statistics, it might be proved that war produces more marriages than peace.

No one who was in Europe in 1914 will forget the constant procession of suddenly arranged weddings that took place throughout all the belligerent countries.

The Americans could not under-

London led the way, dropped from the mind over night, and weddings were as sensible as a great majority of folk think they should be—quiet, unpretentious affairs, celebrated before the family and intimate friends, with a solemn religious atmosphere.

Yet, despite the vast number of weddings that took place at the mobilization of the guard, there are plenty more to come. September will be a favorite time for those who are to be married at their country places, for the fashion has come about in America to have the important events of a young woman's life take place in the country home, rather than in the city, where one may have only an apartment or live in a hotel.

With transportation made easy by motor and electricity, the American people are going back to their early manner of living, holding an estate in the country as the real center of their life and considering town as an episode.

More and more the younger set wish to live in the country all the year round, coming into town for a few weeks during the worst of the winter weather and the best of the social activities; and even the older people find that they go to the country earlier each Spring and return later each Autumn.

It is not that we're English; it is that we're human.

A Bride and Her Wedding.

The call to the altar will sound through all the social corridors on this continent when September leads the way into October. There will be church weddings, house weddings, and weddings in the garden, which the artists admire and which they are constantly urging upon our young.

With the growth of real gardens in this country modeled after everything that Europe has offered for centuries, and leaving nothing undone that money can obtain, the artists do not have a difficult task in persuading girls to be married in pergolas, beside artificial lakes, under splendid trees, and against fine hedges.

Art offers much to the bride of the season, and tradition little. She has grown impatient with the set form of going to church preceded by a string of bridesmaids, the vital change being in the name of the man on whose arm she leans.

It is a day when all traditions are challenged, not only by the philosophers and scientists, but by the young women. It may be the fashion, as a current writer says, to look like a startled fawn, but even if this feminine type is most successful during this Summer season, no one who has mingled much with these startled fawns fails to come away with a deep impression that for sheer bravado, defiance, and do-as-you-please, they would set an insurance agent to thinking of his inferiority.

The bride who will become a ma-



AN ALLURING PART OF THE BRIDAL TROUSSEAU.

The negligee is of white chiffon lined with pink and edged with white marabou, with belt of pink roses. The cap is of lace, wired to points and half covered with a floating tulle veil.

tron in September and October is looking about for all kinds of ways in which to break up the tradition of the stately procession to and from the altar.

The much-talked-of English wedding of Miss Tennant, who belongs to the house of Asquith by marriage, was so widely heralded and pictured in this country that it has started many brides-elect on the path of having mediaeval surroundings to their ceremonies.

The affair was mapped out in Paris and all the gowns made there, and they were faithfully copied from the time of Louis XI. The bride, with her stiff, straight gown of satin, sewn with gossamer, and the bridesmaids with their towering hennins and tulle veils, made a remarkable grouping. None of this costumery suggests an impossible task to any girl or dressmaker who wants to copy it.

Another bride who had a wedding which she dubbed "the Spirit of '76," had all the costumes copied from that period of our history. The striped taffeta frocks and red-heeled slippers of the bridesmaids, and their powdered wigs and patch on cheek, reminded one sharply of those gay Revolutionists who dined and danced in the brilliant finery that we have only revived for fancy dress parties.

Lingerie Chosen First.

However, whatever kind of wedding a bride may decide to have—and she has all of history from which to glean inspiration—she attends first to the selecting of her lingerie, a part of the trousseau which has always been of importance since the early days when a bride's chest of personal linen was part of a girl's dowry, to the present

extravagant hour when she thinks of it as the one part of her trousseau in which she can let her fancy run riot. She cares nothing whatever for the practical side of it. She would regard with dismay any suggestion that enough should be provided to last her through the next dozen years, as was the way with her ancestors.

She will tell you quite wisely that with every change in outer clothes there must be a change in inner clothes. Full skirts demand different linen from narrow skirts, evening bodices are first round, then square, then V-shaped, and the lingerie must change with them.

Not "A Dozen of Each." While acknowledging that this condition is true and that the young bride of today is justified in selecting for her trousseau only those bits of lingerie that are suitable for the fashions of the hour, still one has pleasant memories of the preparation of a dozen of each, that was the sum and substance of a wedding chest of other days.

One thinks of the patience, eagerness, and joy which went into the work of making those dozens of garments and the long hours spent by the family together, cutting, basting, stitching, and putting on the handwork. It was always a task of love, this preparation of the underlinen for a girl in the family, and all her intimate friends added their share. But this affectionate task, like many other things that were once considered necessary in the family life, has gone by the board.

The shops do our work for us, and it is all a part of the substitution of the radiator for the open fire, the

electric stove for the charcoal and wood, the ready-made gowns and suits for the home sewing room, and the machine stitching for the threaded needle.

In every way, women are finding that drudgery is loosening its hold on their lives, and soon all they will have to do is give their time to social service, reading, and the lighter forms of pleasure.

The part of the shops is important. They offer today such bewildering and exquisite finery for the bridal trousseau that no woman feels like putting in the work at home. And it is these shops that are responsible for the brilliant and capricious array of garments that would feel insulted if they heard us call them underclothes.

Pictorial Negligees.

In the last few months the smart shops have made a strong effort to introduce original house robes. They have gone to Venice and to Moscow for their inspiration. There are negligees that look as though they had been flitted from the stage of the Russian ballet, and there are others that could easily be worn in a more formal manner.

That which is known as the wrapper is dead. The calico Mother Hubbard of practical life has absolutely no place in the modern finery. Even with her simplest combing sack, the bride-elect sees to it that it is touched with artistry, frivolity, and originality.

The outpourings of the shops today in matinee, sleeping sacks, and breakfast gowns allure the most economical and conservative women to their windows.

One of the attractive negligees made for an October bride is of white chiffon lined with fresh pink tulle and edged with wide bands of white marabou. It is girdled above the waist with large pink roses, from which fall at one side loops and ends of natter blue velvet ribbon.

There are no sleeves to this negligee, but the long kimono armholes cover the top part of the arm. This

is an example of what is considered correct and fashionable today for one's own room.

Invented to go with it is a piece of headgear which is neither cap nor crown, but which borrows a suggestion from each. It is made of a fine pattern of white lace, with broad points running upward and wired to stand. Lightly brushing the tips of these points and floating away to the shoulders and back is a veil of white tulle.

The mules are of flesh pink corded silk, with satin heels, and are touched at the instep and toe with pink rosebuds.

For the same trousseau there is another negligee made of white linen, draped over American beauty satin. In this, the arms and neck are also bare, but there is a comfortable shoulder cape which keeps one from catching pneumonia.

This cape is caught at the bust with an American Beauty rose, and the lace which falls away from the high waistline has two long points at the back which are weighted with crystal tassels.

Along with this negligee go silk stockings of American beauty pink and cloth of silver bedroom slippers. One of the fanciful caps which are supposed to be worn by the bride-elect in the morning when she has breakfast is a curious cross between a nurse's cap and a Brunhilda helmet. It fits well over the forehead, but leaves the back of the head in full view.

"This," as one bride-elect explained, "is to cover the multitude of comb which every girl sticks in the hair in the morning to obtain the water wave which we are all quite keen about."

Whether it is the water wave or

the old-fashioned and quite hideous curlers of bone or steel or brass paper, it is quite well to have the forehead covered when, on its broad expanse, vanity is fighting a battle. The cap in question shoots upward from the forehead in broad panels of embroidered satin, and there is a wired frill of white tulle that aspires to the heavens. It is tied on the head by a band of silver ribbon which begins with a pink rose between the eyes and finishes in a flaring bow at the nape of the neck.

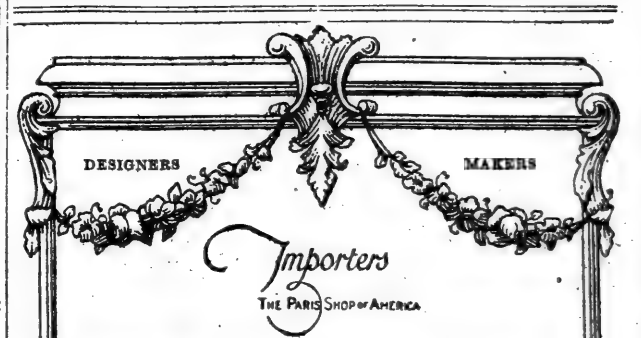
No one who goes out to buy the underlinen for a trousseau can be guided by what has been worn before or by what tradition once laid down as the proper equipment for a lady. It is best to go through a few of the shops which make a specialty of original underclothes, and if it is not possible to pay the price, to duplicate the garments elsewhere.

One happy solution of this problem is that the department shops get out at small prices an amazing assortment of dainty and fashionable, lingerie.

What is the tendency of today? Well, it is toward flesh pink as a color, hemstitching and picot edging as trimming, blue ribbon against a pink surface and a flash of roses wherever it can be placed.

Whether or not the First Empire styles will come into our afternoon and evening gowns, they are certainly here in fashionable lingerie. One might think that Josephine's famous white satin robe had been taken as a model for the new nightgowns.

Some of these have the puffed sleeves, although the tendency is Grecian. There is often a surplus bodice, back and front, and draped armholes finished with hemstitching or picot.



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- CHANEL MODELS—are much in evidence.
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- SERGE DRESSES—are much worn.
- ZIBELINE SUITINGS—are smart and exclusive.
- PEAU DE MARMOTTE—is a very new fabric.
- SELF-STRIPE MOUNTENAC—is also a new weave.
- METALLIC BROCADES and TISSUES—are much in vogue.
- LARGE POCKETS—are a notable feature.
- LAPIN (BELGIAN HARE)—is an ultra-fashionable new Fur.
- ERMINE—is "A la Mode" for evening.
- MUCH FUR will be worn.
- FUR TRIMMINGS—in broken bands are a new feature.
- MILLINERY SHOWS A TENDENCY TO HEIGHT.
- PARISIAN WOMEN—are favoring light felt hats.
- OSTRICH TRIMMED HATS—are among recent importations.
- BERET HATS—are considered smart.
- DRAPE HATS—are prominent among Fall Models.
- PAILLETTE HATS—are fashionable for evening wear.
- ANGORA EMBROIDERED VEILS—are new and exclusive.
- MALINE VEILS—are also a new note.
- NAPOLIONIC HATS—are decidedly in vogue.
- MANY HATS ARE FUR TRIMMED.
- BLOUSES—are quite "Russian" in style.
- BEADED BLOUSES—often complete the costume.

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A ROOM ROBE FOR A BRIDE.

It is called a negligee, but can be worn at the dinner table in one's own house. It is of white lace over dark satin and trimmed with tassels of crystal beads. The deep shoulder cape is caught at the bust with a large rose.

leading roles. Callot uses some broadcloth, other houses dwell upon velvet and suede for ordinary and ceremonial usage. Gabardine is also fashionable, but, summing it all up, velvet is the preferred fabric. In top coats and elaborate house frocks, velvet is the choice, and wherever the embroidery or minute soutache leaves a bit of plain surface there is fur.

There is no end to satin suites, usually covered with scrolls of oyster-white or gray soutache. Satin coats in black are also again in first fashion with soutache and brown or gray peltry. These are three-quarters long and quite full in the skirts.

Street suits have moderately wide skirts, longer, as all skirts are, than those of the last two seasons. The coats are reminiscent of the men's coats of the Directorate. There is the

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BALKAN MILITARY SITUATION HAS A POLITICAL SIDE

T By a Military Expert.
THE most interesting development of the week in the various theatres of war has been the beginning, apparently on a considerable scale, of activity about Saloniki. As matters stand, this particular theatre is interesting, not so much for what has happened up to the present time but for the potentialities of the situation. From the standpoint of both international politics and military possibilities, matters have crystallized quickly, and in the process have become exceedingly complicated.

At present all of the Entente Powers are represented in the army which apparently is about to begin a drive northward. All of the Central Powers are represented in the army which is to resist this drive. It is the first time since the beginning of the war that this situation has existed. That it should exist so near to Rumania at a time when this State is trembling in

No Serious Movement Yet Made by the Entente Allies, Who Have an Excellent Base at Saloniki, With Railroads Radiating in Three Directions—Review of Operations on the Somme and in Asia Minor.

Teutons and the Allies in their respective roles. To consider the Allies first; their particular problems must be regarded, of course, from the standpoint of an offensive. They are now walled in behind the high mountains of Northern Greece, Southern Bulgaria, and Serbia. As these mountains are for military purposes impassable, and as roads in this country are few and far between, the problem is narrowed down to available supply lines.

The entire system of supplies in this whole district, in so far as it relates to the allied operations toward the north, centres in Saloniki. This town is the railroad centre of all this coun-

try, the southern mouth of which is almost a gorge, but which, after a short distance, broadens out until it has a width of several miles. It is, therefore, a line that is easy to defend.

The line of the Vardar is essentially different. In the first place, it is favored with a railroad for its entire length. This in itself makes it an attractive line along which to attack. In the second place, the mountains which line its banks are not nearly so high as those along the Struma, nor are the sides so precipitous. It is consequently much more difficult to defend and what is more important, leads directly to much more important points. It would not be surprising, then, when the allied effort is made, and it has not yet been made, that it should be concentrated along the line of the Vardar valley.

What Bulgaria hopes to attain in a military way from her operations is not apparent. More than one defeat has been courted in the military history of the world by an over-extension of the flanks of an army at the expense of the centre, and it is barely possible that this is what the Allies are waiting for. Then, when the time comes, a blow which would break through the centre would immediately throw the flanks into serious danger of being defeated in detail. Absolutely nothing that the Allies have done so far gives the slightest clue to their future movements. It is at present apparent that they will select either the Struma or the Vardar lines as the location of their main effort. This is indicated by the fact that they have advanced in the centre and taken the railroad station at Dolran, from which point they are admirably situated to move in either direction.

The week on the western front has been signalized principally by two attacks, one by the British against Thiepval, the other by the French against Maurepas. In the British attack, the movement was over a front of but little more than two miles, and was directed both against the lines east of the town and directly south of it. The result has been to add materially to the difficulty of the Germans in holding the position, due to the fact that it has been driven more deeply than ever into a pocket. It is gradually being surrounded, in fact is all but enclosed on three sides by the British line.

No point in this section of the front is deemed more important than this little village. All of the British effort north and west of Popering has had Thiepval as its object. The Germans have counterattacked more vigorously and with more determination here than at any other point. The reason is that Thiepval is important to both. Judging by the effectiveness of this position in driving the British back in the first days of the British assault, it is one of the most strongly held points in the entire salient. Indeed, it is the point on which the entire German line east to Ghinchy seems to hang. The British are now reasonably sure of taking it. Their advance, while slow, has been almost uninterrupted and there is nothing to indicate that the Germans have the power to resist it.

On the French front north of the Somme material progress has also been made. The town of Maurepas has been taken, and the French lines established some hundreds of yards to the east. In the last operation here the French also took numerous prisoners, which in itself is an indication that the Germans put forward a strong effort to hold the village. There is no immediate advantage, even locally, in the capture of this town. The French advance, irrespective of the town, however, has accomplished certain things. It has brought the French line north of the river more nearly up to that south of the river, and, by this operation, has brought one step nearer the time when they can begin a flanking movement against Peronne. They have also advanced to within a mile of the village of Comblis, which is the most

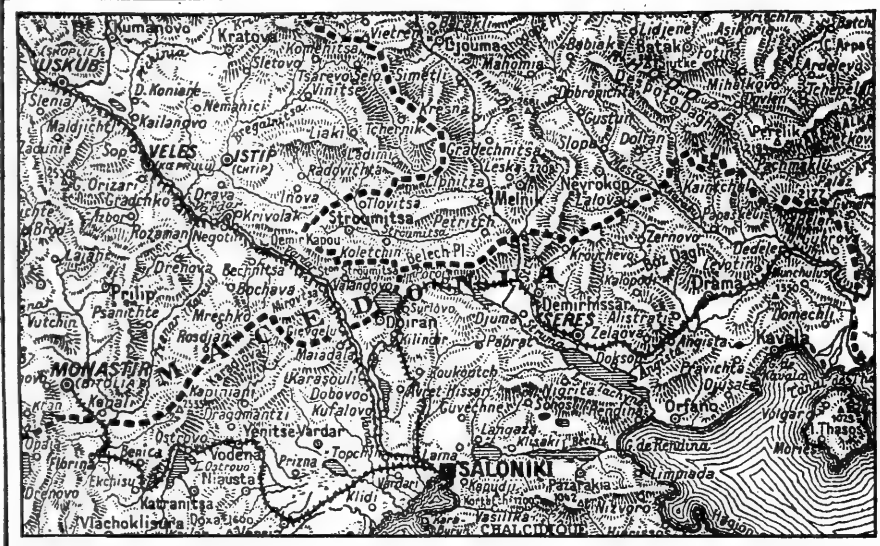
English attack has not broken out south of Arras against the northern edge of the Albert salient. Their large guns can now reach the rear of the German lines, holding the northern flank of the salient, so that the line would be under fire both from the front and rear. If by a sudden smashing attack here they could drive forward the same distance they did in their first attack from Albert, the Germans would be so pinched between that retirement would be necessary.

It need not be expected that the German line in the west will ever be broken as that word is understood in military circles. The German defensive is too strong in the first place, and in the second, is organized too far in the rear of the first line trenches. The Allies must make up their minds that the process will be a gradual bending

one, rather than a breaking process. If the onward creep which the Germans have so far not been able to stop can continue, and there is every evidence that it can, sooner or later some important supply line will be reached and a considerable section of the German front will be affected. But to continue the present operations with the view of pushing the Germans out of France and Belgium would be almost suicidal, as the loss would be so great as to be almost totally destructive.

On the Russian front the week has been occupied almost entirely by Teuton counterattacks against the advanced positions the Russians have taken on the western side of the Stokhod River. Neither side is able to record any progress. The Germans do not claim an advance, the Russians content themselves with claims of resisting the German counterattacks. The fact of the matter seems to be that the initiative has, at least for the time being, passed from the Russians to the Germans. The Russians are across the Stokhod River for almost its entire length from the Pripiet to lower Volhynia. They have not been able as yet to take advantage of this fact, but are instead acting on the defensive against German efforts to drive them back again to the east bank.

On the Asia Minor front, however, the Russians, after suffering a severe defeat at the hands of the Turks in the recapture of the important towns of Mush and Bitlis early this month, have delivered a counterstroke which has deprived the Turks of practically all that they had won as a result of their attack. Massing a large force at the insignificant town of Rachtia, the Russians struck the Turkish army which had captured Mush, and, after seven fighting, decisively defeated it, taking a large number of prisoners and recapturing Mush. The Turkish object here was the outflanking of the Russian force which had taken Erzingan some time ago, and for this purpose the Turks had apparently assembled all of their available troops in the entire Bitlis section. The movement was evidently a surprise to the Russians, who were taken completely unawares. The Turkish victory was short-lived, however, and the ensuing defeat more disastrous than the success had been effective. The left wing of the Russians recovered its equilibrium, the right wing, operating toward Siivas from Erzingan, is perfectly safe. Apparently the Turks are again in full retreat; at least they have evacuated Bitlis. This movement, in co-operation with the movement of the Allies from Saloniki, is destined, if successful, to be the swan song of Turkey. The Saloniki move has for one of its main objects the severance of the Teutons from Turkey, by cutting the Oriental railroad. If this happens the rapid downfall of Turkey is assured.



Region of the War Theatre Around Saloniki, Showing the Railroad Lines which Radiate From the Base of the Entente Allies. Any Serious Movement Against the Bulgars Will Probably be Started in the Lake Doiran District.

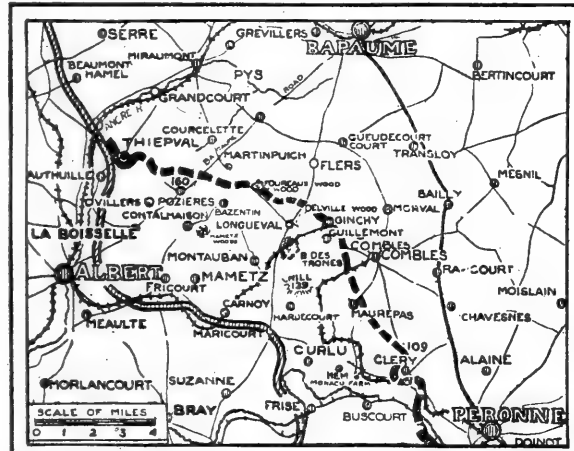
the balance between peace and war is highly important, inasmuch as it injects an entirely new problem into German diplomacy. The arrival of the Italians at Saloniki has led to bring matters in Rumania to a head. Both nations speak the same Latin tongue. Rumania is proud of it, and of her Latin blood. The interests of Rumania are not in conflict with those of Italy, and therefore it is but natural that her sympathy should be with the Italian cause. Whether her sympathy will lead her to a declaration of war on the side of the Entente is an entirely different matter. She may come in within

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Battle Front of the Somme, Showing How the Franco-British Forces Are Closing in on Thiepval, Ghinchy, Guillemont and Clercy.

the next ten days; she may maintain her neutrality until the war is over. But the war party in Rumania, which is quite strong, has been made much stronger by the situation which the advent of the Italians has created.

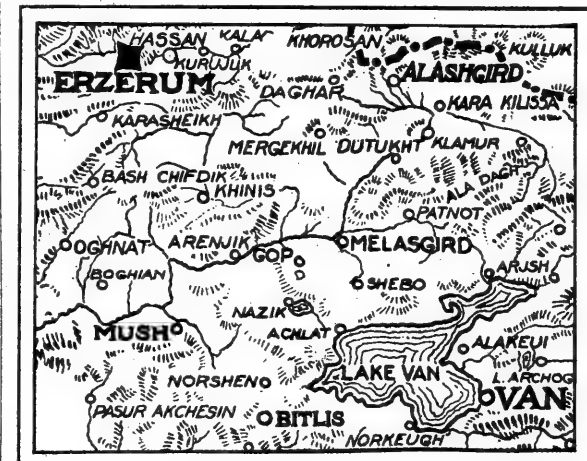
Shortly after the Italians landed, a strong contingent of Russian troops made their appearance. This brought in still another complication. The Bulgarians have been and ought to be sympathetic to the Russians. Moreover, the Bulgarians are, or claim to be, Slavs, and the instinct of cohesion is very strong among all of the Slavonic people. For political or economic considerations, however, the Bulgarian King declared war on the Entente, and while this war was none too popular at home, there was no sign of domestic disturbance. The Bulgarians, however, are now for the first time faced on the field of battle with soldiers of the Russian Czar. What the effect will be no one can foretell. The loyalty of the Bulgarians to the Teuton cause, however, will be seriously tested, particularly if the Allies give definite evidence of future success. The political developments will therefore be watched even more closely than the military, as more may accrue from them to one side or the other.

As the immediate future of the military events of the Saloniki enterprise may be productive of matters of great importance, it may not be amiss to analyze the principal elements of the problems which confront both the

meets the metal road from Monastir. This road is also reached by other good highways, one branching off from the Monastir-Uskub road at Priepet and passing on to Ishtib, while another leaves at Ishtib, and running due west, strikes the railroad at Koprilu.

Finally, there is the road from Saloniki to Dolran, which, on reaching the lake, branches off to the north and east through Demirhisar, Seres, and Drama. These are all the railroads in the entire war area.

There are, then, four lines of advance from the present allied positions. The first, beginning on the east, is the line of the Struma, which has a railroad only as far as Demirhisar and a good metal road beyond; second, the line of the Vardar, which has a good railroad throughout; third, the line of the Cherna River, which has no railroad but a fair dirt road following the river course up the valley, and, finally, the route from Monastir, north of which dependence must also be placed on dirt roads.



Section of the War Theatre in Asia Minor, Where the Russians are Again Advancing. Turkish Forces Have Evacuated Bitlis and Mush, After an Unsuccessful Attempt to Cut in Behind the Russian Army in Front of Erzerum.

Although the Bulgarians have made considerable advances on the flanks it does not seem as though they have been met with any material resistance. The Allies are evidently content with the situation on their flanks and are going to make their main effort, when the time is ripe, nearer the centre.

important of the small towns north of the river. The British and French, by co-operating in their movements, have linked up their lines more effectively and have forced the entire German line north of the river to face both south and west. It is somewhat surprising that an

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BUYS WASHINGTON'S HEADQUARTERS TO PRESERVE IT

Messmore Kendall Takes Possession of Historic House at Dobbs Ferry Where Famous Military Parley Was Held After Battles of Revolution Ended.

A FEW days ago a young American heard that Washington's headquarters at Dobbs Ferry would be sold within twenty-four hours to a brewer, who intended to turn this historic place into a reading house. The American had been fascinated, even as a boy in Michigan with the old wooden representation in Prescott's "History of the United States" showing the house in which General Washington, Sir Guy Carleton, then Commander in Chief of the British Army, and Governor Clinton met on May 3, 1783, after the suspension of hostilities, to settle the terms for the disbanding of the two armies.

It was the only time these distinguished gentlemen ever met. The papers there signed obligated the British to give up all claim upon the allegiance and control of the country, gave freedom to a nation, and initiated a remarkable test of republican institutions. By some the house has been called "the birthplace of the United States." The young American, Messmore Kendall, of this city, when he heard that the historic place might be used for undesirable purposes, did not rest until he had bought the house and its three and one-quarter acres for \$40,000. He may give it to the State or nation, but not until he has spent \$25,000 to restore it.

The inscription on a monument placed near the house on June 14, 1891, by the New York State Society, Sons of the American Revolution, relates that here on Aug. 14, 1781, Washington planned the Yorktown campaign which brought to a triumphant end the war for American independence. And that opposite this point, May 8, 1783, a British sloop of war fired seventeen guns in honor of the American Commander in Chief, the first salute by Great Britain to the United States of America.

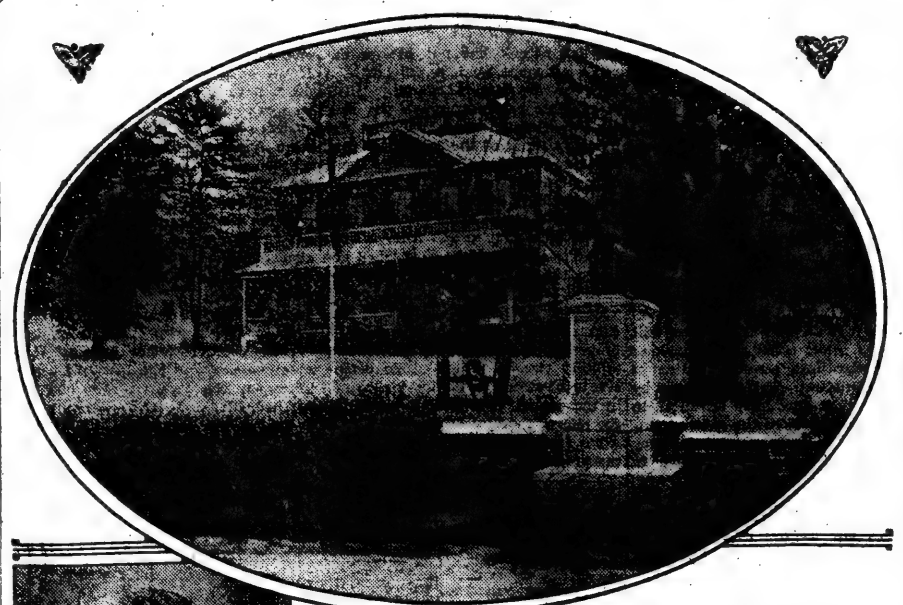
The memorable conference which was fraught with such significance and led to the evacuation of American soil by British troops lasted several days, and during that time the Dobbs Ferry house was carefully guarded by several companies of soldiers, while mounted messengers carried dispatches hourly to the Continental and British camps.

Mr. Kendall, who is a lawyer, spent last winter in France, and became recharged with its patriotism. While there he heard American critics of their own country and its President, and his patriotism, always healthy, became robust in consequence. His stock is American from early days. At the first call for volunteers in the Revolutionary War, 261 Kendalls responded and did their bit. Messmore Kendall's great-grandfather, Dr. Joseph Goodhue by name, was at one time Surgeon General of the Revolutionary Army. His grandfather, Colonel I. E. Messmore, organized the fourteenth Wisconsin Volunteer In-

fantry Regiment, fought all through the civil war, became Judge of the Supreme Court of Wisconsin, served as a member of Congress for several years, and received a letter from General Hancock when that man believed he would be made President of the United States, offering Colonel Messmore, in that event, the post of Secretary of the Interior.

Messmore Kendall, who was born in Grand Rapids, Mich., in 1872, has a record of his own. He herded cows in the West and, after being graduated from Columbia University, was secretary to United States Senator John L. Wilson, and later to Delany Storer, former Minister to Austria-Hungary. As attorney for Jennie M. Leys, Mr. Kendall recovered a verdict against the New York Central Railroad for \$100,000, said to be the largest verdict on record in a personal injury action. He organized the Braden Copper Company, which is now part of the Kennecott Copper Company, one of the largest corporations of its kind.

He had, in a word, the patriotism and the means, and everything combined to arouse within him a keen interest in the fate of the Washington headquarters at Dobbs Ferry. Mr. Kendall had long known the history of the place and while motoring by the coast, rambling house fronting the old post road, over which the stage coaches used to pass, he noticed that it seemed more neglected than ever, and that several signs on the trees indicated that the property was in the hands of real estate agents. Following a sudden inspiration and the advice of one of the signs, Mr. Kendall drove to the real estate office of James L. Taylor at Dobbs Ferry and announced that he felt like buying Washington's headquarters. Mr. Taylor informed him that a brewer had first claim on the property, being expected that afternoon, when papers were to be signed, and that what had been called the birthplace of the United States would soon be a prosperous roadhouse. Mr. Kendall did not sleep until he got it. Now he is going to put the house into the hands of artists and architects, who will make it look as it did in the days when cannon balls from the enemy's gunboats lodged in the cherry trees. A few of these cannon balls are still to be seen around the place. After the restoration Mr. Kendall will decide whether he will give the house to the State or nation. He has not yet made up his mind on this point, for the house came into his possession in a moment of patriotic feeling, which was prompted to some extent by a visit last winter to France. There Mr. Kendall witnessed the splen-



Washington's Headquarters at Dobbs Ferry, N.Y.
(Photo by Henry G. Lauterbach, Dobbs Ferry, N.Y.)



Messmore Kendall.

did patriotism of the French people and remembered later that near the Dobbs Ferry house the French allies under Rochambeau had joined the American army on July 6, 1781. As an unadmitted American he is naturally proud of that episode in our history, and proud also of his ownership of the house that is associated with Rochambeau.

Westchester County is rich in historic places, yet, among them, perhaps none is more justly noted than the property now known chiefly as the Livingston Manor House, though in truth it has no claim to that title. The

land on which the house stands was purchased from the Indians in April, 1682, by Frederick Philipse, whose Manor House is now the City Hall of Yonkers, and was held by his family, under royal charter from the English crown, until after the Revolution, when it was confiscated by the Government on account of the Toryism of its owners. It was occupied during Revolutionary times by Thomas Hyatt, a tenant farmer, who had leased it and the surrounding tract of land from the Lord of Philipseburg, and who prided himself on having the best location in that part of the country, the best house between Yonkers and Sleepy Hollow, but whose chief claim to future greatness seems to have been his ability to tell "big stories."

He had no political opinion, and cared little which party ruled, as long as crops were good. But the even tenor of his life was destined to interruption, both by Americans and by British. In 1776, after the battle of White Plains, came the redcoats, prior to their march on Fort Mifflin. Lord Howe here made his maps of Westchester roads, and here General Lee rested on his march to Morristown. And, in the following winter, a division of Washington's army encamped

here, to command the passage of the river. The poor farmer was, indeed, besieged.

On Aug. 1, 1780, the main body of the American Army crossed the river and encamped at Dobbs Ferry, and the old house became the headquarters of the army's chief, and of its Generals, Lafayette, Steuben, Knox, Greene, and Hamilton. Washington's

manoeuvre attained its object, that of drawing the enemy back to Rhode Island, and the main body of the American Army recrossed to the New Jersey shore.

On Aug. 7, 1781, about 2 o'clock in the morning, the American Army was startled by the firing of cannon at Dobbs Ferry. It appeared that two of the enemy's gunboats had come up as high as the ferry, probably to try to seize some vessels or boats. Finding that they were discovered, they fired four cannon, but to no effect. Four cannon were discharged at the boats from the battery, on which they went down the river.

Washington's diary informs us that on July 4, 1781, he "marched and took a position a little to the left of Dobbs Ferry, and marked a camp for the French Army upon our left." On July 6 the French Army formed "the junction with the American Army on the ground marked out. The American Army was encamped in two lines, with the right resting on the Hudson River near Dobbs Ferry. The French Army, stationed on the hills at the left, was a single line reaching to the Bronx River. There was a valley of considerable extent between the two armies."

Washington's object in taking a position on the Hudson River near Dobbs Ferry was to be prepared to make an attack on New York, and also to induce the enemy to withdraw a large portion of his forces from the south. In this he was successful, and thus it was that he was enabled to defeat and compel the surrender of Cornwallis and end the war. An entry in Washington's orderly book dated July 6, 1781, and written at Dobbs Ferry, says that he "embraces the earliest opportunity of expressing his thanks to

Count de Rochambeau for the unremitting zeal with which he has prosecuted his march in order to form the long-wished-for junction between the French and American Armies—an event which must afford the highest degree of pleasure to every friend of the country, and from which the happiest consequences can be expected."

These and other tales of the old house were recounted a few nights ago by Miss Anna Gertrude Roberts, one of the heirs of the Hasbrouck estate, from which Mr. Kendall's purchase has been made. Peter Van Brugh Livingston was an American merchant, born in Albany, the son of Philip, second Lord of Livingston Manor. This house was his country place. He enjoyed the friendship of Washington, and on more than one occasion was consulted by him. He was one of the founders of the College of New Jersey, at Elizabethtown, N. J., which afterward became Princeton College. On April 22, 1774, he was one of a party who, disguised as Mohawks, like their Boston compatriots, threw overboard a cargo of tea brought by the Nancy into the Harbor of New York. The place was sold by Van Brugh Livingston to Stephen Archer in 1876, and was his residence until his death in 1877. It was purchased by Dr. Joseph Hasbrouck in 1882.

Earthworks were established at several points within the village of Dobbs Ferry during the Revolutionary War. An embankment at the foot of Chestnut Street was leveled only a few years ago. The outlines of a redoubt, in perfect condition, are still preserved in the angles formed by the junction of Broadway and Livingston Avenue. The remains of a fort, a still more imposing earthwork, are carefully preserved on a knoll a few rods southeast of the redoubt.

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Within are many quaint old relics—the table built for Major Paulding of New York, at which Lafayette was entertained in 1824; and the chairs which were used at that banquet; a copper kettle given by a British officer to a negro slave; quaint old china and pewter dishes brought from Holland in the seventeenth century. Here, too, is an odd old footstove, such as our grandmothers carried with them to church, and, perhaps the most interesting of them all, and one which at least brings the war very strongly before us, is a Revolutionary cannon ball cut from an old cherry tree on the place.

Stephen Archer, who bought the house from Livingston, was a Quaker and abolitionist, and during the civil war the place became a station on the "underground railway." Many a trembling slave was safely hidden within its friendly walls until pursuit was over and opportunity was afforded to seek the Canadian boundary. Dr. Joseph Hasbrouck, the last owner of the house, was a descendant of an old Huguenot family and former Vice President of the Holland Society of New York. He died a few years ago.

QUERIES AND ANSWERS ABOUT THE WAR

The Beginning of the War.

J. H. GARNER.—The European war was begun by Austria-Hungary's declaration of war against Serbia. Russia thereupon clearly threatened to make war on Austria, and issued a partial mobilization. Germany, asserting that mobilization was a casus belli, as well as Austria, demanded that the Czar demobilize his army. This he refused to do until Austria withdrew her threat against Serbia. Austria refused to yield, Russia refused to demobilize, and the Kaiser declared war on Russia. This, in turn, involved France as the ally of Russia, and the Kaiser declared war on France to fulfill her treaty promise to defend the neutrality of Belgium. There are conflicting claims as to the state of diplomatic negotiations for peace, when Germany declared war on Russia. The Allies claim that the Kaiser acted at the very moment when conversations between Petrograd and Vienna had practically ceased. Sir Edward Grey's intervention. All the Kaiser's diplomatic efforts were directed toward convincing the war to Austria-Hungary and Serbia.

War Declarations.

BERTRAND E. WHITNEY.—Will you kindly give the number of declarations of war issued by each nation in the European war, and thereby settle a controversy as to which nation has issued the greatest number.

Great Britain, Germany, and Austria have each made one declaration of war. This is the largest number for the present war. Great Britain is the only nation involved which has in every case issued the declaration of hostilities. The list is as follows:

Great Britain declared war on Germany, Austria, Turkey, and Bulgaria. France declared war on Austria, Turkey, and Bulgaria. Russia declared war on Bulgaria. Italy declared war on Austria, Turkey, and Bulgaria. Serbia declared war on Germany and Turkey. Montenegro declared war on Austria and Germany. Greece declared war on Germany. Germany declared war on Russia, France, Belgium, and Portugal. Austria declared war on Serbia, Russia, Belgium, and Japan. Turkey declared war on Russia.

British July Losses.

M. M. KAYTON.—What is the casualty record of British officers in the month of July in all fields?

A statement issued on July 31 put the number at 7,064 officers.

Gortia and Verdun.

A. G. B.—Gortia is considered a strategic defense position, though the Verdun. The Austrian town not only has a river before it, but is surrounded by heights which had to be taken before the city could be held. Both to the north and south were very strong positions, from either one of which a foe could be flanked. On the east Verdun fronts the French fight with a river at

their backs, a dangerous position. Such strength as Verdun has is due to the elaborate works constructed there, but it was found early in this war that steel and concrete, such as were used at Forts Douaumont and Vaux, cannot hold out against the fire of heavy guns.

Enemy Allies.

H. P.—Who enjoyed the greater freedom during the three months following the outbreak of the war, Germany or Austria? In Great Britain or the British subjects in Germany?

German subjects in Great Britain. It was not until after the Lusitania was sunk that England adopted her present strict measure with enemy aliens.

Money for the Allies.

A. L. WILLSON.—Please advise me what you think the entire best device to make of a fund of \$500 to help the Allies in the European war, and for the Allies' side. I am always afraid the Belgian relief helps Germany by allowing her to steal more from Belgium. This fund is from my personal, hard-earned funds and I wish to make no mistakes, but help the most.

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Austria-Hungary and Military Service.

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Now as an American citizen in case that I should go back to Hungary could they punish me for deserting from the army?

Or could they force me to join the army again?

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he had not been put in service; (2) if he was a soldier when he emigrated, either in active service or on leave of absence; (3) if he was summoned by notice or by proclamation before his emigration to serve in the army or militia and failed to obey the call; (4) if he emigrated after the war broke out. A naturalized American citizen of Austrian or Hungarian origin arriving in his original country should at once show his passport to the American Consul, or at least to the local authorities; and if, on inquiry, it is found that his name is on the military rolls he is concerned.

The navies of the world rank as follows: Great Britain, Germany, the United States, France, Japan, and Russia.

The Times and the News.

A. M.—Will you kindly inform me whether it is true, as claimed in today's Star-Zeitung, that your paper among others, failed to report that the Englishman Londale was pardoned by the Kaiser on June 10, 1916. Londale was a prisoner of war at Doberitz. He was sentenced to ten years' imprisonment for insubordination, resisting a guard, and, on review of the case, was sentenced to death. Both sentences were given wide publicity in the press.

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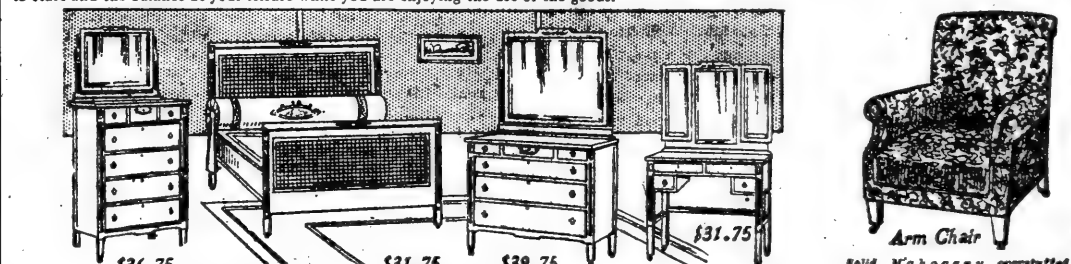
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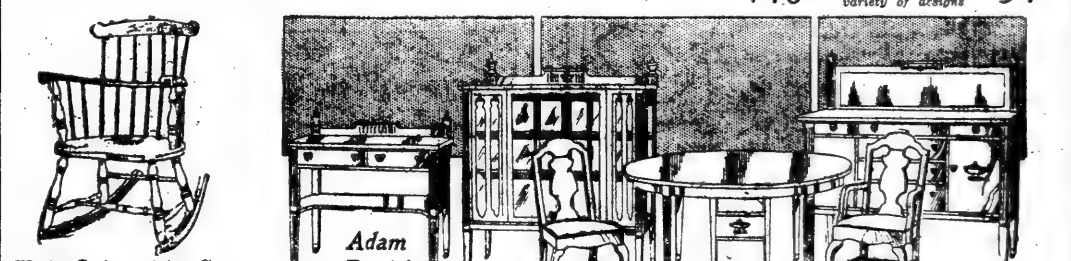
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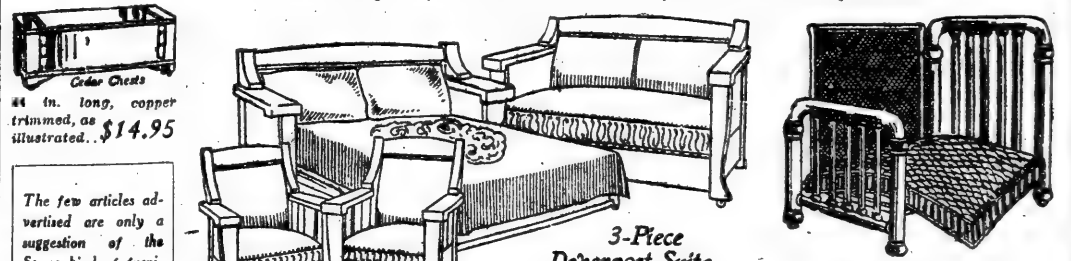
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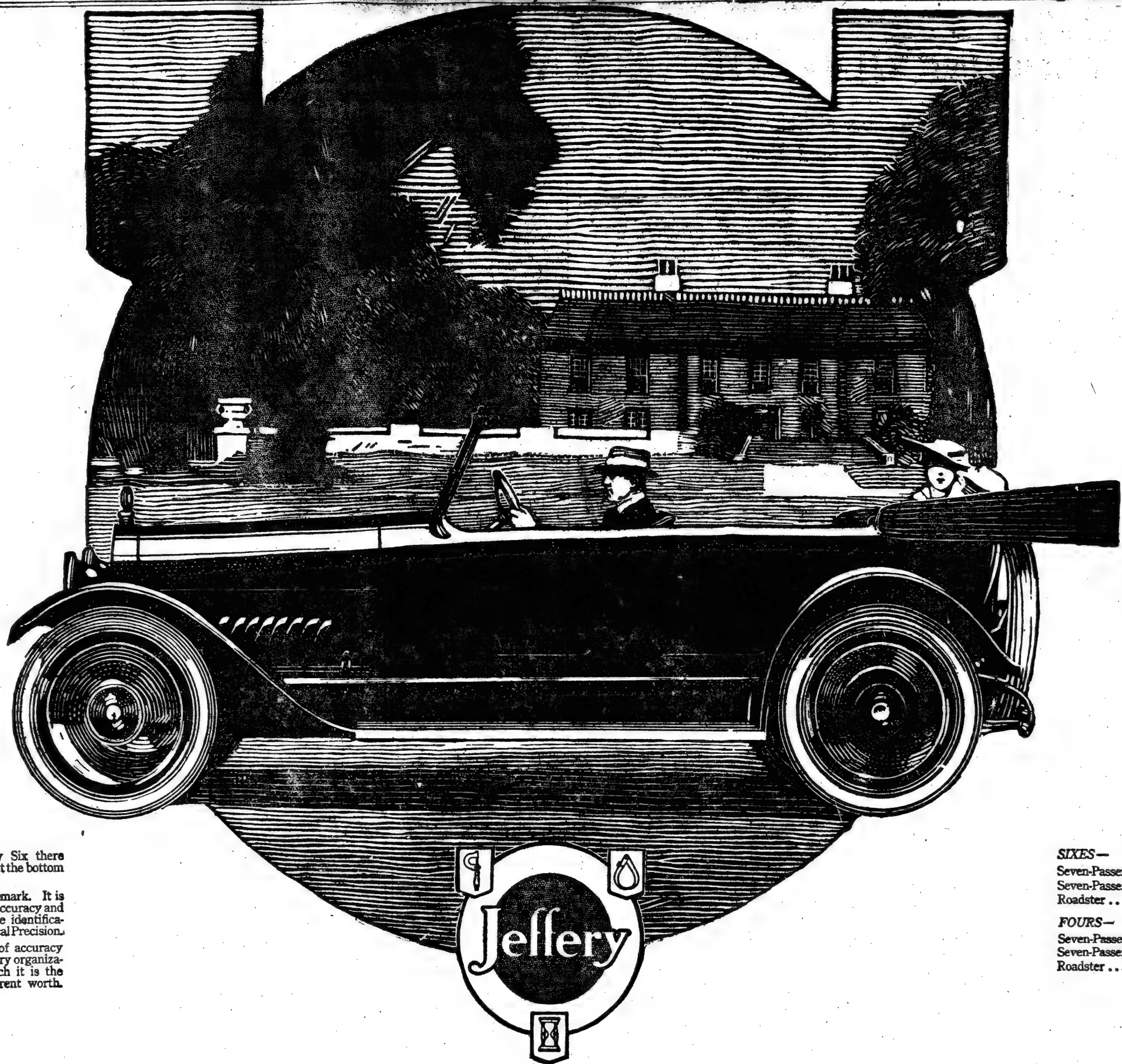
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Great Increase in Number of Schools and Pupils During Recent Years—Principles Governing Teaching in These Institutions.

THE TIMES presents herewith an article on the functions of the Catholic schools and their place in the general educational system of the country, written by the Rev. John J. Wynne, editor of the Catholic Encyclopedia. It had been announced previously that this article would be written by the Rev. Joseph A. Mulry, President of Fordham University. Before Father Mulry could complete his article he was suddenly called out of town. Father Wynne thereupon kindly consented to prepare the lucid and instructive article which follows.

By THE REV. JOHN J. WYNNE, S. J.
Editor of the Catholic Encyclopedia.

THERE are, over 7,000 Catholic schools in the United States of every grade from the kindergarten to the university, and for every need, for the defective as well as for the normal; for teachers as well as for pupils; industrial, technical, professional, and semi-professional. There are besides night, club, settlement, social, and summer schools, and a great number of teachers' institutes. The Catholic schools in Alaska, Hawaii, the Philippines and Porto Rico are not enumerated here.

In these 7,000 and more scholastic institutions there are over 1,700,000 pupils in attendance, of whom 1,497,949 were in the 5,588 schools of elementary grade at the beginning of the present school year in September, 1915. In the academies and colleges there are over 120,000; in the university and professional schools about 8,500; in the industrial and technical, 17,000; in seminaries, 6,200; in training schools, 9,000; in various institutions for dependent children about 30,000, besides several thousand in night, club, settlement, social, and summer schools. These vast numbers of students are housed in schools which in structure and equipment compare favorably with the public schools. With few exceptions the buildings are exclusively devoted to school purposes. In every instance they provide space for assembly room, library, laboratory. They are built according to municipal requirements, they are well lighted and heated, and they are conveniently located.

As a rule, the pupils of the elementary grades are Catholics, though quite frequently Protestant and Jewish parents seek admission for their children, which is always cordially granted. In the schools of secondary and higher grades there are always a fair number who are not members of the Catholic Church. In the professional school children are often outnumbered by those of other creeds or of none at all.

Though admission is thus open to all, the greatest care is taken to admit no pupil that might be a detriment to the others. For these schools are private schools, and in sending children to them parents have a guarantee not only of the exceptionally good character of the teachers, but of fit companionship for their children as well.

The elementary and, in many instances, the high schools are free. There are no charges for tuition nor for textbooks except in localities where public school pupils pay for these books. Nor is there any tax or system of collection by which the pupils or their parents would feel constrained to give something in return for their education.

There is no national central bureau for the management of all these schools. Each diocese provides for its own. The Bishops of all the dioceses form the only competent body to regulate the elementary and high schools.

They also form the controlling body of the Catholic University at Washington. The colleges, professional schools, and other universities are under their several Boards of Trustees and Faculties. There is a Catholic Educational Association in the United States composed of members of all the scholastic institutions and working through special committees for the various grades or classes of schools. This association meets annually, and, although it exercises no control over the schools, its suggestions are as a rule adopted. Gradually also a number of Catholic academies, especially for girls, are affiliating with the Catholic University, with a view to introducing uniform courses of study and of obtaining entrance certificates. Still neither of these agencies is authorized to regulate Catholic schools.

In each of the 111 Catholic dioceses in the United States one or more school Superintendents, with a diocesan school board, regulate the teaching in the Catholic elementary and high schools. They visit and inspect the schools, formulate programs of study, draw up examination papers, and see that all State or local regulations for education are observed by the heads of the schools and teachers.

For co-operation with the schools of the State, or district, is a primary principle with Catholic Bishops, school Superintendents, and all concerned in the Catholic school system. Not only do they derive authorization from the State authorities when this is required, but they conform also to State or local programs of study; use as far as possible the same textbooks as the public schools, and prepare the pupils for such examinations as may entitle them to certificates for entrance into normal, training, or professional schools. The Catholic schools in New York State are enrolled under the Board of Regents; in California they comply with requirement of preparing pupils for admission to the State University; in Nebraska they are accredited by the State University, and three of them are recognized by the State for normal and training work; in Washington two sisters' schools are ranked as normal schools by the State.

Perhaps the clearest way of establishing the fact of the co-operation of the Catholic with the public school system is to show here two-time schedules, one of a Catholic school in Michigan City, Ind., and one of a public school in the District of Columbia. Any Catholic school in the United States can be compared with any public school by this same test, and the studies will not materially differ, except that in the Catholic school a certain number of hours are devoted each year to teaching religion and that, even not counting the extra time so employed, the total hours in the schedule of the Catholic school exceed the totals for the public school.

TIME SCHEDULE OF A TYPICAL PARISH SCHOOL, MICHIGAN CITY, INDIANA.

	1st grade	2nd grade	3rd grade	4th grade	5th grade	6th grade	7th grade	8th grade
Writing	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
Spelling	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
Reading and literature	240	240	240	240	240	240	240	240
Language and composition	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
Grammar and composition	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
History and civics	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
Geography	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
Mathematics	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
Arithmetic	270	270	270	270	270	270	270	270
Algebra	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
Physiology	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
Music	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
Drawing	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
Needlework	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
German	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
Supplementary	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
Total minutes per week	1,280	1,280	1,280	1,280	1,280	1,280	1,280	1,280

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Spelling and word analysis	150	150	150	150	150	150	150	150
Reading and literature	300	320	240	200	200	120	120	90
Language and composition	60	100	120	120	120	150	150	150
Grammar and composition	60	100	120	120	120	150	150	150
History and civics	60	100	120	120	120	150	150	150
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Music	60	100	120	120	120	150	150	150
Drawing, art construction	60	100	120	120	120	150	150	150
Science	60	100	120	120	120	150	150	150
Physical culture	60	100	120	120	120	150	150	150
Nature study	60	100	120	120	120	150	150	150
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QUESTIONS RARE BOOK FIND.

Correspondent Casts Doubt on the "Dance of Death" Volume.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

The illustrated article "Rare Book Find May Solve Old Controversy," in the Magazine Section of THE TIMES on Aug. 6, attracted my attention with a pleasant anticipation. The three beautiful reproductions would have been enough to make Dibdin sit up from his comfortable resting place and pour over the xeroxed page of THE TIMES in wondrous admiration. But, alas! the reading of the descriptive article by the overenthusiastic author demolished my brightest hopes of feeding my curiosity on something really rare.

The author, at the beginning of his article, says that the "quaint-looking book has just been identified not only as a copy of one of the famous 'Book of Hours' of the early part of the Middle Ages, but as the original of a book of Saint Norbert!" Middle Ages is an elastic form of fixing a date, but further down his first great mistake in identification becomes more apparent even to the most innocent in rare book lore, when he says: "It is astonishing that this book, which contains first impressions of an original series of the 'Dance of Death,' has in nearly 750 years of its existence apparently never been critically examined by any person who had a proper knowledge in such matters."

It is indeed astonishing that the author of the article should overlook the fact that by placing the printing of the book (for it is a printed book) 750 years back, it would have been printed in the year 1166 or thereabout, that is, in round figures 300 years before the invention of printing by Gutenberg and Fust Company, who invented the art of printing by movable types between the years 1422 and 1450. No books of earlier date printed with types ever existed to the knowledge of man. It is true there are in existence to this day what are called block books, but that is a matter foreign to this question. This much will suffice to upset the identification of the book as having been printed 750 years ago.

Another important fact which will show how grossly erroneous is the statement of the writer in supposing that the book was printed 750 years ago is the woodcut illustrations in the text and surrounding border, which are fine and delicately executed. The inventor of the woodcut was not employed to execute the woodcut until the art was already well developed and carried to a high degree of perfection at the time of the printing of the book.

Now, to my best information, the art of wood engraving or xylography was invented about 1490, and remained rather inactive for upward of fifty years, when it began to emerge as a new invention of printing by movable types it took up an ascending and gradually more perfect series of illustrations and engravings, and the production of masterpieces of the great printers.

Albert Dürer, who lived between the years 1471 and 1528, for instance, was at the art of copper engraving from Buon Martini and greatly surpassed him, and then took up wood engraving. He has been deservedly called the greatest promoter of the art of wood engraving, and with him began the golden age of that art. Dürer began to engrave on wood about 1496, when that art was already in vogue to a certain extent, and he practiced by lesser artists before him, although it was increasing degree. This, therefore, settles the supposition and identification of the supposed wood engraving and printing of the twelfth century.

Concerning the woodcut depicting the so-called Dance of Death, they will not solve any old controversy on the subject or perhaps reopen a new one. In a few words from Rivers and none to reopen.

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SECOND THOUGHTS ON FIRST NIGHTS

"The Happy Ending"

THE Happy Ending, a fantasy playing in terms of spiritualism with the faith and hope that death is but a joyous release, was presented last Monday evening by Arthur Hopkins at the Shubert Theatre. Last night it was discreetly withdrawn, and some time in September it is to try its fortunes on the road. Exquisitely staged, the richer here and there for some delightful and quite heart-warming conceits, and achieving in its last ten minutes one of the most splendid and exalted scenes the American stage has known in years, the play was none the less woefully commonplace in its text, and—above all—almost totally lacking in dramatic force. It is sad that Mr. Hopkins could not have had at his command the experience, money, and artistic resources here revealed when he had such a manuscript to embody as "The Poor Little Rich Girl."

The unsocial few (including some of the reviewers) who so far forgot their obligations as to retreat before the end of the play had been worsted by some exceptionally tedious scenes, but they missed thereby the happy ending. And missing that, they never really saw "The Happy Ending." It was the scene where the piteous Princess died. From this side the door that guarded the sickroom, in the grim and stately palace, you could hear the worried murmur of her people and the call of the baffled doctor for oxygen. And you knew it was all in vain. For the storm had passed, the great windows were opened to admit a flood of glorious light, and the little white scout from the hereafter stood waiting at the top of the broad steps. The very palace was transformed as, out of the beyond, to the gleeful shouts of a host of garland-bearing children, came the dead Queen and the dead lover to welcome the Princess home. Out of the sickroom, up the broad stairs, out of the melancholy palace forever they led her, and at the end you saw just this triumphal procession silhouetted against a golden sky. It was uplifting. And for this final moment the work of playwright, players, decorator, and composer was brought into that perfect harmony which is the director's finest achievement—his very reason for existence. Mr. Hopkins may be proud of this moment; it will linger in the memories of those who saw it years after they have forgotten all the stuff that is now outliving "The Happy Ending" on Broadway.

To the many incidental beauties in this lifeless play Robert Edmond Jones made the richest contribution. His stage pictures for the last act have never been surpassed in New York. While it is true that the somewhat overbearing opulence of the Urban decorations is overbearing partly because it is unfamiliar, nevertheless Mr. Jones has what Mr. Urban lacks, a capacity for making his work loyally serve the play at every moment. The importance of this work is inadequately expressed when it is described merely as an improvement. The difference between Mr. Jones and his contemporaries on the one hand and most of the "scene artists" of the preceding generation on the other is more than the difference between fine art and less fine art. It is the difference between fine art and nothing at all.

The helpfulness of Eugen Halle's pleasing score was somewhat dissipated by the necessity of interpolating a large orchestra between the stage and the small audience. The inescapable sight of the director, brandishing his baton in bulky silhouette against the play, made you sigh for some such remote and invisible orchestra as, from beyond and above the stage, played the music for "Calliban" last May. Of the excellent cast, this playgoer would pay his respects to Irby Marshall, Reggie Sheffield, Cecil Yapp, Clyde North, J. Palmer Collins, William Gilmore, and Arthur Fitzgerald. Also to a whole stageful of enchanting children. Some testy fellows complained next day of their shrill and nasal contributions. It was such an unharmonious uproar as comes to you on Spring days when you leave your window open near some public school yard at recess time—to some of us the dearest music in the world.

And in passing, it may be as well to sift out the facts from the extraordinarily varied statements put in circulation concerning the identity of the Macphersons, who wrote the play. They have been described as two sisters and as man and wife. They have even been identified as Mr. and Mrs. Jean du Rocher. As a matter of fact, "The Happy Ending" was written by Miss La Macpherson and her brother, Jean du Rocher Macpherson. It is quite true that these two have been completing the works planned by a sister now dead. It is quite true that Miss Macpherson received some of the material for "The Happy Ending" from her sister on her deathbed. It is equally true that she believes herself in present communication and collaboration with her sister's spirit and that she has not consented to any change in the script without first consulting this spirit. The works of the Macphersons thus far exhibited in New York—"Evidence," "The King of No-where," and "The Happy Ending"—do not suggest that they have any important call to write for the theatre.

The Insufficient Yardstick. It will always be a matter of surprise to many of us that Arthur Hopkins should have been willing to lavish so beautiful and so costly a mounting on such a dubious work as "The Happy Ending." Of course, his own heart, like that of Ada Rehan, who brought the manuscript to America, was captured by some of the immensely cheering incidents the play contained. Doubtless he did employ his own handy callipers, which he has always found a helpful but by no means infallible guide in the quest of the golden play. You may remember that for this page in January of last year Mr. Hopkins wrote an interesting, much discussed, and widely reprinted article on that burning question—"How to Pick a Popular Play." Therein, as his contribution to play reading—that most unscientific of all modern activities—he explained his own method. There were four ingredients—novelty, human interest, acting opportunity, and producing opportunity—which he would always seek in every script, and which, rated in normal strength at 25, would establish an acceptable play as valued at 100. Thus he estimated "Within the Law" at 145, "The Poor Little Rich Girl" at 200, and "On Trial" (another of his own selections) at 190. And at that time he gave this pocket-sized report on the Macpherson play, which even then he was planning for production. It was this:

Novelty..... 60
Human interest..... 50
Acting opportunity..... 40
Producing opportunity..... 50
Total..... 200

"You may check me up on this next Fall," he said. "I hope I am right." And indeed, except that the acting opportunity was a trifle overestimated, this seems to have been a discerning evaluation of certain elements in "The Happy Ending." So that obviously the measuring scale was incomplete.

A Clearing House for Playlets. RELEASED, for the time being at least, by the closing of "The Happy Ending," Margaret Mower is contemplating vaudeville. A fairly circumstantial rumor says she will appear at the Palace in "The Magical City," the one-act *vers libre* play by Zoé Atkins which was something of a sensation when it was produced by the Washington Square Players last Spring. Presumably that original production will also be represented by the striking and somewhat too luxurious setting designed by Lee Simonson. All this is interesting chiefly as another evidence that the theatre of the Wash-



Anna Pavlova in "The Big Show" at the Hippodrome

Mr. Hopkins should have included in his computations these factors:
Lack of dramatic force..... 125
Adverse conditions, (excessive heat, imperfect acoustics, etc.)..... 15

Which would have brought him a total of 70, and so given him pause. Or perhaps these measurements should be taken only after you have quite decided that the script before you is a play at all. For if it lack dramatic life, you will produce it at your peril. That is the element common to nearly all plays, to "Justice" and "Peter Pan" and "Nellie, the Beautiful Cloak Model." It is the element to which Dr. Elliot would respond in a piece on the Bowery and the little newboy to a piece in Mr. Ames's playhouse. It is the great constant in the problem of the theatre.

And so, if "The Happy Ending" has had to go, it was not because it was too good for New York. Nonsense. It was because it was not good enough. It is to be hoped there will not be much dwelling—as there has been in the lobby chatter all week—on Mr. Hopkins's "courage" in producing this play. For that matter it took "courage" to produce "Yvette."

Our First-Nighters. SEVERAL of the papers next day chronicled the insignificant fact that a large number of persons walked out of the Shubert last Monday evening before the play was done. It is the occasional way of Broadway and recalls Louis N. Parker's gentle rebuke.

"An American audience," he wrote, "is the most courteous audience in the world. The boomer of the London gallery is unimaginable. If the play be a failure, you will hear no opinion to that effect, but you will find that during the later acts the audience has melted softly and steadily into thin air. Such an occasion is like a performance of Haydn's Farewell Symphony, and at the close the auditor is the only person left in the auditorium, unless he may have had the good sense to be the first to go."

Yet a growing acquaintance with the first-night audience that shows up in the majority of our theatres deepens the conviction that such an exodus is not necessarily complimentary. Whenever our playwrights and producers wish for the sake of the material they are using to address the better elements in American life, they should make heroic efforts to have the premiere attended by a group more representative of what is sweet and normal in the homes of this country. The pity is that even if "The Happy Ending" had been as splendid all the way through as it was in spots, even if it had been as fine a thing as it tried to be, the audience assembled last Monday evening was the last audience in the world that should have been suffered to welcome it. There were plenty of there who would have "walked out" on "Peter Pan."

New Marble Slabs for the Casts and Titles of Plays to be Placed on the Front of the Forty-eighth Street Theatre this week. The old ones were eroded away last week by the constant changing of the date for the first performance of "Somebody's Luggage."

ington Square Players is not merely a home but a clearing house for one-act plays.

Last week "The Clod" was taken to the bosom of vaudeville. This week it will be Cecil Dorrian's mildly diverting comedy, "The Age of Reason," which will be seen at the Palace. And next "The Magical City." This is a welcome progress. It means a gradual filtering of better one-act plays into the halls of the two-day act. It also means a steadier flow of good material to the Comedy as it becomes more widely recognized that the Washington Square Players, can through their theatre, lead their playwrights to richer rewards than they themselves can afford to pay.

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WHAT NEWS ON THE RIALTO?

LAURETTE TAYLOR and George Arliss, two of the most interesting stars on the American stage, will return to Broadway this season, after wanderings that have kept them away for several years, to remain throughout the season. This can be stated with assurance, in spite of the fact that the plays in which they will first be presented are unknown quantities as far as New York audiences are concerned, for the reason that each has been provided with a repertoire of plays.

Mr. Arliss will begin his engagement last month at the Criterion in Edward Knoblauch's "Faginini," in which he appeared last Spring on the road. When New York's interest in this has been exhausted, Barrie's "The Professor's Love Story," modernized by Sir James himself, will be revived. If these two do not fill the season, George Tyler still has two dramas in reserve for his star. One of these is by a foreign author, and has been played in many Continental cities.

Miss Taylor's season will begin out of town in September, and Thanksgiving week she will come to Manhattan. The comedienne will bring with her three new plays by her husband, J. Hartley Manners, and with these three she is confident of remaining all season.

"The Century Girl" and Florenz Ziegfeld have given the revue with which they will open the erstwhile New Theatre as a music hall. Victor Herbert and Irving Berlin have composed the music and many authors have contributed lines and lyrics. The cast will be recruited from players who have gained popularity in the productions of the two managers. The tentative opening date is Oct. 2.

Robert Edmond Jones has been commissioned by Waslav Nijinsky to design the costumes and settings for two new ballets to be performed by the Serge de Diaghileff Ballet Russe during its forthcoming engagement at the Manhattan Opera House. Mr. Jones is the first artist not a Russian to design a complete production for this organization. He recently returned from Bar Harbor, where he consulted with Nijinsky about the work, and he is now busy preparing his models and costume plates. Thus, with Mr. Jones decorating the ballet and Leon Bakst performing a similar service for the Hippodrome, is Russian-American reciprocity established. Mr. Jones has also designed the settings for Clare Kummer's farce,

"Goodness Gracious Annabell," which Arthur Hopkins will produce next month.

Arnold Daly was unable to come to terms with the vaudeville magnates and will not present "Kisses," the sketch in which he recently appeared at the Palace, on the road. Instead he will be starred by the Harris Estate in a new drama that will be produced in October.

Fred Stone gave a birthday party at his Chin-Chin Ranch at Amityville, L. I., the other day, and eighty-nine automobiles were parked around his private polo field.

The Forty-fourth Street Theatre, which is in a constant state of flux, has had the seating of its parquet rearranged during the Summer. Rows of boxes have been installed along either side and across the back of the auditorium, with the idea of making the fringe seats more desirable.

News of the death of Basil Hallam, one of the most popular of young English actors, came as a shock to the theatrical circles here last week. Hallam was killed in action in France while serving with the Royal Flying Corps. He had appeared here twice, once with Billie Burke, in "Mrs. Dot," and several years ago in the leading juvenile role in "The Blindness of Virtue." When Elsie Janis went to London two years ago she was given her choice of leading men for the Palace revue, in which she made her debut, and she chose Hallam. His role was that of a nut, which is the Palace's lot for a glided youth, and he sang "Gilbert the Fibert" with such art that it ceased to be a mere ballad of the halls.

A dramatic school has been organized to be run in conjunction with the work of the Washington Square Players. Clare Tree Major, formerly of the London Academy of Dramatic Art, is the organizer of the school, which has established headquarters in a building opposite the Comedy.

Cyril Maude and his daughter, Miss Margery, are passengers on the New York, due in port today or tomorrow. With them is Muriel Martin Harvey, a young English actress, who will be Mr. Maude's leading woman this season. Mr. Maude writes that she is both handsome and a clever actress. Miss Maude will be George Arliss's leading woman again in "Faginini." With the exception of Miss Harvey, Mr. Maude's company in "The Barber of Marposa" will be made up of American players.

The plays of the Viennese satirist, Arthur Schnitzler, have been obtained for production in America by Dorothy Donnelly, who contemplates presenting a series of them in New York. It is a wonder that the dramas of the brilliant Austrian have not interested American managers before this. Some of them have been performed from time to time, but they are generally unknown to the mass of playgoers. Perhaps the most familiar is a dramatization of Dr. Schnitzler's "The Affairs of Anatol," which Winthrop Ames produced in the Little Theatre several years ago. Last season the German play was at the Irving Place gave a splendid performance of "Dr. Bernhardi." Walter Wanger will be associated with Miss Donnelly in her venture.

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Winchell Smith, who helped write "The Boomerang" and "Turn to the Right," is building a new house on his country place near Farmington, Conn., that will cost \$24,000 when completed.

THE FIRST-NIGHT CALENDAR.

"SOMEBODY'S LUGGAGE"—A comedy by Mark Swan, based on J. F. Randall's novel of that title, tomorrow night at the Forty-eighth Street Theatre.
"A PAIR OF QUEENS"—A farce by Otto Hauerbach, A. Seymour Brown, and Harry Lewis, Tuesday night at the Longacre.
"THE MAN WHO CAME BACK"—A drama by Jules Eckert Goodman, founded on John Fleming Wilson's story of that title, Wednesday night at the Playhouse.
"THE GIRL FROM BRAZIL"—A musical comedy adapted by Edgar Smith and Matthew Woodward from the German of Julius Brammer and Alfred Grunwald, with additional music by Robert Winterberg and Sigmund Romberg, Wednesday night at the Forty-fourth Street.
"THE WASHINGTON SQUARE PLAYERS"—Reopening of the Comedy with a program of four playlets from the Bandbox repertoire.
"THE FLAME"—A drama by Richard Walton Tully, Thursday night at the Lyric.
"THE BIG SHOW"—Charles Dillingham's second Hippodrome production, lyrics by John L. Golden, music by Raymond Hubbell, staged by R. H. Burnside, Thursday night.

THE scorching Manhattan received during the great part of last week, a blustering that caused the great reaches of the auditorium to be empty. Charlotte and her ice corryphées will again pirouette on skates, although in October Charlotte will join last year's show on the road. The German ice ballet, however, will remain in Manhattan and their American understudies will accompany the flaxen-haired solo skater to the provinces.

The chief interest will centre in Charles Dillingham's second production at the Hippodrome, which will be given its first public showing Thursday night. This is earlier than had been anticipated, which would seem to indicate that things have been moving smoothly in the big playhouse, since postponements are the rule in the case of such large ventures. "The Big Show" is the title bestowed upon the revue, a title that is at least comprehensive and descriptive, whatever else may be said of it.

Mr. Dillingham has gathered his artists from all the stages of the world. He has assembled such a rich array of talent that failure seems almost impossible. The outstanding feature will undoubtedly be the Pavlova ballet with Bakst decorations. This ballet is "The Sleeping Beauty," danced to music by Tschalkowsky. It has been done abroad but never here. Bakst did the decorations for one production of the ballet, and this familiarity with the work made it an easy matter for him to prepare his designs as far removed as his Paris atelier from the Hippodrome stage. All that was necessary was to send the artist a plan of the stage, and, working from this, he forwarded recently to America the five models for the settings and numerous color plates for the costumes. The models are carried out in great detail as to colors and properties.

Then there will be a minstrel first part, with end men and ballad singers in black faces. Perhaps the minstrel portion of the Friars' Frolic given at the end of last season in the Hippodrome suggested the revival of this American form of entertainment to Mr. Dillingham, or perhaps he had thought of it before. In any event, the stentorian discussions of the Interlocutor and Mr. Bones and Mr. Tambo and the

The Messrs. Shubert will present "The Girl from Brazil" Wednesday night in the Forty-fourth Street Theatre as their first musical comedy offering of the season. The piece is an adaptation of Julius Brammer and Alfred Grunwald's "Die Schöne Schwedin," and is preparing it for American audiences the indefatigable Edgar Smith, Matthew Woodward, Robert Winterberg, and Sigmund Romberg collaborated. The last two named contributed additional tunes. J. Harry Benning staged the production.

The names of a number of players familiar to musical comedy are on the list of principals, which includes Frances Demarest, Beth Lydy, Dorothy Maynard, Maude Odell, Flora White, Dor-

plaintive walls of the tenor that there are silver threads among the gold of his woolly wigs are well adapted to the great reaches of the auditorium.

A number of cooks are responsible for "A Pair of Queens," a farce by Otto Hauerbach, A. Seymour Brown, and Harry Lewis are announced as the authors. Edward Abeles, who has been appearing in vaudeville of late, will play one of the two principal roles, and Joseph Santley, usually identified with musical comedy, will be seen in the other. Kathleen Clifford will make her first appearance here since her recent sojourn in the London music halls, and Maude Eburne, who had her first chance on Broadway in another Frazee farce, will be another player in the cast.

Julia and Donald and Joe, the popular Frohman trio, made more so by George Cohen, will make the sacred portals of the Empire Theatre tomorrow night in their success of last season, "Sybil." Thus will a tradition built up through many years by the late Charles Frohman be shattered, and, furthermore, it is announced that hereafter every September and October will find a musical play on the stage reserved for more than two years for the dramatic stars of the Frohman constellation.

William A. Brady, who has recently neglected the legitimate drama shamefully for the more remunerative motion, will show that he has not permanently deserted the stage by producing a new American play at the Playhouse Wednesday night. It is "The Man Who Came Back," written by Jules Eckert Goodman and founded on John Fleming Wilson's story of the same title. The story was originally published in McClure's Magazine.

In building his play, Mr. Goodman made the principal feminine rôle of major importance, and for this part Mr. Brady selected Mary Nash, who was one of the valuable members of George's repertoire company in the same theatre last season. Henry Hull, Edward Emery, the picturesque Silver of "Treasure Island," a dramatization from the same author's pen, Charlotte Granville, Stanley Dark, Maud Campbell, Wright Kramer, Bennett Sorin, and Nick Long will be others in the cast. The play is in four acts and six scenes, and the action transpires in America and the Orient.

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"The Flame," a new American play that will be produced Thursday night in the Lyric Theatre, is from the pen of Richard Walton Tully, whose last offering here was "Omar, the Cashmaker," and who before that had given the local stage "The Bird of Paradise." As the author set forth in *The Times* some weeks ago, he believes that the average playgoer enjoys a certain amount of spectacle served up with his drama. In both of his other productions Mr. Tully provides rich scenic investments, and it is promised that "The Flame" is equally luxurious. Its locale is the South.

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One of the Authors of the Highly Successful Piece at the Gaiety—"Turn to the Right"—Tells How It All Happened.

By JOHN E. HAZZARD.

EVER since the opening of "Turn to the Right" at the Gaiety Theatre I have received hundreds of inquiries as to what part I had in the authorship and how I performed that part, and how with the royalties pouring in and all doubts as to the success of the play set at rest, I don't mind telling the whole story exactly as it occurred.

It was about a year and a half ago that, on leaving the Lamb Club, I overtook Winchell Smith and John L. Golden, who were just leaving a taxi. I asked them where they were going, and they said they were on their way to the boat for Sinecuse, where De Wolf Hopper and Digby Bell were putting on a show for the Summer colony. "Take me along," I pleaded. "I am hungry, thirsty, bored, and broke."

Never in my life have I seen an audience so little interested. They listened to my story as though they had heard it before. The taxi driver turned down his flag, the motor was whirling along, Smith and Golden seated themselves and, with longing eyes, I noticed that there was room for one more.

"Take me along," said I, "and I'll make it worth your while."

"How?" demanded Golden.

"I'll amuse you," I said.

"You're on," said Golden.

"I'm in," said I, as I leaped nimbly into the taxi.

"And now," said Golden, "we'll draw up a verbal contract. You said you could amuse us. We're going by taxi to the dock, and then on a boat; the minute you fail to keep us amused, you go."

I don't know just exactly how we did reach the dock. I know I recited every ancient wheeze that I could remember, and I found myself on board the boat without disaster.

"You've got to do better," said Golden. "That was an awful dreary piece. And," he added significantly, "the water is getting deeper all the time."

We were just passing the Battery. I knew there was a bar on the boat, but so far as I could see, my friends must have been absolute teetotallers. We were sitting on the right hand side of the forward deck.

"Let's move to the other side," I suggested.

"Why?" asked Smith suspiciously.

"Because that's the port side," I said, "and port suggests alcohol."

"That's the funniest thing he said so far," said Golden. "Let's give him a drink." So we went below.

The voyage progressed. Talk about your first-nighters and the "Death Watch." Those two men just sat and stared me to make them laugh. I wanted another drink. A vessel was passing in.

"Notice the mast on that vessel?" I demanded.

"What about it?" asked Golden.

"Well, they use mast in beer."

"I suppose," said Smith, "we've got to buy this man a beer."

"But that's a three-master," I said hopefully, and Golden, who has a sense

of humor, said: "Three beers make a regular drink. Let's go below."

I began to cheer up. I had satisfied my thirst, there was nothing left but to try to amuse them. I tried a lot of jokes, but my companions reminded me that they had long been tobaccoed in the "Snuggery."

In fact, they had been enjoying a pension for old age.

"Let's eat," suggested Smith.

"Sure," said Golden. Hope revived in my heart. "I'm on," said I. "You're on," said Golden. "Our contract calls for a laugh for every drink or every eat." And they started away.

"Boys!" I cried, "I have just one great, big laugh left and it's good for the biggest dinner you ever bought—I've written a play!"

"Ha!" said Smith. "That's good enough for the soup, I come on and we'll give you the first course, and if you don't make good your dinner is over."

Why dwell upon harrowing details? There, in the dining room of that boat, I told them the story that I had been working over for years. The story of the two grooks who, on leaving Sinecuse, had met the mother of one of their associates, had fallen completely under her saint-like influence and who, in order to save her from the clutches of a local Shylock, the village grocer, had robbed the grocer's safe to pay off her indebtedness to him, and then robbed him again of the money to put it back in the same and cover the crime.

Well, that was the first big laugh I scored that day. They laughed so heartily that they promoted me straight through from the soup to the desert, and then bought me a stateroom on the boat. I didn't sleep well that night because it occurred to me that I was quite sure whether the laugh was caused by appreciation of the play or was on me. However, the next morning Mr. Golden told me that he and Smith had talked the matter over and decided to produce my play. They gave me a check for advance royalties, and promised to put the play on within a year. And they kept their word, for in May last, under the title, "Like Mother Made," it was actually presented at Long Branch and Hartford.

I say "MY PLAY." When I go into the Gaiety Theatre now and hear the audience roar with laughter, and then see them coming out furiously wiping away the tears, I am proud to think that this wonderful success was built upon the germ of an idea that I submitted that day to Messrs. Smith and Golden. It is my story, but I want to say right now that it was a story told roughly, thoughtlessly, and in the rough, if you will, now polished to scintillating brilliance.

I know that "Turn to the Right" will live for years, but I know that it wouldn't have lived for days unless it had undergone that wonderful finish given to it by the master-dramatist, Smith, and the business generosity of Mr. Golden, who insisted upon the best in the way of cast and scenic production.

It was several weeks before I was invited to join Mr. Smith at his home in Connecticut to get down to real

work. And we certainly worked hard. We arose every day at 9 o'clock, breakfasted leisurely, read the papers, and then looked about for anything we could find to do that would keep us from going to work.

Why, I even went so far as to volunteer to pick weeds in Smith's garden rather than touch that manuscript, and when I tell you that I was born and brought up in the Ninth Ward of New York, you will understand to what desperate straits I was driven. When every other possible form of diversion had been exhausted, Smith would say: "Well, Jack, we can't seem to find any more excuses, let's go to work."

We would get as far as the study and finish about two cigarettes when the luncheon bell would ring. Mr. Smith easily instilled into my mind the idea that no one should work in the afternoon, so after a heavy lunch we would play golf until cocktail time at the country club. Of course, after a heavy dinner it was unwise to do any brain work, so during the evening we played dominoes and then retired for a good sleep.

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Mary Nash, to be Seen Soon at the Playhouse in "The Man Who Came Back."

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THE PLAYWRIGHT'S LAMENT.

Mrs. Stokes Has Her Own Opinion of One Scene in "The Guilty Man."

To the Dramatic Editor:

Please let me thank you for that delightful bit of verse libre, "The Dramatist," in your last Sunday's issue. I should have liked it in any case, but it struck me with especial force and humor when I read in a neighboring column the announcement of the opening of "The Guilty Man"; for this is the play that contains a scene—the doctor scene—the undersigned "play-writing plumber" believes was clearly, if unconsciously, suggested by one in a play of hers.

Now that "The Guilty Man" is to be given and my play is to be published, (I am reading galley proofs,) I am hoping that those who see the former, and read the latter afterward, will not believe that I was the "plifering tailor."

ROSE PASTOR STOKES.

Aug. 10, 1916.

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309 West 99th Street 7 rooms and bath.....\$1,500—\$1,650	127 Riverside Drive Cor. 85th St. 8 rooms and bath.....\$1,800
330 West 102d Street Cor. Riverside Drive 7 rooms, 3 baths.....\$1,900—\$2,000	723 St. Nicholas Avenue 4, 5, 6 rooms, 1 bath.....\$450—\$720
11 West 114th Street At Morningside Ave., West 8 rooms and 2 baths.....\$1,200—\$1,400	

Non-Housekeeping Apartments

46 East 41st Street 2 and 3 rooms, bath.....\$1,000—\$1,400	165 West 72d Street 2 rooms and bath.....\$600
116 West 59th Street 2 and 3 rooms and bath.....\$1,000—\$1,800	510 Park Avenue Cor. 60th St. 2 rooms, bath and kitchenette.....\$1,050

THE STRATHMORE 404 Riverside Drive

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Unusually fine apartment, overlooking the Hudson. Exceptionally high ceilings. Large rooms.

9-11 Rooms, 3 and 4 Baths
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Northeast Corner 99th St.

Fine apartments with large rooms, southern, western exposure.

10 Rooms and 3 Baths, \$2,400—\$2,800
9 Rooms and 3 Baths, \$2,000—\$2,400

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One of the finest apartment houses in the world. Apartments 12 and 14 rooms, 4 and 5 baths, with large living rooms, mirrored dressing rooms, individual wine vaults, and many unusual features not found in other buildings. All master's rooms face the street. Additional servants' room if required. At the entrance to Central Park and convenient to all lines of transportation.

145 East 49th St.

New 9-story building, with small housekeeping apartments. Unusually large and well arranged rooms.

3 Rooms and Bath, \$780 to \$1,100
4 Rooms and Bath, \$1,100 to \$1,350

Ready Oct. 1st, 1916.

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Modern Fireproof Building.
Large, Sunny, Outside Rooms.
Especially choice location.

7 Rooms & 2 Baths (Simplex), \$1,500-\$2,000
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8 Rooms & 3 Baths (Duplex), \$2,700-\$2,750
6 Rooms & 2 Baths (Duplex), \$2,000

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Modern Apartments.
Convenient to 58th St. Elevated
and Central Park.

8 Rooms and 2 Baths, \$1,450-\$1,800
6 Rooms and 2 Baths, \$1,200

30 West 70th Street

Near Central Park

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understanding has been that this would

LITTLE BOY'S WISH GRANTED

Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children Opens Playground.

The big traffic policeman at the busy corner of Twenty-third Street and Fourth Avenue yesterday morning received a signal from the building of the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children and held up his hand for traffic to stop. Immediately a company of children under the charge of teachers issued from the society's door and marched across the street, to disappear behind the large board fence that incloses the new vacant lot where the Parkway Business College once stood.

The same signal will be given every morning hereafter during the warm weather, and a similar line of children will toddle between the lines of cars and motor trucks to the same place, for the society yesterday opened a playground for the children who are under its care, and while their life is tragically being adjusted in the courts and other places, the youngsters will have an opportunity of forgetting their troubles in the midst of sand piles, chutes, and swings.

The playground was made possible by Jeremiah and Dunlevy Milbank, executors of the Milbank estate, who have been active in the work of the society for years. They granted the use of the property at a rental of \$1 a year until the property was required for other purposes. George Gordon Battle and Miss Madeline Stevens of the Parks and Playgrounds Association helped in providing the material for play which Supt. Ernest K. Coulter had secured. The idea of the playground was first suggested when Miss Maria Morris, one of the teachers, saw a little boy looking longingly at the open lot with his nose flattened against the kindergarten room window and heard him murmur, "I wish I could get over there and build a house." He got his wish.

NOW IT'S AN ANTI-FAT MENU.

Hotels Humor Dieters with "Eat and Grow Thin" Food.

The craze to reduce, which has been so pronounced among these New Yorkers, has inspired New York hotels to cater to the seekers after slenderness with special menus. The first hotel to help the struggling fat men and women was the Majestic, which has employed an expert in dietetics to prepare food that may be eaten with the recklessness of a student, and at the same time not induce embonpoint. The truth is that the fad of reducing has seriously interfered with restaurant receipts in many hotels, although the managers are reluctant to confess it.

"I found," said Copeland Townsend, manager of the Majestic, "that there was a real demand for food that was not fattening, and so I employed a dietitian to prepare a daily menu of this kind for guests who desired to reduce. The menus are called 'Madish Menus,' and across the top, in quotations, is the line 'Eat and Grow Thin Suggestion.' Here is a lunch menu:

Cold Fish Vinaigrette.
Veal Cutlet, Broiled.
Boiled Onions, Baked.
Compo of Stewed Fruit and Assorted Fresh Fruit.
Here are the selections:
Little Neck, Olives, Radishes.
Purée of Spinach.
Broiled Bluefish.
Broiled Chicken Giblets with Mushrooms.
Roast Spring Lamb, Mint Sauce.
String Beans.
Salads—Chicory, Tomato, Cucumber, (Made Fresh).
Fresh Fruit Compote.
Assorted Fresh Fruit.

The dietetic expert advises those who want to eat and grow thin to forego breakfast, but for the luncheon and dinner they may eat as they like and as much as they like—in fact, they may become gourmands and still see their waist lines slip away. Even exercise is not suggested.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

SATURDAY, AUG. 26.

With name and address of purchaser and attorney. When attorney's name is omitted address party of the second part.

Manhattan.

LEWIS ST., w. s. 180 ft. n. of Stanton St., 20x100; Katie Schneider to Hedwig Glass, 601 West 180th St., Jan. 30, 1914, reg. \$10,000; attorneys, Flaxman, L. & S. 15 Liberty St.

SAME PROPERTY: Hedwig Glass to Miss Glass, 601 West 180th St., Oct. 1, 1914, reg. \$10,000; attorney same.

WEST 180TH ST., s. e. corner of Baxter St., 50x75; Greena A. Brodsky to Catherine Landman, 290 West 180th St., Jan. 30, 1914, reg. \$10,000; attorneys, J. F. Rogers, 245 Broadway, and J. F. Rogers, 245 Broadway.

21ST AV., w. s. 150 ft. n. of 10th St., 20x100; Louis Kalkley to Esther M. Kalkley, 10 West 125th St., Jan. 30, 1914, reg. \$10,000; attorney, J. F. Rogers, 245 Broadway.

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MOUNT VERNON

A short time before the Broadway-Lenox Avenue Subway was opened in New York City, the public almost to a man were talking about the wonderful possibilities of rapid transit. The slogan at that time was, "To Harlem in Twenty Minutes." Now, here we have Mount Vernon, a city of beautiful homes, fresh air, well lighted and paved streets, with a government second mortgage in the State, which can be secured without the terrific pushing and shoving which generally accompanies a ride on the subway, in just a few minutes more than it takes to reach the city.

Mount Vernon is the home of the Ward Motor Vehicle Company, which was established here early in January, 1915. The company occupies a frontage of 800 feet on South Fulton Avenue, and runs back to the line of the New York, Westchester and Boston Railway. There is a railroad spur on the property, and also a freight station which makes it convenient for the company to ship its cars.

The Ward Motor Vehicle Company makes a specialty of commercial cars. They build the lowest-priced electric cars on the market today. Mr. C. A. Ward, the President, has made a study of this particular type of car and has perfected it in every detail. Mr. Boyer, the Assistant Secretary and Sales Manager of the company, is a resident of Mount Vernon.

The Westchester Lighting Company, one of the largest public utility corporations in Westchester County, with its main offices in Mount Vernon, has instituted some progressive ideas in attempting to bring to its employees a proper sense of civic obligation.

The practical means used has been the formation of educational classes, dealing incidentally with the commercial phases of the business, the primary object being to bring its men to a higher standard of their duty to the public. It is recognized that the employees represent the company in countless dealings and the technical training has been blended with the academic so that the personnel may be brought to a higher plane. This the company feels is conducive to a higher type of citizenship. One of the best known concerns in Westchester County, located in Mount Vernon, is the Willson & Adams Company. This firm has for many years been engaged in the lumber business and has added materially in the upbuilding of the city. They are among the largest dealers in lumber in Westchester County.

The Edwin W. Fiske Realty Company, of which Edwin W. Fiske, Mayor of this progressive city, is the head, have played an important part in the development of Mount Vernon. They have succeeded in interesting many prominent families in the local real estate, having sold some of the largest holdings in the city to well-known residents.

With the coming of the subway to Mount Vernon the door of possibilities for investors is now greater than ever, for this city offers a fertile field to the seeker of homes, or a place to invest in a business enterprise.

To those who are not familiar with Mount Vernon its high type of citizens, a booklet published by Burr Davis & Son will be sent upon request. The booklet is entitled "A Good Word," being a journey to Mount Vernon.

For further particulars relative to Mount Vernon visit the following:

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NEW ROCHELLE

To the homeseeker very few places within the metropolitan zone offer the same possibilities as New Rochelle.

Here one has a chance to indulge in all the familiar sports found in the country. New Rochelle has a large part of its territory bounded by Long Island Sound. Yachting, boating and fishing are very popular in this community and the New Rochelle and Huguenot Yacht Clubs, together with the New Rochelle Rowing Club, have on their rosters the names of men prominent in the business and professional world.

In the hills is located the Wykagyl Golf Course, where one can enjoy a pleasant morning or afternoon at golf. Tennis is also very popular here. The social life of the city is ideal and tends to create a closer friendship between the residents.

New Rochelle has the distinction of being the home of the Howard R. Ware Corporation, one of the finest equipped department stores between New York and Boston. It is the equal of the leading New York establishments, extends its business from the New York City line to Stamford, Connecticut. An example of the splendid business methods pursued by the company and the appreciation felt by its many customers is the fact that the business in the past five years has increased over one hundred and twenty-five per cent.

The Westchester Commercial School, which was established at 309 and 301 Main Street by Mr. Charles A. Robertson, the present principal, has added materially in keeping New Rochelle in the front rank in the business world. A large number of Mr. Robertson's former students, who were instructed by him in stenography, typewriting, bookkeeping, accounting, and secretarial duties, are holding important positions with the big men of the financial and commercial world.

The two concerns in New Rochelle who have done considerable for the interests of the city and help build it up are the J. A. Mahlsdorf Lumber and Coal Company, and the New Rochelle Coal and Lumber Company. They are both old established firms and have been doing a general builders' supply business, together with a retail coal business.

For further information regarding the city of beautiful homes, write the following persons:

Alonso Gant, New Rochelle Coal & Lumber Co.

J. A. Mahlsdorf, J. A. Mahlsdorf Coal & Lumber Co.

Charles A. Robertson, Westchester Commercial School.

E. N. Knapp, Howard R. Ware Corporation.

William B. Gray, New Rochelle Association.

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Two main trunk highways lead West to these points: both of them have been recently covered by the survey car of the Automobile Club of America, and are recommended as the most direct by that organization.

The northern route via the Hudson Valley to Albany and through the picturesque valley of the Mohawk River to Utica and on by way of Syracuse and the Finger Lakes to Buffalo, is more or less familiar to many New York motorists. Somewhat newer ground is covered beyond that point, along the southern shore of Lake Erie, via Erie and Cleveland to Toledo and thence across the State of Indiana to South Bend and Chicago, making in all about 1,000 miles. A side run up into the State of Michigan to visit Detroit, the main-spring of the world's automobile industry, adds another 120 miles to the trip.

On this route the roads present a very large proportion of reasonably good surface, much of it being macadamized and maintained in fine condition, while the scenery passed through is varied and attractive, and the cities along the route replete with interest.

The more southerly of the two routes outlined covers practically the same distance and the roads are also, in the main, very good. Part of the surface is macadam, with several long stretches of brick, and extensive improvements are being carried out at numerous points where needed.

There is much of interest both from a scenic and historic viewpoint on this route, which follows the direction of some of the better known highways practically all the way from New York to Indianapolis, and completes the connecting link by covering the Dixie Airline from there to Chicago.

Interest in long distance touring is becoming noticeably more pronounced. Thousands of Western motorists are using their automobiles to explore the unique scenery of New England and the Atlantic seaboard, while a large number of motorists from the Eastern States travel west through the Alleghenies or along the Great Lakes to visit the famous centres of industry and automobile production located in the Middle West.

To the automobile tourist, whose comfort depends each night on the quality of the hotels he stops at, one outstanding advantage possessed by both the foregoing routes is the uniform excellence of the accommodation available in the principal cities situated at convenient distances along the road.



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FAVOR SPENDING FEDERAL FUND ON MAIN HIGHWAYS

Important Action Taken by State Officials at Meeting in Washington—Secretary Houston's Ideas.

Thirty-five States sent representatives to the August conference in Washington called by the Secretary of Agriculture to discuss the rules and regulations for the operation of the Federal Aid Road Act.

Colorado, Delaware, Georgia, Missouri, New Hampshire, Nevada, North Dakota, Texas, Utah, Washington, Wisconsin, South Carolina, and Wyoming were the thirteen States which were unrepresented. Of these, Georgia, Texas, and South Carolina have yet to provide themselves with State highway departments in order to qualify for participation in the \$75,000,000 Federal appropriation, to be expended in the next five years. Though Indiana also has a highway department, it has not yet provided a State highway commission. Governor Ralston sent Carl G. Fisher to the conference as the Hoosier spokesman.

In the course of his address Secretary of Agriculture Houston said: "You highway officials represent the States. I represent the Federal Government. Together we are charged with the execution of a very difficult and very important law."

"This law appeals to me as of especial importance, not so much because it carries with it out of the Federal Treasury an appropriation of \$75,000,000, not because it will be met by appropriation of \$75,000,000, or more out of the State funds, if all the States accept this act, but because as great as is the aggregate, it is relatively insignificant in comparison with amounts the States are now annually expending and will spend during the period covered by the act."

"The main question that I am immediately concerned with, that the people of the Union are immediately concerned with, is whether or not we shall get a result for every dollar we expend."

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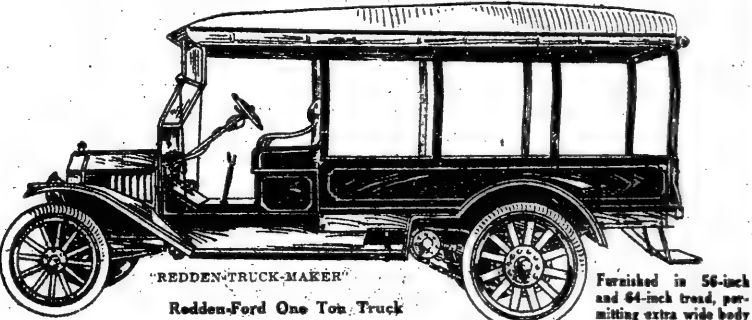
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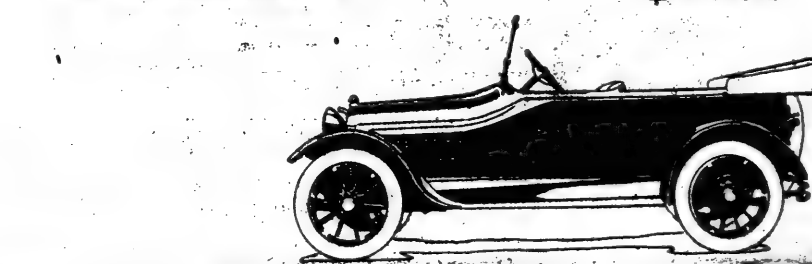
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The Ecclesiastical Procession, in Which the Three American Cardinals, the Apostolic Delegate, Archbishops, Bishops, and Many Other High Church Officials Attending the Convention of the American Federation of Catholic Societies Took Part, Entering St. Patrick's Cathedral for the Pontifical High Mass on Last Sunday Morning. (Photo (c) by U. & U.)

Wounded Italian Soldier Returning From the Front on Mule Back. (Photo from Mendem Photo Service (c) American Press Assn.)



ARCHBISHOP JOHN BONZANO, The Apostolic Delegate to the United States. (Photo by Paul Thompson.)



CARDINALS FARLEY, GIBBONS, AND O'CONNELL. This Is Said to Have Been the First Time That Three American Princes of the Church Have Been Photographed Together or Have Participated in the Same Ecclesiastical Ceremony. (Photo by C.N.S.)



SINGING THE SONGS OF HOME: TWO FRENCH SOLDIERS IMPROVISE A CONCERT ON FINDING A GRAND PIANO WHICH SOMEHOW HAD SURVIVED THE WRECKAGE OF A SALON IN A FRENCH CHATEAU IN THE OISE.



GIRLS MAKING BANDAGES FOR THE ITALIAN RED CROSS IN ONE OF THE GREAT HALLS OF THE FAMOUS SIXTEENTH CENTURY PALAZZO FARNESE AT CAPRAROLA, NOW OWNED BY COUNT CASERTA.



MRS. FRANK C. HENDERSON

In the Costume of an Hawaiian Maiden at the Hawaiian Ball Given by Mrs. Talbot Hanan at Narragansett Pier.

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FRENCH SOLDIERS AND VILLAGERS ATTENDING AN AFTER-NOON CONCERT IN THE RUINS OF THE ABBEY OF LONGPONT, ON THE AISNE. Only the Shell of the Structure Remains, the Grove of Trees in the Abbey Grounds Appearing Plainly in the Background.

(Photo from U. & U.)



MISS EDITH EWING BOUVIER, Whose Engagement to Phelan Beale Has Been Announced.

(Photo by Walter Scott Shinn.)



MISS EDITH SMITH MAKING A BACKHAND STROKE IN THE POLO GAME OF THE GIRLS AGAINST THE MEN ON THE GROUNDS OF THE ROCKAWAY HUNT CLUB.

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FRENCH SOLDIER BEHIND THE SCENES AT THE CONCERT IN THE ABBEY OF LONGPONT TOASTING A BAREFOOT DANCER.

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CHARLES E. HUGHES AND MRS. HUGHES,
in the Costume of Miners, at the Bottom of a Three-Thousand-Foot Shaft
of the Leonard Copper Mine, Near Butte, Montana.
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IRENE FENWICK AND EMILY ANN WELLMAN
In the "Guilty Man," at the Astor Theatre.
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FAMOUS STARS OF THE COMEDIE FRANCAISE IN A SCENE FROM A
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They Are, Left to Right: M. Grand, Mlle. Sorel, and Mme. Cerny.
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MOTHER OF PORTUGAL,
Talking with British Wounded

Soldiers, Guests
of Honor at a
Garden Fete Held
on the Grounds of the
Old Palace at Richmond
on the Thames.
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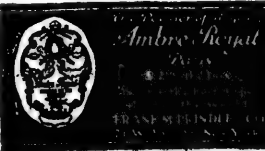
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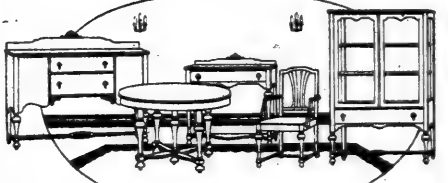
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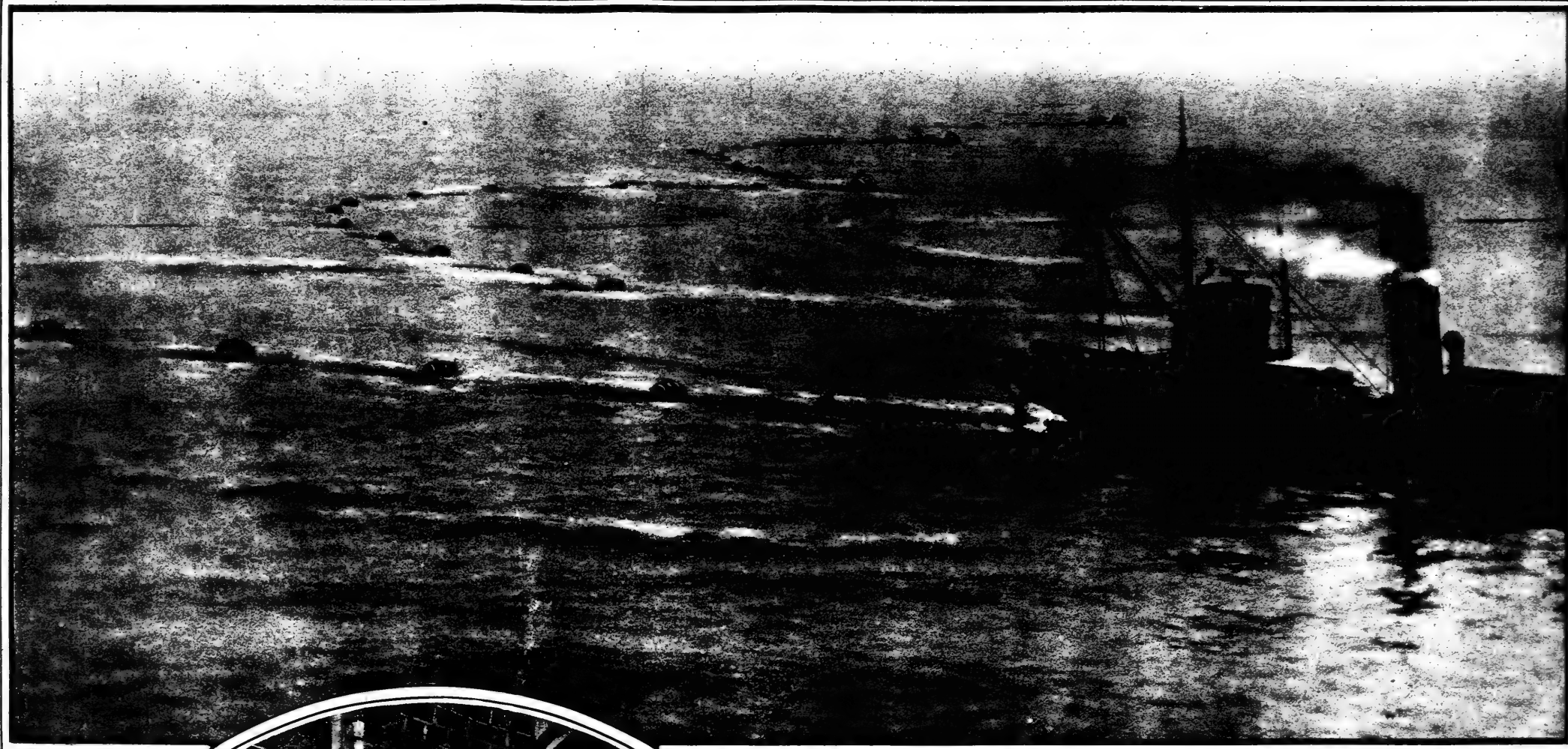
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THE NEW BRITISH
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They Have Taken the Places of the Men in the Mills at Wakefield Which Supply in Part the British Armies at the Front.

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Men of Squadron A Opening Up a Small River Toward the Rio Grande to Drain Their Flooded Camp.



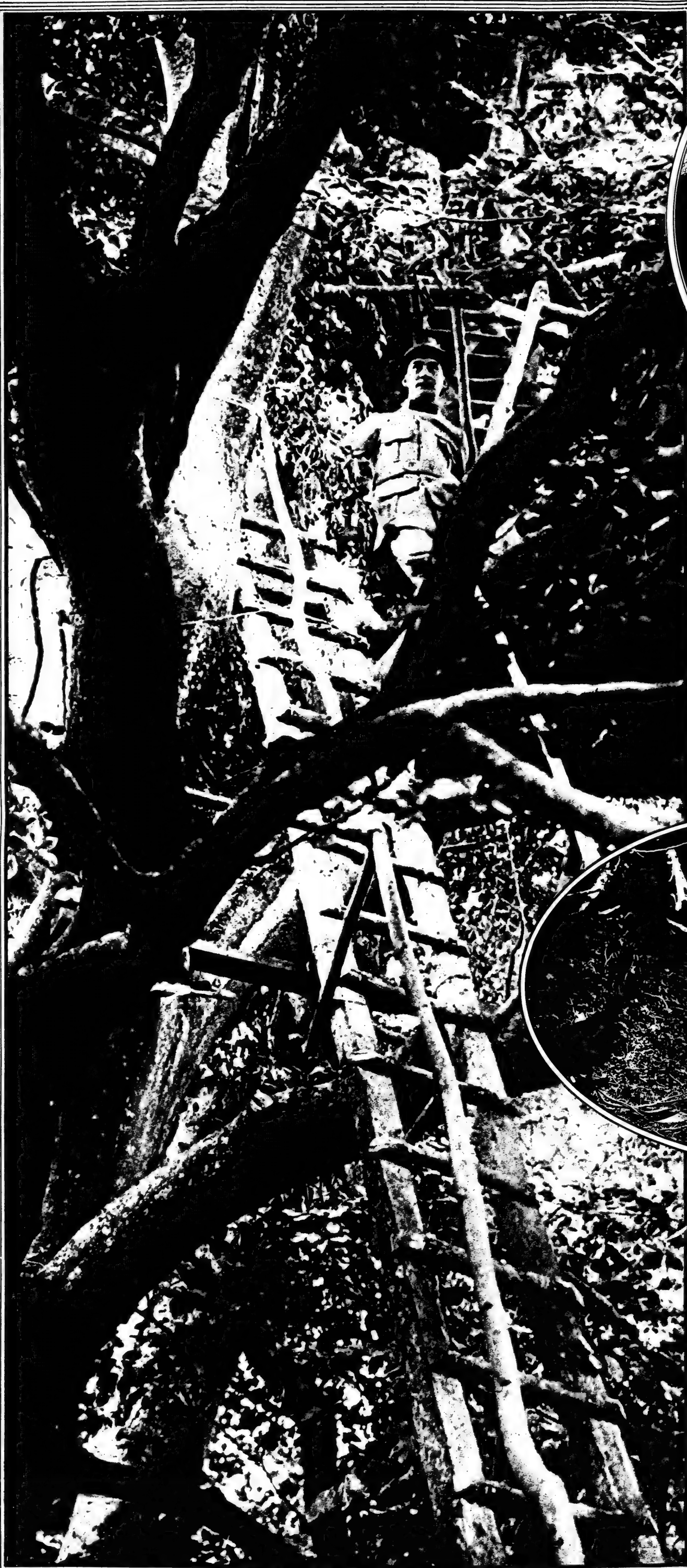
GERMAN SEAPLANE, BROUGHT DOWN NEAR DUNKIRK, ON THE FRENCH COAST, BY A FRENCH TORPEDO BOAT, WAS SET ON FIRE BY THE AVIATOR TO PREVENT ITS FALLING IN THE HANDS OF THE FRENCH. It Was Burning Rapidly When the Torpedo Boat Arrived, the German Having Taken Refuge to One of the Pontoons.

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THE
COUNTESS
OF COTTENHAM,
Formerly Miss Patricia Burke, Beauty
Prize Winner and Daughter of the
Late John Humphrey Burke of Los
Angeles, Whose Marriage Took Place
in London Ten Days Ago.



FRENCH LOOKOUTS ON THE WESTERN FRONT OBSERVING THE EBB AND FLOW OF BATTLE FROM THE DEEP FOLIAGE OF A TREE.
 Dispatches Some Days Ago Told How the German Emperor Recently Spent a Morning in Alsace Observing the French Lines From Just Such a German Tree-post. (Photo by Paul Thompson.)



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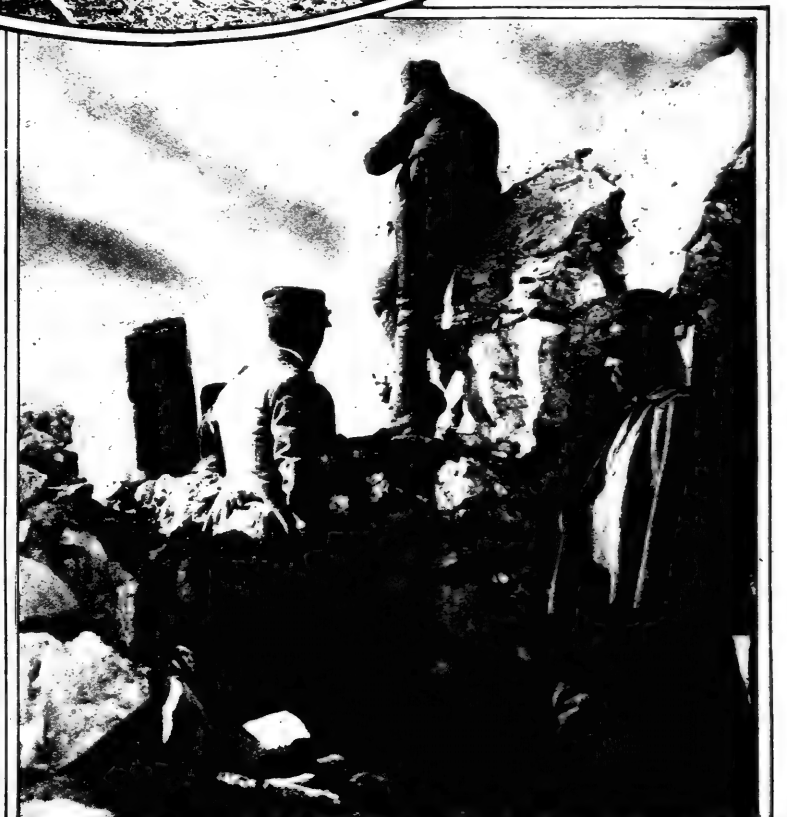
FRENCH TURNING A RAPID FIRE GUN ON AN ENEMY AVIATOR.



Russians in the Trenches in France Don Their Masks on Observing a Gas Attack. One Left-Handed Russian Is Shown at the Instant of Hurling a Grenade. (Photo © Underwood & Underwood.)



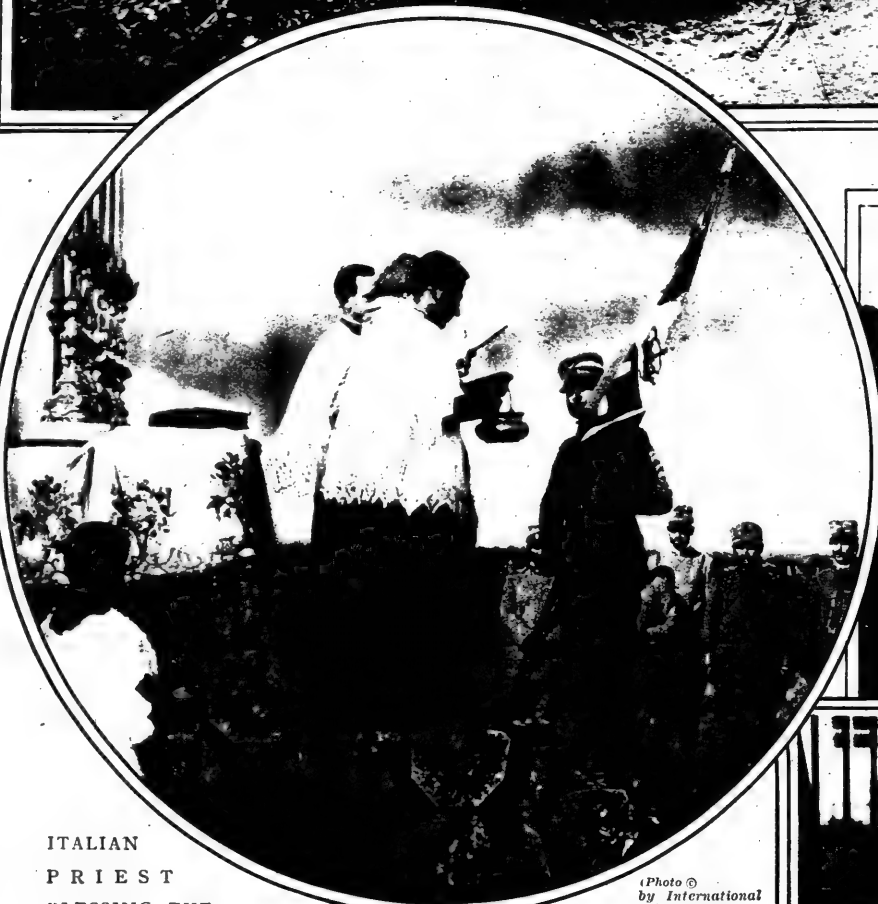
Wounded Italian Soldier, Having Received First Aid Near the Firing Line, Waiting to Be Taken to a Field Hospital in the Rear. (Photo from Medem © American Press Association.)



ITALIAN SCOUTS OBSERVING THE AUSTRIANS FROM THE SUMMIT OF MT. CRISTAL TEN THOUSAND FEET ABOVE THE SEA LEVEL. (Photo from Medem © American Press Association.)



VIEW OF A FRENCH KITCHEN CAMP BEHIND THE LINES NEAR VERDUN.
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ITALIAN
PRIEST
BLESSING THE
COLORS BEFORE THE TROOPS ARE LED INTO BATTLE.
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A WOOD ON THE SOMME AFTER THE TIDE OF BATTLE HAD SWEEPED OVER IT.
(Photo from Paul Thompson.)



THE BATTLE-SCARRED AND RUINED CHURCH AT FRISE, IN THE MIDST
OF THE HEAVY FIGHTING ON THE SOMME.
(Photo from Paul Thompson.)



DR. ALEXIS
CARREL
Formerly of the Rocke-
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York, Standing in
Front Of His War
Hospital In
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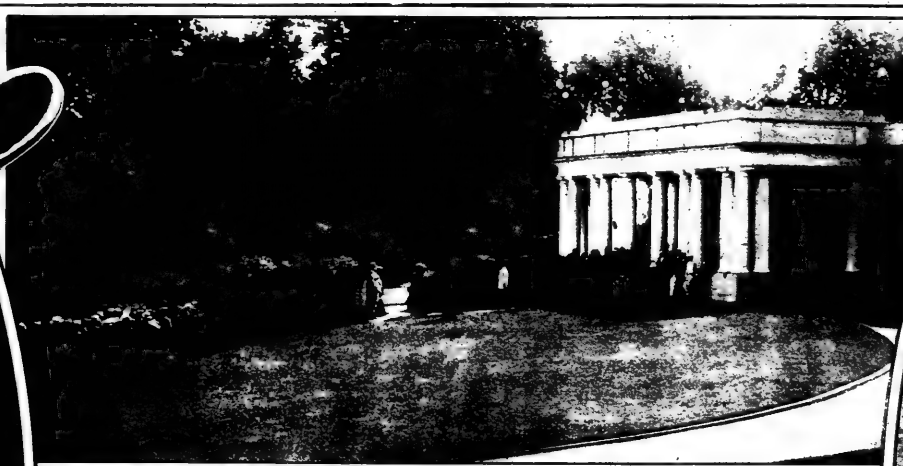
DIPLOMATISTS GATHER AT AN OFFICIAL RECEPTION GIVEN AT THE AMERICAN LEGATION, CARACAS, VENEZUELA.

In the Group, First Row, Left to Right, Are: Senora Maria de Arcaya, Wife of Minister of Interior; Senora Indalecia Mendez, Sister of Gen. Juan Gomez; Preston McGoodwin, Jr., Mrs. Preston McGoodwin, Wife of American Minister; Mme. Margarete Fabre, Wife of French Minister; Senora Luisa de Malbran, Wife of Argentine Minister; Viscountess de la Fuente, Wife of Spanish Minister; Senora Dolores Solar, Wife of Charge d'Affaires of Cuba; Standing, Dr. Gabriel Solar, Charge, Cuba; Senor Fernando A. Brea; General Antonio Cardenas, Dr. Luis Velez, Minister of Public Works; General J. A. Mendez, Thomas I. Rees, Charge of Great Britain; Viscount de la Fuente, Spanish Minister; Count Mateo Valery, Preston McGoodwin, American Minister, Senor Luis Aguilar, Mgr. Carlo Pietropaoli, Mgr. Placido Gobbino; Herr Londono, Charge of Colombia; M. Jean Fabre, French Minister; Dr. Manuel E. Malbran, Argentine Minister; Dr. Julio Blanco Uztariz, Senor Victor M. de Castro, Charge of the Dominican Republic; Pedro M. Arcaya, Minister of Interior; Jose C. Borda, A. M. Delgado Briceno and Leonard Bourseaux, Charge of Belgium.

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MLLE SUZANNE LENGTEN,
Hard Court Tennis Champion of
the World, Both Feet Clear of
the Ground, Making a
Forehand Drive.
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MORE THAN SIX HUNDRED REPRESENTATIVE RAILWAY EMPLOYEES,
SUMMONED FROM NEW YORK TO WASHINGTON TO HEAR THE PRES-
IDENT ON THEIR DIFFERENCES WITH THEIR EMPLOY-
ERS, ENTERING THE WHITE HOUSE.

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Men of the Battleship Texas
Testing a New Anti-Aircraft
Gun Mounted on a Steel
Platform Forty Feet High.
(Photo by C. N. P. S.)



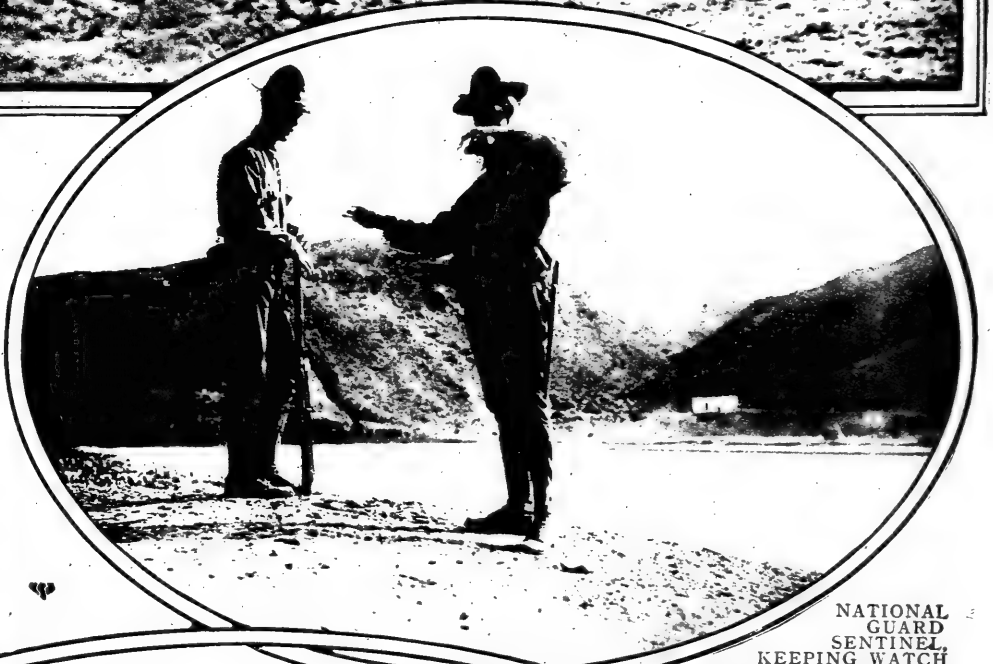
SCENE ON BOARD THE JAPANESE CRUISER KASUGA, NOW LYING AT A CANADIAN PORT, AFTER THE MEN HAD JUST FINISHED THEIR DRILLS,
FENCING, AND JIU-JITSU GAMES FOR THE DAY.



FIRST MASSACHUSETTS FIELD ARTILLERY, NATIONAL GUARD, ON A HARDENING HIKE NEAR FORT BLISS, EL PASO, TEXAS.
(Photos from Paul Thompson.)



CYRIL MAUDE AND HIS DAUGHTER MARGERY AT THEIR ENGLISH COUNTRY HOME AT BEXHILL-ON-SEA. From a Photograph Taken Just Before They Left England for New York. Mr. Maude to Appear in "The Barber of Seville," and His Daughter in "Paganini."
(Photo by Compton Collier.)



NATIONAL GUARD SENTINEL KEEPING WATCH OVER A SMUGGLER'S HOUSE ACROSS THE RIO GRANDE, RECEIVING INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE CORPORAL OF THE GUARD.



THE MASSACHUSETTS FIELD ARTILLERY'S CAMP AMONG THE HILLS WHEN EVENING COMES AND THE DAY'S MIMIC WARFARE IS OVER.



CHARLES J. VOPICKA, American Minister to Rumania, Serbia and Bulgaria, Mrs. Vopicka, and Their Daughters, Misses Elsie and Clara Vopicka. From a Recent Photograph Just Received in This Country.
(Photo by Press Illustrating Service.)



FOUR MOTHERS AND A "LITTLE MOTHER" AMONG THE GROUP Assembled On the Grounds of the City Hospital, Newark, To See Their Children, Some Recovering from Infantile Paralysis, Others in the Early Stages of the Disease, Who Had Been Brought to the Windows of the Isolation Ward That Their Parents Might Look On Them Again Even from a Distance. (Photo by Central News Photo Service.)

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PROBLEM OF THE RAILROADS

Chairman of the Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce Warns Against Federal Ownership

ALMOST as a matter of instinct I believe in the eight-hour day for railroad employees and all other classes of labor in the United States. I do not believe in Government ownership of the railroads in this country so long as Government regulation is adequate, and it has not yet been proved inadequate. I believe that the attitude of the railway investor is a big factor that we cannot ignore. I believe that if it is necessary for the railroads to increase their rates in order to meet the added cost of an eight-hour day they should be allowed to do so. I am not in favor of compulsory arbitration, for that, of course, means, if it means anything, compulsory abiding by the award of the arbitrators which, in turn, means involuntary servitude in the United States."

These isolated sentences were uttered by Senator Francis G. Newlands of Nevada in the course of an interview at Washington the other day when he was asked why the Newlands act providing for the settlement of railroad disputes by mediation or arbitration had failed to meet the emergency of the present controversy between the railroad companies and their employees. They may be taken as the railroad creed of the Senator whose name is associated with the most advanced piece of labor legislation so far enacted by the Federal Government, and who is the ranking man in Congress in transportation matters, because of his Chairmanship of the Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce. Another vital article of that creed is the Senator's belief that all railroads should be brought under closer national control and more efficient regulation by national incorporation.

As to the refusal of the railroad employees to arbitrate in 1916 under the terms of the Newlands act, which they indorsed with so much enthusiasm at the time of its passage in 1913, their refusal being based on their claim that they do not get a square deal, Senator Newlands said that the men were not afraid of partiality on the part of the arbitrators, but of the arbitrators' lack of expert knowledge of the many complicated questions involved.

"The objection of the railroad brotherhoods," he said, "is not so much to the law as to the lack of information at the disposal of the umpires. No matter how just and fair they may be, they are inexpert. They are not clear in their own understanding of the issues and they cannot be clear in their decisions. After the award is made it becomes necessary

An Authorized Interview With Senator F. G. Newlands of Nevada

to explain too much, possibly to arbitrate the award itself. This is what the men complain of, and, I think, explains their refusal to arbitrate at the present time.

"They declare, for example, that the

is only one of the many things concerning which we need accurate knowledge.

"Another illustration is in the matter of wages now paid throughout the railroad industry. It is asserted that the

of what we may call the aristocracy of labor and not enough to the unorganized? Nobody knows, but we ought to know. We need the facts to determine these things.

"I recently introduced in the Senate a resolution directing the Interstate Commerce Commission to ascertain as soon as possible the minimum, maximum, and average wages paid, with hours of service, to every class of railroad employee in the United States, to compare them with wages of other industries in which similar skill and risk are involved, to determine the relation of railroad wages to railroad revenues, and to consider whether railroad revenues, based on existing rates, would admit of equally favorable terms to all classes of railroad employees. There was a second section to the resolution declaring it to be the sense of Congress that the railroads and their employees should assist in the gathering of this information, and that meanwhile they should defer their present controversy over hours and wages. I offered this resolution tentatively, at the request of the National Chamber of Commerce, without going into the merits of it, but I am convinced that some such method of getting all the facts is absolutely essential to the adequate settlement of our railroad labor troubles.

"The resolution was tabled for various reasons. One was that we are having a national campaign. The railroad employees themselves were opposed to it because it would mean delay. I hardly think we can blame them for not wanting delay now that they have got their campaign for eight hours and more pay under way. It requires a tremendous effort to start such a movement as theirs from the beginning, and they object to losing the momentum they have worked up and beginning all over again. A moving body is going to get to its goal much more quickly than one that is halted to get more facts.

"But the eight-hour day, which I believe in instinctively for all labor when it can be brought about in an orderly manner, is not a goal to be driven at to reach in a day regardless of the welfare of the country as a whole. So why not agree upon a *modus vivendi* until we can get the facts that we need for the fair determination of the real questions?

"Of course the *modus vivendi* would itself be a matter of arbitration, but the award would be temporary. For example, why not an agreement now on a nine-hour day with time and a quarter pay for overtime, such an agreement to run for one year or two years? In the meantime we would get together the information that any board of arbitration

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granting of their demands would cost the roads only twenty millions more a year for operating. The roads declare that it would cost much more than that. There should be some way of putting such an important point as that before the arbitrators as an undisputed fact to enable them to decide it on its merits, not in the form of two widely divergent guesses about the same thing. And that

average pay of the railroad employees who are not organized is only about \$700 a year, while the average pay of the workers who are organized, something less than one-third of the whole, is from \$1,100 to \$1,200 a year. Are we getting to the point where the lower strata of the labor in this industry of transportation should be built up? Are we giving too much consideration to the demands

she are willing to work even more and undergo all abnegations, but "Germany must win!"

Again, can such a people be starved, or tired into submission? If the people of the Allies could know this there would be one illusion less.

The main problem to solve, even though it be not the greatest danger to Germany, is the food question. Not so much the lack of it as the distribution of the naturally limited supply. There is enough to go around, as they say, if those who get first chance at it won't take more than they need. The Government says: "While we have enough, you shall get only as much as you must have; thus you help to create a surplus. Once we have that we will relax."

The knowledge that this parsimony is due to precaution and not because of dire need makes the people consider it as hoarding ammunition. Many, indeed, enthusiastically endorse all methods employed. I heard today a waiter telling a guest who had left his bread card at home: "I'll take your word for 1,000 marks, but not for the bread card; just bring along your card tomorrow and eat your bread tomorrow." The people around the table all applauded the waiter and the man enjoyed the joke on himself.

It is indeed remarkable how the Berliners, who used to think a lot about their meals, now talk of saving. Many say that they feel better since they have eaten less. Many have become disciples of the American food prophet, Horace Fletcher. His followers say that 50 grains of food chewed for two minutes are worth as much as 100 grains chewed for one minute. The attention the Government pays to the distribution, which really is synonymous with hoarding the food, is but one of the many methods employed to keep the wolf from the door. New foods are discovered; new devices to make the minor grade of foods more tasty and to increase their nutritive qualities. But the most important innovation is the people's kitchen in the large cities. There they don't raise chickens, geese, and other fowl, and there the middleman increases the cost and transportation difficulties reduce the supply, and the people work harder and are more "pretentious."

In Hamburg, where the experiment of food kitchens has been tested, the city is losing more than half a million marks monthly. In Berlin one such institution has been opened this week, (July 10,) planned to sell 250,000 litres (metric quarts) of food. The city is willing to give, as large manufacturers in the United States do, who want good food for their employees at moderate cost, free fuel, space, light, cooking utensils, &c. The city administration is willing to give for these people's canteens well-lighted halls free, to buy the raw food in larger quantities, and to furnish the supervisor, but does not want to sell below cost, because that would at once stamp the whole enterprise as philanthropy.

All preparations are under way to have many such institutions ready for operation by the winter, and there are many who hope that this is to become a permanent fixture of this socialized Government. Naturally, this new phase of "public feeding" will have a detrimental influence upon the restaurant business. In one of the places I dined the manager told me: "As a measure of protection I welcome the institution and congratulate the municipality on the work done. They should have asked for my help, and I believe many of my colleagues would have gladly helped, for we know more about the public food business than the municipal officers do. After the war we will fight it, but even during the war we will not be driven out of the business. We will have a great harvest, there will be lots of food of all kinds shipped from the allied countries, particularly from Austria-Hungary, which always produces more than it consumes. Bulgaria is also a big factor."

Indeed, Bulgaria already offers eggs to the Red Cross delivered f. o. b., Berlin, at 10 pfennigs (2½ cents), eggs for which they had paid Holland more than twice as much. This restaurant manager argued that a large number of childless couples who used to do home-cooking will patronize these institutions, but that those who used to go to the restaurants will return as soon as they will again be able to provide as well and as cheaply as in the past.

Even music is not neglected. With the war bulletins issued hourly, with bread,

meat, and egg tickets in their pockets, thousands of people are interested and some of them actively and busily engaged in seeing that the "Konzert-Leben" after the war shall not suffer. All are determined that Germany shall remain the real musical country of the world, and, therefore, those who feel that Bach and Beethoven must be preferred to Verdi and Gounod, have little voice in the matter.

I was talking about the war bonds to a hardware dealer, who, by the way, had a lot of American brass locks, hinges, and other things, in his show window, thus giving the lie to statements published in New York about the lack of brass and copper in Germany.

"That house there," he said, pointing to the other side of the street, "belongs to a widow. She gets her income from it in the form of rents. Why is it different to get it in the form of interest on our war bonds? The house as such does not give her any special pleasure, she does not even live in it; indeed, it causes her some care and expense, such as repairs, vacant apartments, &c. Not so with the bonds; one is sure to get the interest paid at stipulated times. What difference is there between investing in income-earning property or interest-bearing paper?"

Excellent reasoning, if one considers that no German will let one question the soundness and safety of a German Governmental financial obligation.

Many say that they still have money which was banked before the war, ready to invest in new war loans. While here and there you find people who are not so positive about the food problem, all are sure that Germany has all the money needed for the prosecution of the war, even should it last for years.

"I am 65 years old," said a gentleman from the country, who was here on his annual Summer visit. "I am used to good living. Without a murmur I have to go through all the abnegation the war has brought upon us. I may live to see that our sacrifices have not been in vain. But the younger people and our posterity will have the enduring benefits of all our miseries. I don't see why they should not pay their part of the price for these coming benefits."

He argued that the cost of the war would be paid in taxes by the future generation, and that this was but proper, since the present generation advanced the money and paid with their blood and have suffered sorrows which time has turned into pride. "The griefs our victorious fathers suffered in former wars cause us no pain now."

Coming generations, to be sure, will not realize the awfulness of these present days, but the achievements, the victories of their fathers, will move and impress them. They will sing the war songs with pride. Even now one can see happiness and serenity on all faces, even of those in mourning, when the bands play martial airs.

There seems to be plenty of money for purchasing luxuries. A gentleman from Mannheim, who is in Berlin to aid his brother in Chicago to purchase "bargains" in art works, told me that all antiquities and works of art had advanced in price, some very much so. Works that he could have purchased before the war, for instance, for \$250 are now held for \$375 and over.

Soon after the war broke out the famous Rosenfeld-Goldschmid art collection was removed to Amsterdam to enable French and English collectors to bid. The sale brought big prices. Germans bought the most; next came the Hollanders and American collectors, and art dealers were third. By the way, American art lovers were for the first time represented as buyers of porcelain antiquities.

An American friend living in Berlin told me that he could have purchased a lot of rare Oriental rugs soon after the war began, but as he naturally expected that luxuries would depreciate in value, he waited, only to discover that the demand exceeds the supply and that prices are still advancing. Had he bought the rugs he could have doubled his investment in a year.

I noticed that the crowds in the main shopping street (Leipziger Strasse) were not so dense as I had seen them on former visits. One of the window watchers whom I interrogated thought it was due to the depressing heat; another denied that there was any difference; pressing the point, he got angry. He said that the war had not reduced

the purchasing power of the German people. The porter (usher) in front of one of the leading silk stores told me: "Die Herrschaften sind noch nicht zurück von der Sommerfrische." (The family has not yet returned from the Summer vacation.)

I found out that never had there been such overcrowding in the resorts all over the country as now. That is partly due to the fact that those who used to go to the resorts of the belligerent countries now frequent German places; even Switzerland, Norway, and resorts of other neutral States, which in former years were much frequented by Germans, have but few German visitors now. The trip over the frontier, with all its restrictions, makes it unpleasant. But it is a fact that many more leave the city than before. It is one of those phenomena which extraordinary occurrences, such as the war, will bring about.

The call of the country seems stronger at these times. All who can afford it, run away from the city, which always, and now even more than usual, places restrictions upon the people. While one sees ruined lives and, silently weeping women, one also sees many loudly happy people going to and returning from the Summer resorts. The theatres and concert places are crowded, even horse race betting has not abated. Trains are loaded with women in light dresses, and with children happily laughing, and quite a few men of military age go along. Trunks are heaped up at the sidings. The unprecedented exodus from the city may find an additional explanation in the fact that in the country the potatoes are not carefully counted and meat and butter are not closely weighed.

In many circles, even among the politicians, the war removes a great deal of bias. People talk with more calmness, give more thought to their expression; they seem more deliberate even in off-hand debating. Yet those who believe that the German political fighters have stopped or even relaxed for the sake of showing unity are sorely mistaken.

"We are united against the enemy without," one told me, "but those among us whom we think to be inimical to the best interest of our country, of our people, and of our ideals, even though they may believe in their theories, we will continue to fight with undiminished vigor. We are losing enough now; we don't also want to lose the benefits of years of fighting for principles we believe in."

And, indeed, one can see in the newspapers from all over Germany that they are not afraid to recall the bitter party and factional fights of the past, and with admirable courage to speak freely about the solution of the new political and social problems which the war added to the many unsolved in the past. Even the fight for election reforms has not been tabooed. Books are being published on this delicate subject, and the newspapers take a lively part in the fray.

Intellectual work is going on almost as usual. The scientists, philosophers, and thinkers are not all at the front; they remained in their chosen field. The men at the front are missed from the workshops, from the trades, and, still more sadly, from the homes, in which the German man plays a more important part than merely that of the provider of provender. He it is who steadies the nerves when some one in the family is sick or in trouble; and when things go wrong all lean on him. Now, when all are worried, and things cannot go right, he is away, and he himself is the cause of most of the anxiety.

When the men return from the front they will be kept busy in replenishing the products of the workshops, but will have the benefit of the scientific researches and discoveries, products of thought gathered during their absence. The scientists and all the aristocracy of brains are as active as ever.

A lady language teacher from Washington, D. C., who has lived here for seventeen years, told me that she was very busy teaching English to men, women, and children, as busy, if not more so, than before the war. Incidentally she recalled how well the Germans were thought of when she used to live in the United States, and is sorry that the people there should have changed their opinion. In the homes she frequents most of the people still speak with admiration of America; they are bitter only against the present Government. They believe Mr. Wilson to be at the bottom of all the mean acts against Germany. Indeed, all the Americans here, of whom there are

quite a number, put it all up to Mr. Wilson.

I was talking with an American friend at a restaurant table at which two ladies were sitting. Through our speaking English, they recognized us as Americans, and one told the other in German how disappointed we must be to see them so well fed and in good humor. I told the ladies that I spoke German, and was indeed glad to see them with such rosy faces, and sorry that they were so disgusted with America. One of the ladies said that she had just returned from her Summer vacation, to which her exceptionally healthy looks were due, but that she hailed from Frankfurt, and had seen nobody there pale from want of food.

I have not encountered open hatred—not even against the English. My American friend ordered a drink. On the bottle was placed a label: "Purveyor to the King." In a jocular way he remarked: "Why don't you tear off that label?" To which the bartender—a tall, young woman, by the way—replied: "We don't like the whisky and don't like the King, but we hate neither. Even our men at the front, who kill their enemies, don't hate them."

He who says that Berlin has not changed did not know Berlin at its best, or does not want to tell the truth. The metamorphosis was slow; one thing after the other changed, the eye got used to this and the stomachs became almost "an-passend"—they got used to the smaller rations, which were too large before. One man told me: "When the portions were larger we left half on the plate, now we eat all we get. In the end there is no difference."

Berlin is still the cleanest of all cities I know. The gardens and flowers are as beautifully kept as ever. Everything still has a place and everybody puts everything in its place. But it is not the same Berlin. I left a little over two years ago. It has changed in many ways. While most of the changes are such as to cause pain to the lovers of Berlin, yet mingled with this is the evidence of determination to be soon again the old Berlin.

The three big volumes of the Berlin City Directory appeared for 1916 with as much advertising as before. So did all the other business directories and "Industrielle Jahrbücher," or annuals. Even the "Eisener Jahrbuch"—two huge volumes containing the annual reports of all the securities handled on the Exchange, and the "Berliner Handbuch für Engros und Exporthandel" were published as usual. These volumes do indeed speak volumes! The German business world does not believe in the possibility of economical defeat. The Railroad Guides, even the tourist publications, appear just as usual.

While the hotels of Berlin do not report the same number of patrons that was booked before the war, their business, according to the managers, is approaching a normal condition. Hotel prices have advanced a little.

The Vaterland, formerly Piccadilly, is one of the biggest cafés in Berlin. At 12 o'clock one Sunday night, when I called, the uninitiated would have seen no difference at all. It looked like a house full of mirth; the band was playing gay tunes, and the audience of men and women were merrily talking with their friends around the small tables, enjoying cups of coffee or glasses of beer; after 9 in the evening nothing stronger is sold. But I noticed quite a difference; not all the lights were turned on and at many tables women—in mourning dresses—were sitting; very few were addressing postcards, a great habit in time of peace, advising their friends that they had spent a merry evening in the Piccadilly. The vendor of the cards told me that he sold one now where he sold twenty before, and the waiters almost all the way through showed not merely a fatigue, but a kind of depression, while most of them were older than those who used to serve there before.

In Tappers Hotel, at Kissingen, where many Americans used to stop and where the charges vary between \$12.50 and \$25 a day, every room is taken. People who used to live in the less pretentious and less expensive hotels have enough to spend for better accommodation. This is one evidence that the business people are doing well, and the same is even truer of the working classes—all who can and care to work have employment at good pay, at least higher pay than in times of peace.

must have to reach an intelligent conclusion.

"If we could find some way to prevent by law radical action in the way of strike or lockout until the Government could ascertain all the facts and instruct public opinion, it would be worth while.

"We not only want to know what the men need, but what the roads are able to pay without impairing their service to the public. As between money that goes to favored stockholders by manipulation and money that is paid to employes in increased wages, I much prefer the latter, but there must be fair dividends. The welfare of the entire country demands that, for the railway investor is one of the chief contributors to that welfare. Without him we can have no further development of the country's chief industry, the industry upon which all our other industries depend. If ability to pay dividends is found to depend on authority to increase rates to meet the increasing cost of labor and supplies and taxes, as it is bound to be, then by all means let the roads increase the rates.

"To decrease dividends to the vanishing point, thereby cutting off all new capital, means Government ownership, and we ought not to approach Government ownership in this country until Government regulation has failed. It is now so far from being a failure that the United States has today the best system of railroads in the world, with the best wages for employes and the best service to the public and by far the cheapest service in proportion to its quality.

"I would prefer wage increases and shorter hours and rate increases to pay the bigger bills to Government ownership, but I have no prejudices against such ownership. I realize that the world is drifting toward it. The European countries have it. England is practically running her own roads. But why should we change so long as our roads are better, better for all concerned, under the United States system of regulation than the Government-owned foreign systems are? If this country ever does come to Government ownership we surely do not want to be forced to it by a cataclysm of industrial war. It must come, if at all, through the orderly process of evolution, which means the perfection of

regulation first. If the Government should take over the roads the interest it would have to pay on the money borrowed for the purpose probably would be less than the dividends now paid to stockholders, but I doubt very much if the service would be as economic and efficient as it is now, and it is difficult to estimate the effect it would have on the country to have more than a million voters added to the payroll of Government employes.

"To come back to the present, I see no way for the settlement of our labor disputes except by mediation, and if that

be no point in compelling the opponents to arbitrate, whether or no, unless you could compel them later on to abide by the award of the arbitrators and, in the case of the men, make it obligatory for them to remain at work.

"On the other hand, if you admit the principle that they can all give up their jobs at once and combine to prevent others from taking their places, that means that there is always the possibility of paralysis of the entire country. It means the possibility of civil war. A strike of the dimensions of the one now threatened would be civil war. It is idle

have learned how, they will go all the way in every contingency.

"In the meantime there might be for this country, if it would adopt it, a policy much better than Federal ownership, and that is Federal incorporation of the railroads. Such incorporation would unify and simplify the railroad administration of the country as a whole. It would recognize the evolution of the transportation industry under which the operation and management of almost the entire mileage has come under the control of a very few well-known groups or systems. By such incorporation and control the taxes of railroads could be made fixed and certain. That would also be true of dividends, so that hereafter any increase of business would tend mathematically, either to a betterment of the road, to an increase in wages, or to a diminution in rates.

"I would require that all railroads engaging in interstate commerce should incorporate under a national law in accordance with certain conditions, not only permitting but favoring the consolidation of railroads. I would provide that the amount of stocks and bonds issued for such a consolidation should be approved by the Interstate Commerce Commission and that they should not exceed the actual value of the roads consolidated, as determined by the commission. I would provide that the commission should approve the amount of bonds and stocks to be issued for the purchase of connecting or intersecting lines, for the betterment of existing roads, and the construction of new ones. I would make a rigid requirement to the effect that these securities should not exceed the value of the property acquired, or the actual cost of the work of construction. This would effectually prevent future overcapitalization.

"The fact is that the railroad, whether in the hands of the Government or a private corporation, is a natural monopoly. The steady trend of consolidation is the outcome of economic forces which cannot be controlled or appreciably impeded by legislation. Our present railroad system, even though it is the best in the world, is needlessly complicated and expensive, involving the maintenance of many unnecessary corporations. There should be unity of ownership, recognized by the law, of such railroads as are now linked together in interstate commerce, regardless of State boundaries. As State legislation cannot accomplish this, the railroad corporations should be national—the creation of the Government whose jurisdiction is as broad as interstate commerce itself."



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fails, by arbitration, and we already have sufficient law for that purpose, if it is supplemented by some Governmental device for getting the needed facts. I prefer, of course, to voluntary arbitration. At the time the present mediation act was under discussion, preliminary to its passage, there was some talk of providing compulsory arbitration. That talk has been revived in the course of the controversy now pending. But the United States ought not to have compulsory arbitration, if it means, in its logical outcome, involuntary servitude. There would

be no point in compelling the opponents to ignore the fact that such a strike could not be won without force, and that the strikers would use force. And there would be nothing left for the public but to use force, too, in the shape of the military and every other agency at the disposal of the Government to offset violence and keep the roads in operation. It seems barbarous and uncivilized, but civilization has not yet devised any other way. It will find a way eventually and there is no need for discouragement. Reason and persuasion go much further than they used to in these matters. When we

Conditions as They Really Are in Germany Today

An American Newspaper Man Traveling Through That Country Reports About Food Conditions and the Attitude of the People

BERLIN, July 21.

I KNOW nothing of military conditions in Germany, though I can see from the official reports of the Allies (all of which are republished here in full, and in a prominent part of the newspapers) that they don't consider it an easy job to expel the Germans from the territory now occupied. Nor do they expect that they can invade Germany without spilling torrents of their own blood.

It is, I believe, a mistaken idea that they can bend or break this people by nightmares of starvation. This mistake could be cleared up if conditions in Germany and in the countries of their allies were represented in the newspapers as they really are, and if the views expressed of the German statement were not always misinterpreted.

The people here say that they have 12,000,000 fighters in the field or ready to take the field—and this is not merely rhetoric. They have 20,000,000 volunteer workers in Germany alone, while Mr. Asquith, only a few days ago, had to beg and threaten the unwilling workers to rush out to armaments. Germany has actually more workers than she needs.

The demeanor of the Germans in regard to the Allies seems to me like that of a giant who has the other down in the dust. The Germans watch his preparation

to get up. "Get up, brush off the dust, put on your cap there and look like a gentleman again." Such is their peace offer. They don't want to let him get up and punch them again. All believe that, as in a prizefight, you can see after the tenth round who has lost, but the loser can fight another five, or even ten, rounds, and during these rounds will inflict some punishment on the victor. If they could they would like to save themselves the pains. Yes, many say they would also like to save the blood of the enemy that will flow during the rest of the rounds.

In my judgment the German people can never be conquered. I am not a military authority and not a prophet, and, therefore, do not know if their armies can be beaten.

Since coming here I have spoken to no less than 350 people, from men in the Foreign Office down to the women street car conductors. Among those I interrogated were about fifty I had known before the war. Business men say that they are willing to become poor forever rather than permit the English Government to set up a Government for them here. "We have never interfered with their Government," they say, "we have never forced other people to buy from us, we have not competed for markets with soldiers and warships, and we

are ready to remain poor rather than to give in."

They are willing to get along with as much food as they can produce, with fewer luxuries, with their men away from the homes, but they will not let Briand, Poincaré, Asquith, or Grey dictate peace to them. "They are calling us barbarians, and some people believe that they are, but a lie told by a hundred people a hundred times does not become a truth." That is what one man of affairs told me today.

A well-to-do business man said to me: "Fifty years ago my mother gave us a piece of bread on Wednesday which was baked on the previous Saturday, and a little 'Kümmel' soup for breakfast. For dinner we got meat once or twice a week. In the evening a piece of bread with nuts or some fruit. All of my brothers and sisters grew up healthy. We can repeat that again; they could not starve us out in fifty years." A great many say that they eat less now and feel very much better than when they had plenty; indeed, while one meets many earnest and sad faces, I have not encountered one of whom one could say he is underfed.

Can such a people be starved?

Here is the story of a working couple—two of these 20,000,000 volunteers. She is 19 years old, married during May of this year. He works 54 hours a week

in the gas works and gets 15½ cents for the hour. After deducting the National Sick and Invalid Insurance, he brings home about \$8 a week. She works in an ammunition factory, one week from 6 o'clock in the morning till 3 o'clock in the afternoon, the next week from 3 o'clock in the afternoon till midnight, with three-quarters of an hour's rest for lunch. She receives only 10 cents for the hour, and has only five days' work in the week; therefore, she brings home about \$4.50, from which also various State insurances are deducted.

Twice a week she goes from the factory to the "field" (vacant lots and plots in and around Berlin are all divided into little truck gardens—Lauben) to weed the potatoes, often coming home at 11 o'clock at night. They pay \$6.25 for rent a month, about \$1.25 for taxes; gas for light and cooking costs \$1.75, carfare a little over 75 cents, boot repairing about \$1.75. They receive only 3,800 grains of bread, 180 grains of butter, 30 grains of margarine, 2 eggs, and 10 pounds of potatoes every eleven days; 500 grains of meat, a little milk, one-half pound of sugar a week. This is not very much, yet they look very well and feel fine. The self-sacrificing, industrious spirit of these poor people is typical of all Germany. Both he and



Little Alsations Dreaming of the Return of the French, by Hansi, the Famous Alsatian Artist Now Serving in the French Army. This and Other Pictures by Him in His Book, "My Village," Caused His Imprisonment by the German Authorities Before the War.

Pierre Loti Describes Reconquered Alsace

Famous Writer Tells of the Delight of Country Folk at Being French Again After Forty-four Years of German Domination

By Pierre Loti

Advance sheets of the beautiful description of "Alsace reconquered by France" which appears below, from the pen of Pierre Loti, the renowned French writer and member of the French Academy, were presented by him personally to the representative of THE NEW YORK TIMES in Paris in time to be published here before the arrival in the United States of the issue of the French magazine *L'Illustration*, which will contain the original French version. The article is especially valuable owing to the fact that Loti, who is an officer in the French Navy, now doing shore duty, has been for some time stationed in Alsace, the land of which he writes with such feeling and eloquence. He stated to THE TIMES Paris representative that he would devote the proceeds of the article to the various war charities, in which he is interested.

July, 1916.

NEXT August it will be a year since I set foot for the first time on unconquered Alsace. I went with the President of the Republic in the course of one of those rapid and well filled tours of which he possesses the secret.

On that day in our Alsace the weather happened to be marvelously beautiful; gale weather, indeed, such as pours light into life and makes joy more joyous. A hot sun beamed from a sky all tinted with beautiful southern blue, and the little towns and villages, with their little houses all garlanded with a mad riot of roses, seemed to shine amid the magnificently green background of the surrounding mountains. In fact, I have never seen except in Alsace such profusion, such prodigality of roses even in the smallest gardens, even on the humblest walls.

The Presidential automobile traveled at full speed; it was betrayed only by its silk tricolor banner, with the golden fringe, which the wind made to flutter without cessation like a signal, a sort of little discreet signal, of deliverance. We had not been announced; we appeared without the smallest escort, but it was not possible to prevent Alsatian youths on bicycles from gayly preceding us, by dint of hard pedaling, from the moment we stopped somewhere, and from crying out on all hands that the President was about to arrive. It mattered not that they arrived only a few minutes ahead of us every time; we were sure, nevertheless, to find the next village already decorated along our route; the flags kept appearing spontaneously, as if by magic,

from the open windows. French flags there were, also flags of Alsace, white and red, everything that could be snatched up by those eager and happy hands. And among the tricolor flags there were some entirely new, but there were also some quite venerable, sacred memories, which had spent more than forty years in the darkness, hidden at the bottom of wardrobes for fear of German inquisition, and which now saw at last the sun of today, transformed once more into a sun of France.

Shouts of welcome burst forth all along our road, spontaneous cries, full of rejoicing—how easy it was to see that they came from the very bottom of people's hearts!

Some shell holes there were in the walls and here and there some ruined houses, but they did not seem real, so badly did they fit into this happy countryside of today. And, except for certain little cemeteries—some of them just made, alas!—where one could see the lines of white crosses, recently placed, showing the resting places of our dear soldiers, the impression of a joyous festival was not banished anywhere.

We stopped for a bit at every village. The President, with his alert gait like an old Alpine chasseur, hastened from hospital to the "Maire's" office, from the "Mairie" to the school, and from the school to his auto, which thereupon resumed its journey with the speed of an arrow. He shook many hands, said many comforting words, implanting confidence, raising courage even higher, and in the schools he listened with a smile to those little Alsatians who, instead of the German language formerly forced upon them, had begun to learn French only a few months before, but were already able to answer many of his questions and to recite for him bits of our fables with an amusing accent. Often groups of young girls, in the costume of Alsace, came up in a great hurry to hand him wreaths of flowers with which his auto was soon filled. They had taken from old family trunks those old-fashioned costumes with scarlet skirts, gilded corsets and ribboned head-dresses which looked like big butterflies on their heads.

"How did you manage to get ready so quickly?" I asked them. "Oh, how we hurried!" they replied with pretty laughter. And they had hurried so much, in fact, that they were red and even perspiring. But how happy they were!

In the villages, on the walls, above the

shops, there were still many signs in German, to say nothing of words of our own, borrowed by the Germans from us and disfigured according to their habit: *restauration* instead of *restaurant*, *friscur* for *coiffeur*, and *tabak* with a "K" like their delicate and unpeppable *kultur*. But one felt so strongly that one was really in France that this seemed merely a joke to amuse passers-by.

During the two days of our tour there was never a false note anywhere. The Boches themselves, ambushed in the neighboring mountains, to whom we sometimes drew too near because the President is afraid of nothing, kept quiet. Yet we made a big noise as we went along; there were loud acclamations, fanfares of trumpets, the "Marseillaise" played with much sound of brasses—surely they could hear it well! And all the decorations in tricolor—surely they must have glimpsed them through the piercing spyglasses which they always use! And we too said to ourselves: "Why don't these idiots bombard us?" Yet nothing happened. Luck was with us, like the sunlight. Not a big shell, not even a miserable little one; never a funeral sound to trouble the delight of the delirious populace in the first madness of joy at being free at last!

And yet they talk about Alsace being a place of Germanic race, German in heart! Nonsense! For forty years, as we well know, they have sought to make people believe this, the impudent liars from across the Rhine. They even succeeded, worse luck, by clever tricks and by incessant obstinacy, to circumvent two or three French politicians, who were guilty of acknowledging this contradiction and of proclaiming it aloud among us French. And now that the question is more burning than ever, the vultures of Germany support their theory in their paid journals in neutral lands by adducing dull historical side issues. But all the texts invoked have been pitifully falsified by them. Julius Caesar, quoted by them first of all, certainly declared that in his day Germanic hordes occupied a part of Northern Gaul and Alsace, but he never said anything more than that; those Germans were there as pillagers and oppressors, exactly as they were from 1870 to 1914. The Teutonic invaders, just like the Aryan, left in Alsace only a small number of their people, whose physical characteristics were immediately absorbed by the autochthonous inhabitants. The real barbaric invasion

was stopped at the Rhine, the great protecting river.

Superficial is the main argument invoked by Germany as an excuse for the seizure of Alsace, which is this: During all the Middle Ages the Alsatians thought and felt like Germans! No, a thousand times no! From Caesar to Charlemagne, for ten centuries, there existed, on the contrary, a radical difference between the people on the right bank of the Rhine and those on the left bank, Latinized and civilized infinitely more rapidly. To arrive at this conclusion it suffices to study Alsatian art, Roman at its beginnings, like ours; to study the traditional leanings of Alsace, of the Alsatian mind and the Alsatian heart, which were Gallic and then French—in short, to study all the elements of their civilization which developed parallel to the civilization of France, bringing always closer to us, always uniting to us ever more intimately, peoples whose primitive origin was the same as our own.

And, after so many proofs heaped up in the past, here is what is perhaps the most crushing of all, the proof which forty years of oppression have just provided—after such cruel and continuous efforts to assimilate the people of Alsace, what have the Germans reaped but hatred, disgust, and irony?

And that very irony, which seems at first sight a secondary matter, also bears with it a little proof. The wit of men like Hansi and so many others, that bantering, malicious, and gay wit—is it Teutonic?—perish the thought!—or is it Gallic wit?

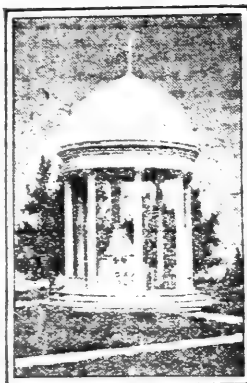
No, the case has been adjudicated. The Boches are not at home on this side of the Rhine, nobody wants them, they are distasteful to everybody, so let them get out!

At the end of this July, 1916, my duty has just brought me back for a few days to Alsace.

Alas, it was no longer the beautiful presidential weather of last year! Big, sad clouds hovered everywhere over the summits of the Vosges; they darkened the forests of firs and larches, which, seen from below by those unacquainted with the region, still seemed a bit like virgin forests, but which our brave territorialists have incessantly filled for the last two years with traps of all kinds, lest the barbarians seek to assail us from this direction. These traps, which I have carefully inspected up there on former tours of duty, these invisible but formidable defenses, these hillocks prettily covered with turf from which project, through secret apertures, the mouths of rapid-fire guns, and those interminable

Church May Make New York Martyr a Saint

Cause of Father Isaac Jogues, Missionary, and Discoverer of Lake George, Is Now Before the Congregation of Rites at Rome



The Pieta of the Shrine at Auriesville, N. Y.

THE cause of the beatification of the discoverer of Lake George has been formally introduced at Rome. There is a possibility, therefore, that Father Isaac Jogues, the Jesuit missionary who in 1646 came, with his Mohawk and Algonquin guides, upon the beautiful body of water which, until a few years before the American Revolution bore the name he gave it—the Lake of the Blessed Sacrament—will before long, by virtue of his noble and devoted life and his heroic death, be raised to the altars of the Church and his name inscribed on the long roll of the Roman martyrology.

Nevertheless, the process of canonization is not so near to its completion as might be supposed from some of the reports that have appeared in the daily press. Rome was not made in a day, nor does Rome make saints in a day. The step which has recently been taken is only a preliminary step toward beatification, which, if it is actually decided on, will cause Father Jogues to be called Blessed Isaac Jogues.

Isaac Jogues was born at Orléans, France, on Jan. 10, 1607. He was baptized in the Church of St. Hilary. That he received the unusual name of Isaac is due to the fact that it was in those days the fashion among the French Catholics to imitate their Protestant neighbors in adopting from the Old Testament such names as Isaac, Samuel, Joshua, David, and even Shadrach.

Isaac Jogues at first attended a school in Rouen. At 17 he entered the Jesuit novitiate either in Rouen or in Paris. The novice master was Father Louis Lallement, author of a famous work called "Doctrine Spirituelle." It is related that Father Lallement asked young Jogues what he was seeking in entering the Society of Jesus, and received the reply, "Ethiopia and martyrdom." To this, it is said, Father Lallement replied: "Not so, my child. You will die in Canada."

At the age of 29, Father Jogues embarked for Quebec, reaching the North American Continent on Oct. 2, 1636. He crossed the ocean—the voyage took two months—with Montmagny, the successor of Champlain.

Two or three weeks later Father Jogues saw a flotilla of canoes coming down the St. Lawrence. In the first of these stood Father Daniel, barefooted and in rags, worn and haggard from the privations he had undergone. Father Daniel was to remain in Quebec for a short time, and since the Hurons would not return home without a priest, Father Jogues took his place.

Father Jogues's trip to Lake Huron with the Indians must have been a terrible experience for the young French priest. The distance is more than 900 miles, over dangerous rivers and great lakes. To get around the numerous cascades it was necessary to carry the boats and luggage across country for a considerable distance through dense forests.

The travelers lived on Indian corn and water and slept on rocks and in the woods. And always there was danger from the lurking Iroquois, the enemies of the Hurons and of the white men.

But at last the journey was at an end. Father Jogues and his companions passed the triple stockade of the Indian town of Ihonitiria, where de Brebeuf and other missionaries received them.

Now Father Jogues came down with a fever, which spread throughout the little colony. The sick men lay on mats, with nothing but roots for drugs. It was in the cold of November, and there was almost nothing to eat. One of the missionaries, Father Lemerrier, wrote: "We had a hen which gave us an egg, but not every day. We used to watch for the egg and then debate as to who should refuse it."

When the missionaries recovered from fever a pestilence broke out among the Indians. Hundreds of them died, and their medicine men blamed the missionaries. Father Jogues and his associates prepared for death, and wrote a letter of farewell to their friends in Quebec. But the plague ceased, and with it ceased most of the Indian hostility toward the missionaries. The Indians abandoned the Mission of St. Marie, which was the centre of their work for many years.

Some Ojibways or Chippewas came down from Lake Superior to visit the Hurons, and asked that a mission be established in their country. Father Jogues and Father Raymbault were assigned to the work. On Sept. 17, 1641, they started out in the bark canoe, and after a long and perilous voyage crossed the upper reaches of Lake Huron

and arrived at a place which still bears the name they gave it, Sault Ste. Marie. They were the first white men to stand on the shores of Lake Superior.

Father Jogues and Father Raymbault paddled their canoe back to Georgian Bay to tell of the friendly attitude of the Sault Ste. Marie Indians and to prepare for the new enterprise. But Raymbault was dying from hunger and exposure, and it was necessary to send him to Quebec for treatment. Father Jogues accompanied him over the thousand miles of perilous way, and they reached Quebec in safety. There, however, Father Raymbault soon died, and was buried by the side of Champlain.

Now Father Jogues started back, taking several canoes full of provisions. With him were about forty people, among them being the famous Huron chief Teondachoren, a reformed sorcerer named Ahitsasteari; Theresa, an Indian girl who had been educated by the Ursulines of Quebec, and two laymen, Rene Goupil and William Couture. The Government offered to send a detachment of soldiers with the expedition, but the Indians refused it. They soon felt the need of it, however, for they were attacked by a large number of Mohawks and many of them were killed. While the battle was raging, Father Jogues was baptizing an Indian whom he had been instructing, and rose from his knees to find most of the Hurons in flight, and those who remained captives of the Mohawks. He might have escaped but preferred to stay with the captive Rene Goupil and the Huron Christians.

On the 10th of August the Indians and their prisoners reached the southern end of Lake George.

For several days the captives were tortured, and at last all died except Goupil and Father Jogues. One day

Goupil was seen making the sign of the cross on the head of a child, and was at once tomahawked.

Learning that Father Jogues's death might occur at any moment, Governor Kieft of Manhattan ordered the commandant at Fort Orange to secure his release. The commandant told him that if he could get on board the vessel which was lying in the river he could take him safely to France. At first Father Jogues refused the offer, but, after spending a night in prayer to decide whether his duty was to remain or to stay, he decided to attempt to escape.

At dawn on the next day he managed to make his way through the sleeping savages and to reach the Dutch ship. After a month on Manhattan Island Father Jogues put out to sea in a boat which the Governor was sending to inform the home Government about the Indian aggressions. It was a troublous voyage; the vessel was pursued by some of Cromwell's ships, and Father Jogues was robbed of his scanty stores in Falmouth Harbor. A compassionate Frenchman secured passage across the Channel for him on a collier, and on Christmas morning, 1643, he landed in Brittany.

But Father Jogues was not long to rest from his labors in the pleasant land of France. After a stormy voyage, during which the crew mutinied but were subdued by Father Jogues's influence, the missionary reached Quebec in June, 1644. After a while it was decided to send him as an Ambassador to the Mohawks to conduct some negotiations. The Embassy did not start until two years after Father Jogues's arrival at Quebec. It was on May 16, 1646, that Father Jogues, with Jean Bourdon, left Three Rivers with four Mohawk guides and two Algonquins. They reached the body of water now called Lake George on May 30. It was the eve of the feast of Corpus Christi, and for this reason Father Jogues named it the Lake of the Blessed Sacrament. It retained this name until, shortly before the American Revolution, Sir William Johnson changed it to Lake George in order to please the King.

On June 5 Father Jogues reached Ossernenon and gave his message to his former captors. He succeeded in negotiating a treaty with them. The Ambassadors returned to Quebec on July 3 and Jean Bourdon was rewarded for the success of their negotiations with valuable grants of land. Father Jogues asked only to be sent back to the Mohawks as a missionary. He obtained the desired permission and left Quebec for the Iroquois territory on Sept. 27. On bidding farewell to a friend he wrote: "Ibo, sed non redibo," ("I go, but I shall not return.")

But now Father Jogues met with a very different reception from that of a few weeks before. Then he had been an Ambassador; now he was a missionary. The Iroquois met him at Lake George, accompanied by the sorcerer Ondessonk, who had succeeded in persuading his fellow-tribesmen that a pestilence which had broken out among them was due to a devil in a box which Father Jogues had left behind at his previous visit. The Indians stripped Father Jogues of his garments, slashed him with their knives, and led him before a council for some sort of trial. Some of the Indians were eager for his life to be spared, but the wishes of the others prevailed. On Oct. 18 a tomahawk crashed through Father Jogues's brain. The Indians hacked off his head and fixed it on a stake at the palisade and threw his mangled body into the Mohawk. The medicine man Ondessonk and his faction were satisfied; they had put an end to the intrusion of this new and strange religion called Christianity.

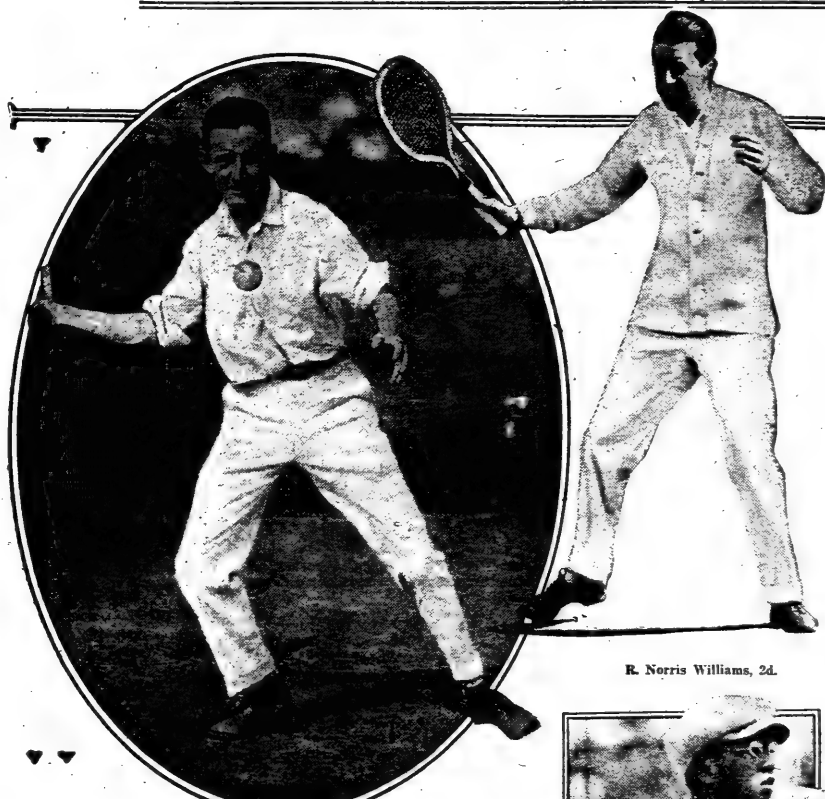
The shrine at Auriesville has become a place of pilgrimages. Extensive preparations are now being made for a pilgrimage to this spot to be held on Sunday, Sept. 10. And meanwhile the cause of Father Jogues is before the tribunal which is to decide whether or not he is to be called Blessed.



Statue of Jogues at Dunwoodie.

Who Will Win Tennis Championship This Week?

"Big Three" Rivals for Title—No Other Thought to Have Better than Fighting Chance—McLoughlin in the Role of Dark Horse



William M. Johnston. (Photo by Paul Thompson.)

By Louis Graves.

IT'S an even bet between Johnston and Williams; McLoughlin hasn't as good a chance as either, but he may score a comeback and walk off with the title. That is about how the experts size up the situation as the All Comers', the classic of the tennis year, opens on the West Side courts at Forest Hills, L. I. Outside of the Big Three, none of the hundred-odd entrants is thought to have more than a fighting chance for the championship. There are others who have achieved some remarkable victories this Summer—Griffin has beaten Williams twice, and Kumagae humbled Johnston a few days ago at Newport—but by the test of averages the present champion and the two ex-champions are the only probabilities.

The tournament will start off with more spirit this year than ever before, because the challenge match for the doubles title has been set for the opening day. At 10 o'clock tomorrow the first round of the singles will begin, but in the afternoon the grand stand inclosure will be cleared for the battle between McLoughlin and Dawson on one side and Johnston and Griffin, the present doubles champions, on the other. All four of them are Californians. With this match out of the way, the contest for the singles championship will have the whole stage.

Let it be set down without further delay, before one proceeds with prophecies, that the Southampton meet is not completed when these words are written. By the time they appear in print, some cataclysmic news from the Meadow Club may have changed the face of things. If McLoughlin, fresh from the West, has swept through to victory at the South Shore resort the odds will be on him, or—wonderful thought—if he has shown himself still on the downward path some lesser light, like Behr or Griffin or Church or Kumagae, may have come into favor as third choice.

The tennis public, meaning all lovers and watchers of the game except the few

dozen who may be said to constitute the tournament circle, are more concerned about McLoughlin's chances than anything else connected with the All Comers'. Since he first came East six or seven years ago the red-headed Californian has been the darling of the galleries. On the courts he possesses, to a degree unequalled by any other player, that indefinable something that goes as magnetism; something added to the vigor, the buoyancy,



Maurice E. McLoughlin.

the liveness and beauty of movement that send thrills of admiration through the crowd. To them he represents the glorification of all the speed, all the dash, all the red blood there is in tennis. They like him through and through, and they shout and pray for him to win.

Is McLoughlin going to come back? That is the question uppermost in the minds of thousands as they look forward to this week's tournament. And nobody can tell them anything about it. He has not been going the round of the meets this Summer, as the other cracks have, and even the most confident prophets admit that they haven't an inkling as to how he will show up.

Probably he hasn't a very good idea himself. All of which is to say that McLoughlin, twice national champion and for six years the most admired and one of the most active performers in the big meets, has suddenly become a Dark Horse!

In the so-called inner circle of tennis players the feeling about McLoughlin and his game is different from that of the outsiders. Not that the insiders don't like him and admire his wonderful talent; they do, both. But they don't cherish the same emotional preference for him that the grand stand displays year after year. In short, to them he is a remarkable tennis player, but not a hero. If some other aspirant can show better form, they are quite content to see that other aspirant win.

That is why, among the men who play regularly in tournaments, as well as among the retired stars who still keep in touch with the game, one finds a strong sentiment for Johnston. They admire his form extravagantly—as well they may, for there is surely not a player in the country who so consistently hits the ball as it should be hit, from any position. When he is going at his best he is 100 per cent. candidate for the degree of Master of Tennis.

Johnston in the act of making a fore-hand cross-court shot off the ground, past his opponent at the net, is a sight worth going many a mile to see. It is the minimum effort with the maximum of speed. His backhand is incomparably better than McLoughlin's; and it is better than Williams's, being more open and free. He is not as severe in his service as either of them, but his delivery is severe enough, and dependable. He is equally good off the ground and volley-

Ichiya Kumagae.
(C) Edwin Levick

ing. There is not a department of the game that one can point to and say that it is his weakness. As that term is commonly understood, he has no weakness.

That does not mean, of course, that he never plays badly. It means that there is no particular kind of stroke which is habitually a weak point. He has his slumps frequently. Indeed, for two or three years it was his undefeatability—the uncertainty whether he was going to play like a champion or like a man who had no place even in the first ten—that kept him out of consideration as a probable title winner. One week he would be almost perfection—the next week he would be defeated by somebody who had no good right to three games in three sets.

Admiration for Johnston's form is no new thing with the keenest judges of tennis, though the public gave him comparatively little thought until last year. When he came East, three or four seasons ago, the men who played around in tournaments with him wrote him down as a wonder. For him to have won the highest success in the world of tennis would not have surprised them; they would have said it was his rightful due. But he would lapse into a bad streak—it only takes one lapse to put a man out of a tournament—and spoil his chances

networks of barb wire, stretched like spider webs among the exquisite pink flowers, foxgloves and catch-fly—who would ever think of them as he passed along there, as I did on that last visit, at the foot of these mountains clothed with such a uniform and quiet mantle of green!

Amid their mountains with their tufted forests I saw again the little old Alsatian towns, overhung by these masses of trees which sometimes, on account of the abrupt slopes, seem about to slip down and bury everything beneath their verdure. I saw again the venerable houses, covered with big roofs projecting on account of the continual rains, and the streamlets of running water in the streets, and the squares always adorned with spouting fountains, where now our troopers, in pale blue, water their horses and chat with the very blond young girls. The Boche cannon had done sad work there since last year, with their

useless shots, fired from far away, any day, for the pleasure of destroying, of ruining a house here and there or a stained glass window in a church, of killing some woman or child. But this did not keep the shops from being open nor the little school children from amusing themselves outdoors as if everything was as quiet as you please.

Walking about, I talked with those I met, who greeted a French uniform so willingly! They told how resigned they were to their horrible neighbors for some time yet, how sternly confident they felt in the future. This sentiment I found everywhere; it was not like last Summer, when feverish enthusiasm seemed blended now and again with vague terror that the barbarians might return. No, there was certainly now, well founded, and breeding the necessary patience to face the days of waiting.

In houses pointed out to me I was shown—with what respect!—and allowed

to touch with my hand old flags of the days before '70, relics that had since become so dangerous, which had escaped the searching Boches. I remember one old man of snow-white hair, who said to me, with tears in his eyes, while showing to me the poor old flag that was his own, his humble cotton flag with its three badly faded colors: "For forty-four years I do not think that I have failed a single Sunday to climb up and say good day to it under the eaves of the roof where I kept it hidden."

"What a pity," a French Colonel living in that region said to me, "that you could not have arrived three or four days earlier to see our Fourteenth of July! The Alsations came of their own free will as a delegation to ask our permission to decorate their houses and celebrate, despite their foul neighbors and the danger that they might, after all, be too near."

He spoke with such emotion in telling

me this, this officer, naturally rather abrupt and by no means open to the accusation of sentimentalism. And he went on thus:

"In the evening there was a concert by torchlight, with our military bands and their civilian musicians, and even old-time singing societies, still wearing their Boche costumes and drums, and everybody played with a will! 'Le Mar-seillaise' and 'Sambre-et-Meuse' and 'Le Chant du Départ,' and all the men fell in behind singing, and all the young girls danced behind the procession. And the best of all was 'Le Chant du Départ,' in unison, beneath these mountains of Alsace, taken up in delicious joy by all those strong voices of our soldiers and the peasants! I tell you, Sir, I wept like an idiot when I listened to that concert!"

Dear land, French of the French, thou who returnest to us, delivered for ever and ever from the Germanist horror!

French Deeply Grateful for America's Help

Gertrude Atherton, Noted Novelist, Vigorously Denies Reports of Ill-Feeling Growing Out of War Relief Work in France

By Gertrude Atherton

SEVERAL weeks ago I wrote to a Western millionaire friend of mine asking him to "pass round the hat" and send me \$5,000, which I wanted to divvy between several different oeuvres here, including Mme. Waddington's, Mme. Dupuy's, the Duchess de Bassano's, Mme. Balli's, Mr. Holman-Black's, Mme. Philippe Berard's, (formerly Miss Dana of Boston,) and Mrs. Camille Lyon's—of all these I intend to write in detail later. I hoped, of course, he would send me the entire amount, but thought that the more graceful way of putting it. It is true that the West has not been comparable in generosity with the East toward the misfortunes incident upon this war, but this particular man has always given freely, and I certainly expected a check by return mail.

To my amazement he wrote back that while he would send money to France if he thought it was needed, he had only a day or two before received assurance that the contrary was the case. He had talked with an American doctor who had just returned from Paris and been informed that the French detested us; that the American women working in Paris did so entirely to gratify their own ambitions; that they did nothing but quarrel with the Frenchwomen with whom they were associated; that, in fine, the French wanted neither our services nor our money, and that the sooner we left France in a body the better they would like it.

Now, a lie of this sort cannot be scotched too quickly. Either the doctor in question was piqued because he had offered his services to France and found them dispensable, or he had fallen in with the wrong crowd, people who had tried to force themselves upon committees composed of socially distinguished women and been quietly snubbed. Of course there is bound to be a certain amount of that sort of thing; there is also no doubt that several American women have given enormously, raised money, and overworked themselves for the sake of social or Governmental recognition. But these cases are perfectly well known—and laughed at—and their numbers are so few that they are negligible. They work exclusively with the noblesse, who smile and call them "war friends," and feel quite justified, for the sake of France, in accepting their services and the money they raise or give.

On the other hand, the Frenchwomen are deeply grateful to the hundreds of American women who are working and giving, with no axe to grind, and to the United States itself for its great generosity. I have met as many Frenchwomen of all classes since my arrival in France as it is possible to crowd into eighty-five active days, and one and all have expressed their appreciation, often with tears in their eyes, and as often when personally they have not received a sou of the millions that have been sent over. With one exception, I have heard of no quarreling between French and

American women. Of course, human nature will never change, and women as well as men will indulge in mutual recriminations when too closely associated. One hears of jealousies among the American women out at the American Ambulance, (which does not in the least detract from the great work they are doing,) and the other day all the women in a certain oeuvre left in a body because they found the highly efficient President too masterful. One also hears humorous stories of the scorn, expressed with cutting volubility, entertained between the ladies of the three divisions of the French Red Cross, (Croix Rouge,) the first being composed of the nobility, the second of the haute bourgeoisie, and the third of "all the others." But any friction between the women of the two countries (with the exception mentioned) is yet to come to my ears—and I have never had so much poured into them in three short months before. I know every scandal in Paris, every family history, what everybody thinks of everybody else—and everybody else's oeuvre. The French people when they like you are the most amiable in the world, and, assuming that as a writer of fiction such documents are no doubt of vital interest, they proceed to regale me. Nevertheless, human as they are, the war is their one absorbing topic now, the war and their individual work in it.

The trouble is that the French Government has been too proud to make any propaganda, or even to hint that our money would be welcome, although, wealthy and methodical as it is, it could hardly have struggled with all these by-products of the war if it had not received millions of francs from private sources, both at home and abroad; and if hundreds of thousands of women had not set about deliberately to contribute personal service. Last night I had a long talk with a French woman whose husband, a member of the present Government, died last year, and who has been one of the few women invited by the Government to give their personal assistance in its war against tuberculosis. Something like 80,000 French soldiers are affected, and all the exchanged prisoners return not only in rags, but telling the dreadful story that they have been deliberately infected, by being made to sleep with consumptives and drink from the same vessels; also that they have reason to believe they have been given the germ hypodermically. Many also come back as morphinomaniacs, having been drugged in the German hospitals. Whether this is true or not, the fact remains that the German prisoners go home healthy and well-dressed, and the French return diseased and half naked.

It is now a year since the French Government took steps to combat as deadly an enemy as the Central Empires. Although France at that time had by no means the serene confidence in winning the war that she has now, for inevitably she must have feared the breakdown of

Russia, yet she went to work to appropriate millions of francs, and organize thousands of men unfit for work at the front, and proceeded as calmly and methodically as if the land were at peace and the expenditures normal. The Government reopened monasteries and convents deserted in those not remote days when the religious orders were invited to go elsewhere, it bought châteaux in lovely parks, and took seaside hotels. Here it installed the tubercular soldiers and officers, as quickly as they were discharged from the military hospitals, and with the best of attendance and medical advice. There are some fifty of these sanitariums already in operation. That is merely the beginning. They purpose to establish stations all over France where the tubercular who prefer to live at home can go weekly to receive not only medicines but advice against the spread of the disease, and, for those who are well enough to leave the sanitariums, thousands of small farms where they can live an outdoor life raising fruit, vegetables, and flowers for market. The Government will build the houses on these farms for the men and their families, permitting them to repay in installments; for the French are far too practical, and psychological, to turn any man capable of work into a dependent.

I told the lady I have mentioned that I understood that later, when the whole scheme was worked out, the French Government intended to make an appeal to the neutral countries, and she replied that while certain members were in favor of it many more were not, particularly of appealing to the United States; they felt that the Great Republic had already done so much and been appealed to so often that they did not care to act as if they regarded it as a sort of milch cow. No doubt when the time came they would issue a statement of what had been done and leave individuals or Governments to act for themselves.

On the other hand, even Government officials partake of the national impulsiveness, and not long since I had an amusing experience. One day, having nothing else to do, and meeting this same friend, she asked me if I would like to go to the Ministry of Agriculture with her; she had matters regarding this great work to talk over, but nothing of a private nature. I went along as a matter of course. My friend and the member of the bureau talked as rapidly as all French people do talk, and my mind soon wandered; I never listen to a foreign language unless I have to. Suddenly the official leaned over to me and said: "Madame, could you not send to California and get us enough vegetable and fruit seeds for our tuberculosis farms?"

I gaped. This was a large order, but no doubt my friend had been telling him of my consuming interest in France. However, I said I would do my best, and when I went home it may be imagined that my brain for a time felt as if it were on the rack. How on earth was I to ob-

tain seeds in sufficient quantity to furnish fifty or sixty thousand farms? If the war had finished it would have been a simple matter to write to the Department of Agriculture in Washington, but in present circumstances such a gift would be an unequaled act. Then I thought myself of the Chamber of Commerce in California. But for all I knew it might be half German. Then I remembered that Mr. Raphael Weill, the leader of the French colony in San Francisco was here, an equally ardent American and Frenchman. I made an appointment with him, and asked his advice. He said promptly that he would take over the entire order, that he would furnish the French Government with all the seeds it could use. I think that one of the most spontaneously fine acts prompted by this war. If, however, the farmers of other States should happen to see this letter and feel inclined to send packages of seeds, they would be very welcome, for California has not a monopoly of all the varieties. The War Relief Clearing House, 133 Charlton Street, New York, would forward them free of charge, but they must be marked plainly for the Ministry of Agriculture, Tubercular Farms.

This, however, did not start out to be a letter of appeal for any one of the great works in operation for the relief or the future welfare of France. It is merely to counteract the misstatements of the spiteful or the ignorant. It may be added that while much of the contributed money was no doubt wasted in the beginning of the war, not only have the organizations today reached so high a degree of efficiency that there is practically no waste, but every oeuvre is forced to keep books, which are inspected constantly by the police. All oeuvres must be registered, otherwise the Presidents and committees will promptly be arrested. Therefore, such dishonesty as may have prevailed in more confused times is now so impossible as no longer to be apprehended. All the oeuvres which make public appeals are under the patronage of one or other of the Ministries, usually the Ministère de la Guerre or the Ministère de l'Intérieur, and no one disposed to give may feel the slightest hesitation if the literature of the oeuvre displays the proper patronage. There is a good deal of splendid work done privately, like that of Mr. Holman-Black, who contributes practically all of his own income, and is helped by his personal friends, but as these make no appeal to the public they are not under police supervision.

I have become a member of the last and one of the greatest of the oeuvres founded since the war began, and the public may expect to hear from me after I have visited the base hospitals and seen things for myself. I will admit that I was drawn into it unwillingly, for I detest committees, and also being reminded of my duties. But as there was no getting out of it, I shall do my best—and at least will try to make the article more readable than the usual dry appeal.

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ment of the tea plant in the early Spring, and picking and packing. Bureaus have been established in Hankow, Shanghai, and Foochow, to try to do away with artificial coloring and other irregular practices, such as mixing the tea leaves with buds and stems.

The tea trade is concentrated in Hankow and Shanghai. A Central Chinese Tea Association, with general offices in these two cities, has just been formed for the purpose of raising the standard of Chinese tea, and of standardizing it as a product by means of trademarks and uniform prices for different grades so that it can be ordered from samples. Finally, the association will launch a vigorous advertising campaign for the purpose of popularizing Chinese tea in foreign markets.

Tea merchants are beginning to look to the department for assistance. Recently the Hankow merchant sent a memorial to the Ministry, requesting that immediate steps be taken to encourage the manufacture of red tea to meet adequately the demands of the market. The Hankow authorities and the Ministry co-operated to meet the situation, and in a short time the merchants and growers were receiving considerable profit. The measures taken to improve the tea trade have already resulted in the best tea season that China has had in ten years, the export to Great Britain alone showing an increase of 15 per cent. from 169,198,000 pounds for 1913-14 to 189,250,000 pounds for 1914-15. With the increasing interest in making a better article for export there is no reason why China should not take its place with Java, Ceylon, and Japan in tea production and exportation.

In the silk industry not much interference or assistance is necessary on the part of the Government. The silk merchants are among the most wealthy and progressive business people of China, and if they are shown the first necessities in the manufacture of silk for foreign markets they will continue independently along progressive lines. The importation of weaving machinery is being introduced. Collections of samples are being made under the direction of the department of the kinds of silks wanted in foreign markets. Already a large assortment has arrived from the United States. A special mission is being sent to the silk-producing provinces with an exhibit of these samples, and definite instructions regarding the needs and tastes of the foreign buyer. In addition, millions of mulberry trees have been distributed to the farmers of Chihli, Shansi, and Shantung Provinces, and at the same time improved methods of sericulture are being taught.

There are no cotton factories belonging to the Government, but special efforts are being made to develop the cotton industry, and a regular campaign has been inaugurated. An American cotton expert, H. H. Johnson, has been engaged to direct the work of the new bureau, pamphlets on improved cotton growing are being distributed, and men sent out to lecture in the provinces where cotton is grown.

China ranks second in the import of cotton manufactures of all kinds, India taking first place; it takes first place as an importer of yarn, and third place in cotton production, the United States and India exceeding it. About 70 per cent. of the cotton exported from China goes to Japan, the remainder going to the United States. The raw cotton coming into China is imported from the United States and India.

According to the last available statistics, there are approximately 1,000,000 spindles in operation in the Chinese cotton mills, and about 4,500 looms. Over thirty modern cotton factories have been established in six provinces, and more are being built. Recently a contract was placed with a Boston firm for two large spinning mills of 25,000 spindles each, to be built in Tien-tsin. They will be the most modern and well-equipped mills in China. Important factors which make China a splendid field for the development of cotton manufacture are the large market for yarn and cloth of a coarse quality which does not necessitate skill in production, a good supply of locally grown cotton, an abundance of cheap labor, and cheap power, owing to the proximity of coal supplies.

With the organization of railroads and internal arteries of communication the great mineral regions of China will be thrown open to development. In order to



consolidate all the work relating to mining, a special mining bureau has been created under the Ministry of Commerce, with controllers in the different provinces to promote mining enterprises and encourage the people who wish to engage in this industry. A Bureau of Geology is working on a survey of the utmost importance, which will not be completed for ten years. The same bureau is conducting a metallurgical laboratory for the purpose of research and investigation. New mining laws have been passed, and these are more favorable to the development of mining industries. Recently the taxes have been considerably reduced.

The owners of small mines have found it increasingly difficult to operate under the old conditions, and many have deserted their mining to enter other occupations. As a result, China has actually had to buy iron and brass from abroad at high rates, when great unworked fields are lying neglected at home. Every effort is being made to stimulate interest in a large scale in mining enterprises, by introducing modern methods of smelting ores and modern machinery. If blast furnaces and modern machinery were introduced, the output of pig iron, for instance, would be sufficient to supply not only the home market but the markets of Japan and the United States as well. Under present conditions the annual output is only 300,000 tons.

One of the most important of the minor reforms planned by the Department of Commerce and Agriculture is the standardization of weights and measures. The extreme irregularity of weights and measures in China has a fluctuating effect upon the trade of the country. The carpenters, silk merchants, stationers, and various other tradesmen, all use different measures. In the silk trade alone there are three kinds of measures, and weights vary not only from city to city, but from shop to shop. The Ministry sent a special commission abroad to study the methods of manufacturing weights and measures, and preparations are being made for the ultimate admission of China into the International Congress of Weights and Measures.

A Government factory for making weights and measures has been established in Peking, and, with the co-operation of the police, the old weights and measures are being collected from all the shops in Peking and replaced with those of uniform standard, much against the will of the shopkeepers who carry on dishonest practices through the absence of standardization. Special courses

of study will eventually be introduced in technical schools all over the country to fit students to be inspectors in this branch of commerce, and it is hoped that new factories, modeled after the central one in Peking, will be established through private initiative.

Factories and machinery are the two crying needs of China today. We need steel corporations, iron foundries, water power plants, electric lighting plants, smelters, every kind of mechanical and engineering apparatus that will put our country on an equal footing with other nations. America can bring us factories and machinery. The mill wheels in use today are the same as those that were used two thousand years ago, and all the tools in every-day use have been handed down unchanged for centuries. China invented almost all the tools in use by other countries, but China continued to employ the crude original, when other countries were continually improving and perfecting them. We need new tools, modern compasses, planes, farming implements, and we must have factories to make these tools. We can make a beautiful carved brass box or an inlaid one, but we cannot make a simple tin cigarette box, because we have no proper facilities. There is a great field in China for American machinery and American capital to establish factories on Chinese soil for making machinery.

There is no reason why a flourishing trade should not be developed between China and the United States. At present America's import trade in China is equivalent to 8 per cent. of China's total imports, and at the same time this is only 1 per cent. of America's export trade. China wants many concerns like the International Banking Company. A China America Import and Export Company, of which Mr. Liang Shih-yi, Director General of the Customs, is one of the chief promoters, has recently been formed, and all the leading merchants of Tien-tsin, Hankow, Canton, and Shanghai are interested. The company will deal with all kinds of products. A large capital has been subscribed to handle the goods in America, and Chinese business men are

going to America to make arrangements with American firms for buyers, managers, and salesmen in all the principal ports to collect raw materials and manufacture goods.

One of the chief reasons why American trade in China has suffered in the past is lack of effective commercial organizations. Formerly, most of the American trade in China was handled by German or British firms. The Germans, English, and Japanese have been successful in China because they have given the people what they wanted. The British have been in China a long time, and are respected and known to be reliable. The Germans meet the Chinese half way and are always willing to go to any amount of trouble to make their goods satisfactory and to meet infinitesimal demands. In short, they adapt themselves to the Chinese. The Americans can do no better than to combine the best method of the British and Germans.

The first thing that is necessary is infinite patience, for deals cannot be consummated swiftly. It is necessary to win the confidence of the Chinese, who are by nature suspicious of foreigners whom they do not know. A knowledge of Chinese is exceedingly desirable. Americans make the mistake of trying to deal directly with the Chinese, instead of through the comprador. Most important of all in the future will be the methods of partnerships now coming into practice. The Japanese have found out that this scheme works for common interests, and many of them are looking for Chinese partners. America's greatest asset is the good-will of the Chinese people, who realize that whatever capital Americans may bring or whatever enterprises they may establish in China will have no sinister significance back of them.

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for reaching the top. It was because the lapse didn't come last September at Forest Hills that he went triumphantly through Behr, Williams, and McLoughlin.

It is not fair, however, to speak of streakiness, unreliability, as if it were something apart from one's equipment as a tennis player. It is just as much a fault, judged by results, as a weak backhand or a weak service. It was not McLoughlin's brilliancy, but his consistent brilliancy, that made him the wonderful player that he was for three or four seasons. And it is the lack of faith in Johnston's ability to do his best often enough that clouds the hopes of his adherents today.

Everybody has the right to name the winner in advance, and pretty nearly everybody who follows tennis at all is exercising the inalienable right to constitute himself a prophet of the outcome of the tournament that begins tomorrow. So here goes—despite what I have just said of Johnston's mastery of the game, I believe Williams has the better chance to win. He impresses me as having more physical reserve than the champion, as having the lasting vitality that, in an exhausting contest, will turn the trick. As one who is not acquainted with either, and has no personal bias, whose preference is determined merely by the liking for one style of play as compared with another, I should much prefer to see Johnston win; but somehow I don't believe he'll do it.

There are many well-qualified judges who think that, all around, Williams's

form excels Johnston's. In technique, these men say, he leads all American players. But to me, and, I believe, to most of those who follow the game closely, his style does not seem as smooth and easy and graceful as the champion's. For one thing, his backhand stroke appears rather cramped, because of the arm's being held close in; in executing he depends too much upon the swing of the body and does not employ a flowing sweep of the arm. And in all his strokes he lacks the free movement of the forearm which is so pleasing in Johnston's performance.

The quality in Williams's play that most compels admiration is its uncompromising character. As you look at him in action you can imagine him saying to himself: "I know where the ball ought to go and I am going to send it there at high speed. If I fail, I'll try again just the same, I'm not going to let bad shots frighten me into being cautious. No halfway stuff—I'll play the game as it ought to be played." That is why, if he is off on his service and starts in making double faults, he is apt to keep on making them; it is why, on a day when he happens to be inaccurate at the net, his smashes and volleys keep on overshooting the lines. He won't deign to ease up; he keeps on giving his second service the same speed as his first, and from the net he keeps on trying to shave the lines. Dangerous tactics when he is not going well, as has been the case several times this Summer. But when he is on his game this unyielding

policy makes him unbeatable except by a well-trained and perfectly performing tornado on the other side of the net. McLoughlin has been that tornado on several occasions; but two years ago, in the All Comers', Williams's supertennis was too much even for him.

The only time they have met this year, in the East-West series, Williams beat Johnston. It was a five-set match, and the last set was 9-7. The point score was: Williams, 194; Johnston, 193. Is anything more needed than the presentation of this brief record to show what a toss-up it is between these two?

Williams has lost twice to Griffin of California this season, at Longwood and at Newport. Johnston lost to the Japanese, Kumagae, in a five-set match in the finals at Newport. But these upsets, creditable as they are to the winners, are not enough to alter the general opinion that, barring a comeback by McLoughlin, the title is between Johnston and Williams.

If a fourth man is to be the winner Behr will have to be counted the most likely, not because his performances this season have been such as to justify high hopes, but because he has ability of the first order and there is a chance that it will come out at the right time. He is brilliant and erratic. Last year McLoughlin went down before him at Newport, and in the East-West series this month he beat Davis with impressive ease.

Kumagae's victory over the champion at Newport, on top of his other achievements, would seem to mark him as the

most likely after Behr. Griffin's two wins from Williams count for much, but Kumagae has downed Griffin twice. Church has a remarkably good record for the season, and among the possible but not probable winners he holds a high place. He has beaten Pell, Washburn, Griffin, and Murray, and he played Williams a hard five-set match in the challenge round at Seabright. Davis, the newcomer from California, of whom much was heard in the first part of the season, has not come up to expectations, and he is not thought to have any better chance than Pell, Washburn, Mathey, Niles, and half a dozen other of the well-known first-and-second-ten men.

Altogether, the closeness of the contests now at hand—and that they will be close is certain—makes this year's All Comers' particularly interesting. The arrangements that helped to make it such an agreeable spectacle last year have all been duplicated—the ample grand stands, the staff of competent umpires, the special train service on the Long Island Railroad, the scoreboards, the ball boys, and the megaphonic announcements to enlighten the crowd about changes of program and other unusual happenings. The turf courts have been nursed by the authorities of the West Side Club for several weeks, and they are beautifully level and smooth. Tickets carrying reserved seats for the entire series are sold at \$5 each. A single-day ticket is procurable at the gate only on the day when it is to be used.

China's Industrial Revolution Now In Progress

Chow Tsz-Chi, Former Minister of Commerce and Agriculture, Points Out the Opportunities In His Country for Americans

Chow Tsz-Chi, until recently Chinese Minister of Commerce and Agriculture, wrote the following article at the suggestion of two American women journalists. He discusses the industrial revolution that is sweeping through his country and suggests means for development of trade between the United States and China. One of his chief ambitions is to bring China and America into closer social and commercial relations. Chow Tsz-Chi has since the first revolution been Director General of the Bank of China, Vice Minister of Finance, Minister of Communications, Finance, War, and Governor of Shantung.

Although Minister of Agriculture and Commerce for a comparatively short period, he instituted many reforms and created bureaus of research and investigation that have fertile possibilities for the future of China, if placed in the control of honest and patriotic citizens. Having lived twelve years or more in America, his point of view has been influenced by American ideals and his sympathy is decidedly American. He was sent to America in 1896 as student-attaché to Washington, and studied for four years in George Washington University. Later he was Consul in New York, Consul General in Hancow, six years Secretary of the Legation in Washington, and Consul General in San Francisco.

To the uninitiated who knows China only through books that have not followed the changing times, and to the tourist who cannot penetrate beneath the surface, the Celestial Empire means dusty temples falling into ruin, yellow and jade-tiled roofs, porcelain dragons, beggars and bargaining for bits of faded brocade. To them, China is a country of strange superstitions, picturesque customs, and archaic methods of doing business. They do not realize that China is discarding its medievalism very swiftly, and striving to catch up to the Western countries in internal development, commerce, and industry. Her old indifference to the material development of the West is being replaced by a new spirit introduced by a generation of young men who realize that China must turn the way of her ancestors into the sterner and more efficient mold of the twentieth century, if her future is to be assured among the congress of nations.

During the four years of the republic

By Chow Tsz-Chi,

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this spirit has had an opportunity to produce actual results. The Government salt monopoly has been completely reorganized on an efficient basis, a comprehensive railroad scheme embracing seven lines with a total mileage of more than 7,000 has been projected, and partly put through in spite of the European war and the inavailability of foreign funds; a Bureau of Irrigation is making a preliminary survey for channels, a Bureau of Conservancy is engineering and carrying on a war against the floods which devastate certain large areas yearly, cart roads are being built in the provinces, mining is being encouraged by more favorable regulations, large loans have been subscribed by the people of China for the reform work of the Government, and trade and commerce are generally being stimulated.

Perhaps no single factor has been more responsible for introducing improved methods of agriculture and encouraging industry than the Department of Commerce and Agriculture. Under the direction of this department, the first Bureau of Forestry has been established with a young American forestry expert as co-Director; model farms and experiment stations have been opened; a Bureau for Collecting Statistical Data from the various provinces in regard to their trade and commerce has been created; steps have been taken to organize on a large scale the principal industries of the country, such as tea and silk, and to standardize them for purposes of export trade; and in every way the most earnest efforts are being put forward to lift merchants out of their narrow ruts into the wider fields of world commerce.

Agriculture has from time immemorial been the occupation of the masses in China, and therefore the prosperity of the country largely depends on the well being of the farmers. The old Emperor-always took a great interest in agriculture. The Temple of Agriculture in Peking, where the Emperor, dressed in a peasant garb of imperial yellow, offered up prayers for the harvest in a festival very much like the American Thanksgiving, and a vast bonfire of many different kinds of wood was made, and the Temple of Earth, where he came every year during the Summer solstice

to make an offering at an altar composed of white, yellow, red, and black earth, testify to the dignity of the agricultural occupation.

The most impressive imperial recognition was that made at the famous Temple of Heaven, where a compound was set aside for harvest prayers. In the first year of the republic these ceremonies were abandoned, but the people were so displeased that the President was forced to restore the annual pilgrimage to the Temple of Heaven. During the Manchu dynasty a Board of Agriculture, Commerce and Industry was actually established, but nothing was ever accomplished in a serious way. An experimental station was opened just outside the walls of Peking on the road to the Summer Palace, but it was really only for the amusement of the old Empress Dowager, who wanted to see what farming was like. No serious work of a scientific nature was attempted.

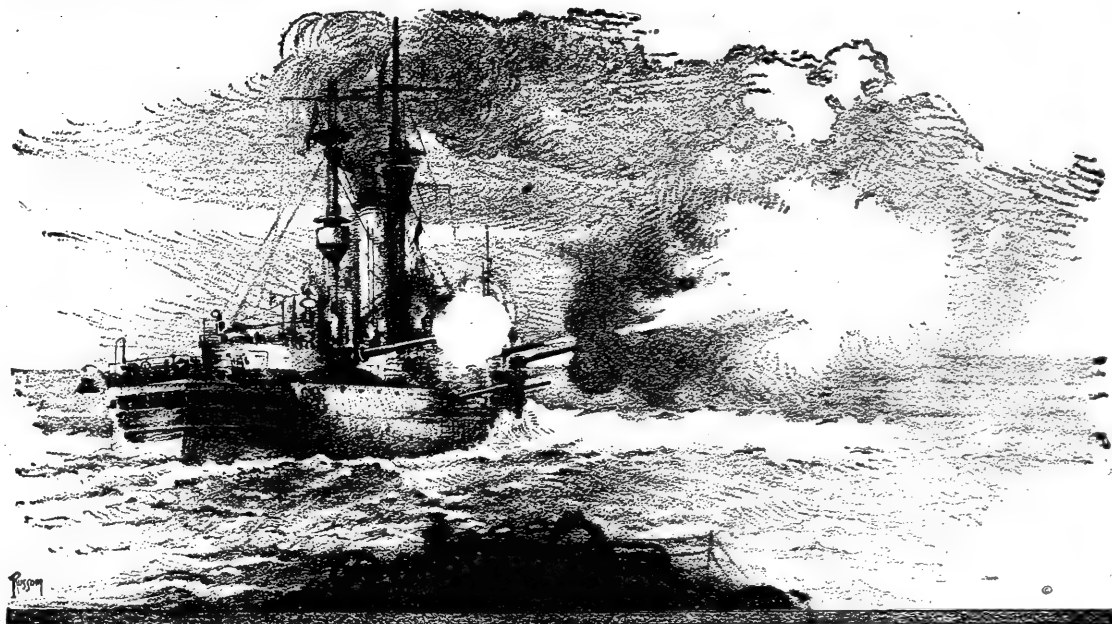
This play farm of the Empress Dowager has been reorganized as the Peking Agricultural Station to help the farmers of Peking and vicinity, and to serve as a radiating force for all the experimental work done in the provinces. Exhibitions and lectures, distribution of seeds and fertilizers, night classes and classes for children, and expert information freely given out at any time gradually are bringing the farmers to appreciate the difference between their own poor and generally unsatisfactory products and the products grown on the model farm. There are now twenty-two experimental stations distributed throughout the various provinces, under the supervision of graduates of the provincial agricultural colleges. Two months ago the administration of the provincial experimental stations was reorganized under the control of the central experimental station at Peking, which is to act as a kind of clearing house for the reports of all other stations. These reports form a basis upon which inspectors will be sent out to give definite assistance where it is needed. Besides the experimental stations, many model farms have been established. In the vicinity of Peking alone there are four such farms, and in the metropolitan district in which Pe-

king is situated there are twenty, each extending its influence over a radius of twenty or thirty miles. Important services are rendered in the improving and analyzing of the soil, in practical demonstration of scientific farming, in distributing improved seeds—wheat, maize, millet, and soya beans; in distributing fertilizers, and in destroying injurious insects.

Another means extensively adopted is the special public exhibit and the annual provincial exhibit of agricultural products, at which selected seeds are distributed, for it has been proved that one great cause of bad crops in China is the deterioration in the quality of seeds. Finally, in more than twenty provinces conferences of farmers have been held, and local farmers' organizations have been established in 207 districts. Agricultural experts are being trained more and more in the provincial agricultural colleges, but large numbers of them have gone to foreign countries, principally Japan and the United States, to receive their education.

Closely allied to the educational propaganda and scientific experiments in agriculture are the efforts of the department to induce merchants to form organizations for mutual benefit, and to improve the quality of standard articles for exportation. It is almost as difficult to get the business men to co-operate and adopt progressive methods as it is to make the farmer see the necessity of farming scientifically. The tea trade, which should be one of the most prosperous of all in China, has been rapidly declining before the increasing popularity of Ceylon and India tea, partly because there has been no association among merchants to push sales abroad and control market prices, and partly because no effort has been made to improve the color and taste, so that China tea can compete with teas from other countries.

The Ministry of Commerce and Agriculture has established an experiment station at Keeman, Anhui Province, which is the best tea-producing center, to show the producers how to plant, fertilize, gather, manufacture, and put the tea on the market. Rewards and bonuses have been offered to the most successful producers, and the tax on tea lowered for their benefit. Circulars have been sent to the Provincial Governments giving concise instructions regarding the treat-



British Dreadnought Firing a Broadside.

The opportunity was recently given me to see some of those 6,000 being built. For one hour we steamed down a river—steaming right along—and we saw nothing but vessels under construction! Battleships, cruisers, torpedo boats, trawlers, mine sweepers, monitors, tramp steamers, submarines, lighters, colliers, oilboats—every class of ship! Imagine steaming up the Hudson for an hour and seeing nothing but ships, set one against another, on both banks of the river. Night and day, seven days in the week, those yards were working.

"They must be built—they must be built!" That was the chorus pounded out by the hydraulic rams, rattled out by the riveting machines, roared out by the blast furnaces. And they are being built. Since the outbreak of the war England has launched, as an addition to her navy, a new fleet, the equal of Germany's alone! And at the same time she has continued to hammer out merchant ships that the Allies may not lack supplies. She has been able to do this because her ship-building resources are so immense. The shipyards of one district alone can produce double the output of the enemy; those of the United Kingdom can equal the output of the world.

The building of ships, however, is not the only requirement. Those ships must be kept in condition, in the pink of condition. And there must be no delay. Witness the aftermath of the battle of Jutland. For two days the English fleet had been driven to the limit—wracked by gunfire, strained by forced speed, pounded by shells. The fleet must be refitted. Jellicoe steams home—400 miles. He puts into port. How long does it take before his ships are reported ready once more for battle? Just five hours! That's efficiency! Emphasis has always been laid on the efficiency of the German Army. The British Navy has been forgotten. It is not so dramatic, and it is secret.

The visitor to a naval base will probably be disappointed. There is no rush, no clamor. Things appear very easygoing. But everything is ready. Word comes that his Majesty's ship Indomitable will arrive at 5:45 P. M., and desires so many tons of coal, so many gallons of water and oil, and so many rounds of ammunition. And at 5:45 P. M. H. M. S. Indomitable does arrive, is immediately surrounded by supply ships, and in a few hours is on her way to sea. The average length of time necessary to refit a vessel on patrol duty is from two to four hours. All is organized for speed. "Must" is the only word in the vocabulary.

Modern navies are highly developed. Units are nothing. Unity is everything. The fleet must be well rounded, having its proper complements of destroyers, light cruisers, battle-cruisers, and battleships. It is teamwork that counts. Back of that fleet must be a huge organization of men and equipment to keep the ships in trim—dry docks, floating cranes, colliers, tank steamers, machine shops—to

supply it, repair it, rebuild it. What is the use of having the fastest, heaviest, and most superlative battleship in the world if it can't be coaled or repaired?

Given the ships, given the dockyards, given the organization, there still remains, perhaps, the most important factor—men. In the last analysis it was the men who won the battle of Jutland. The present war has demonstrated that all nations are brave in the face of danger. But under modern conditions of naval warfare that is not sufficient. It is a question of nerve or "sang froid" or cold-bloodedness, or whatever you choose to call it. Thus, at the beginning of the battle, the German gunnery was excellent. The British are the first to admit it. But, when the German ships began to be pounded, then those gunners went to pieces. They couldn't stand the strain. You must have men who have been so thoroughly trained that they aim their guns as accurately when the ship is sinking as at target practice, who can figure elevation and range and speed during the roar of shell fire.

To exemplify: We were discussing—an officer and I—the strength of armor plate, and I asked if the turrets could withstand the big shells. He said they could and added: "But it's rather unpleasant for the gun crews. It's like putting your head inside a drum and having somebody beat it. Most of the men are generally stunned!" But, stunned or not, those men have to fight those guns. In American slang, that is "guts"—the peculiar characteristic of the British sailor—the characteristic that broke the Armada, that won Tra-

lugar, that turned the battle of Jutland into an English victory.

Recognition of their duty and determination to do that duty at all costs—that is the spirit of the navy. There is no show about it. Officers and men are pleasant and cheerful, taking what comes as all in the day's work. They do their duty because doing their duty is their profession. Here is an illustration:

After the battle an official who was being shown over a ship was taken to the galley to see the hole made by a shell in that very useful room. There he found the cook. "How did it happen?" he asked.

"Why, Sir," drawled the cook, "it come about this w'y. I was a'standin' 'ere 'old-in' the pot in me 'ands, and a bloomin' shell come between me an' the pot."

"But," said the official, "weren't you frightened?"

"Frightened, Sir? No—not exactly frightened, but I felt a bit sweaty-like."

"And what were you doing, cooking during the battle?"

"W'y, Sir, you see I cook for the officers, and I kind o' thought that, after the battle was over, they might be a bit 'ungry-like, and so I was a'cookin' them up a little somethin'."

He was there to cook, and he was cooking, Admiral von Scheer or no Admiral von Scheer. Quite simple.

Or take the story of the Captain—commander of one of the super-dreadnoughts. Throughout the battle he had remained at his post, imperturbable, giving his orders briefly and making no comments, until it happened that the gunnery officer trained the huge 15-inch gun on a German destroyer and blew her clean out

of water. The Captain calls up the officer on the telephone, and in that slow, English fashion asks:

"Was that necessary?"

That was all. The officer understood. The Captain was right. It was an unnecessary waste of big shells when smaller calibre would have served the purpose. Only when in danger of being torpedoed one forgets occasionally the virtue of economy.

That is the spirit of the navy. In the galley or on the bridge, it is the same. Officers and men have been trained to do one job—to fight. They have been taught that the honor and safety of England has been, is, and always will be in the keeping of the navy. There lies the difference between the British Navy and the German Army. The German military caste feels that it is the country. Insolent, overbearing, cruel, the German officer looks upon a civilian as an inferior and treats the private soldier as a machine. In the British Navy the human element is never lost. Courtesy is a requirement. The pride of the navy is not the pride of superiority, but the pride of the service—the pride that an empire has been entrusted to them.

If ever the value of an efficient navy has been demonstrated, it has been demonstrated in this war. Slowly, but with constantly increasing pressure, the British fleet is throttling Germany. The power of the navy is silent but relentless, gradually choking the vitality of the enemy. The Germans know it. They knew it in August, 1914, when England declared war. That is one of the reasons for the "Hymn of Hate"—it is the hatred of fear!

Interesting Facts from Many Lands

A MERICAN chewing gum is becoming popular in France. American methods of advertising and selling it are being introduced there, and, as a result, the demand is rapidly increasing.

Women workers in Germany are proving a success as substitutes for men at the front. It is believed that the training now being obtained by a large body of women in work, ordinarily done by men in factories, offices, banks, &c., will be valuable when peace is restored in bridging over the effects of the war on various German industries, enabling them to reach normal conditions more rapidly.

Plans are being prepared for a new biological station of the United States Bureau of Fisheries at Key West, Fla. An appropriation of \$25,000 in addition to an unexpended balance from a previous appropriation is now available for building it. The new station will be provided with a small, permanent staff, including a scientific director and an assistant. Facilities will be furnished for

a number of investigators who will be employed from time to time on the study of fishery problems, and for students of marine biology who wish to carry on research work in the vicinity, where conditions are especially favorable for such work.

It is suggested in Paris that the Rue de Sofia in that city, named after the capital of Bulgaria, have its name changed to Rue de Serbie in honor of France's Serbian allies.

Since the ice began to break up in the White Sea of Russia, there has been a rush of shipping to Russia's far northern port of Archangel, which, since the beginning of the war, has assumed great commercial importance. About fifty large steamers arrived there recently, of which three were American. Railway facilities out of Archangel have been considerably improved since last year. It is stated that an average of from 300 to 400 freight cars now leave Archangel

daily, and there have been days when as many as 1,000 cars have left there for interior points in Russia. Two other Russian White Sea ports, Kem and Soroka, have broad-gauge rail facilities now, and it is expected that much freight will be handled from them within the next few months.

An American Chamber of Commerce was recently established in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, to further closer relations between Americans in business in Brazil and their countrymen trading in similar lines in the United States and other countries. The Honorary President is the Hon. Edwin V. Morgan, American Ambassador to Brazil. Among the Honorary Vice Presidents are Dr. Lauro S. Muller, Minister of Foreign Relations of Brazil, who has made two visits recently to this country, and Dr. Domicio da Gama, Ambassador of Brazil to the United States. The Chamber issues a magazine devoted to the furthering of its objects.

England Has Built New Fleet Since War Began

American Who Recently Visited the English Fleet Says War Vessels Added to Her Navy Equal Germany's Naval Forces

By Morton Peabody Prince.

ON May 31, 1916, the British Grand Fleet, under Admiral Jellicoe, came into contact with the German High Seas Fleet, under Admiral von Scheer, off the coast of Jutland. In the language of officialdom, this describes the commencement of the greatest battle, not only of this war, but in the history of modern naval warfare.

Far-spreading in its effects, both on sea and land, the battle of Jutland, even at this date, remains a mystery. Both fleets claim victory. Statement and counterstatement have been advanced. The importance of this battle was again emphasized by the news on Aug. 20 that the German fleet was once more at sea, but that, on encountering the British scouts, it had put back to port. Did Jellicoe, therefore, on May 31, destroy the fighting efficiency of the German Navy or not? Will von Scheer make another sortie? Those are the questions which every one is asking. If, in accordance with their statements after the battle of Jutland, the Germans are strong enough to defeat the British fleet, they should make some attempt to break the blockade other than by the use of a few submarine blockade-runners. Which, then, are more accurate, the reports of the German or the British Admiralty? In regard to their own losses, the Germans have acknowledged that, at first, they withheld a complete statement. It was my good fortune to have the opportunity of testing the accuracy of the German claims in regard to British losses.

Through the courtesy of the British Admiralty permission was given me to see something of the British fleet—especially Admiral Beatty's squadron, which had received the attack of the entire German High Seas Fleet, and a large part of which the Germans claim to have destroyed. It is not permitted to name places. It is sufficient that we boarded a torpedo boat and proceeded (as Kipling says)—one always "proceeds" in the navy—to that well-known "somewhere," and that in due course of time we proceeded to see the fleet.

If one can sum up that fleet today in one word, that word is "ready." And "readiness" in the British Navy means "readiness." One would expect to see the gaping shellholes, the wrecked masts, the disabled guns of the traditional sea story. As a matter of fact, those ships are as fit today as ever—scarcely a sign of the hell they have passed through. As for those "extra" ships which the Germans claim to have destroyed, it is only necessary to say that they are not only floating, but are in the pink of condition for another "go" at von Scheer.

Take the case of the Warspite. The Germans had sunk her daily for a week in their newspapers. And they had good reason. The Warspite is one of the very latest and most powerful vessels afloat. She was built to deliver the maximum blow at the maximum speed. And she does it. When she hits, something happens. She can stand a terrible pounding, too, as was proved in battle. Her steering gear jammed and she ran in a circle—the target of the entire German fleet—but she gave as good as she got, and when things had settled down and the Germans had disappeared she returned home at twenty-one knots to the hour, which, for a "sunk" ship, is passable. They laid her up in a dry dock—she had been bruised a bit—and in a few days she was ready once more for the German High Seas Fleet.

The story of the Warspite is an average example, not only of the value of the German statements, but also of the fighting efficiency of the British. Each ship played her part. It may be as well to mention here a few of the more famous, which we had the good fortune to see:

The Nicator, one of the telegraphically-sunk-by-the-Germans. While making an attack on the battle cruisers, she was caught by a sudden turn of the enemy; but, instead of escaping, she stood on, "though under a terrific fire," until she could let slip her torpedoes.

The Southampton: She led a scouting expedition into the jaws of the German dreadnought squadron, just to supply Beatty with urgently needed information. "Southampton's reports were most valuable," laconically remarks the Admiral.

The Princess Royal and the Birmingham: Both of these ships the German Admiralty have set down in the "British losses" column.

The Lion and the Tiger, in regard to which The Scotsman printed the following account:

The work of the two famous vessels, the Lion and the Tiger, is notable because of Beatty's command of the first and the German belief that the second had been sent to the bottom many months ago. The Lion was where the fighting was hottest, expecting once, when there was concentrated upon the Tiger such a volume of fire as few vessels ever experienced and survived.

The sudden alteration of the German's course, as their struggle to escape began, threw the mighty Tiger under the fire of more than a score of ships. The ordeal lasted ten minutes, but the marvel is that the Tiger should have steamed back to port. The Lion,

which received less serious punishment than in the Dogger Bank fight, was hit several times, but escaped the most desperate efforts to torpedo her.

Whether or not the public today recognizes the battle of Jutland as a British victory makes no essential difference—except to the German people. Victories are not a matter of votes, but of facts. And one fact stands out clearly: That the English fleet still commands the seas. That is the primary result. The English Navy is not concerned over the general appreciation of the secondary results. They know that in a fair battle they can defeat the Germans; they know that they have seriously damaged the fighting efficiency of the enemy fleet; they know that the ratio of their superiority has been enormously increased; and they know that they have tested their ships and their men under the most severe conditions, and that they have made good. That is sufficient. History will award the laurels. This is no time for praise. There is just one task—to sweep the seas.

It is difficult to realize the magnitude of this task, largely because the work of the navy must be carried out in secret. And in the British Navy reticence is the sine qua non. It is not only a matter of necessity, but a matter of traditional pride.

Here is a list of the more important accomplishments of the British Navy in the present war:

1. It has bottled up the German fleet in its harbors. Picture what would have happened if the Germans had been able to use their powerful navy to attack the Allies' coasts. Calais would be Prussian and Paris a tributary of Berlin.

2. It has kept the trade routes open, so that the Allies may obtain food and supplies. That does not appear difficult on paper, but think what it means—all commerce raiders had to be swept from the ocean and kept off. One escaped some months ago, and the papers of the

world were headlined with the news! The submarine blockade had to be smashed. It was smashed. The English are catching submarines in their own waters as fast as the Germans are building them. Since the outbreak of the war only 10 per cent. of English shipping has been destroyed by torpedoes. Finally, the waterways must daily be swept of mines. When you arrive in England you will see the waters off the coast swarming with trawlers, fishing for mines, and you will find your path neatly cleaned that you may pass—for the Germans are not overparticular as to mines.

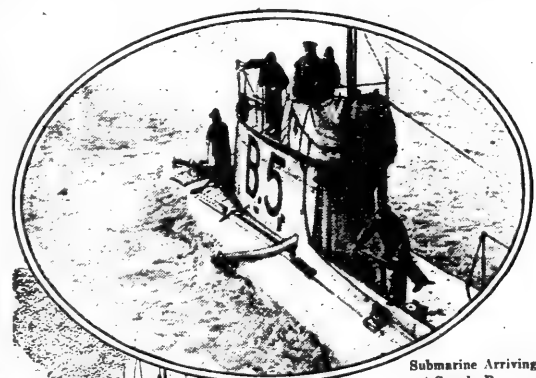
3. It has carried on naval operations in every part of the world. Observe some of the more famous scenes: Falkland Islands, Samoa, Flanders, Tsing-tao, Suez, Dedeaghat, the Persian Gulf, East Africa, Saloniki, the Baltic. It must be ready for anywhere at any time. To appreciate this, spread out a map and imagine yourself in charge of those operations; and do not forget that all the time you must hold the German fleet in port and keep the seas clean!

4. The navy has convoyed the Allied troops across every ocean. Here is a specific case: For two years it has convoyed Kitchener's army back and forth across the Channel—that is, every day—and has never lost a ship! There would be no British offensive today were it not for the navy.

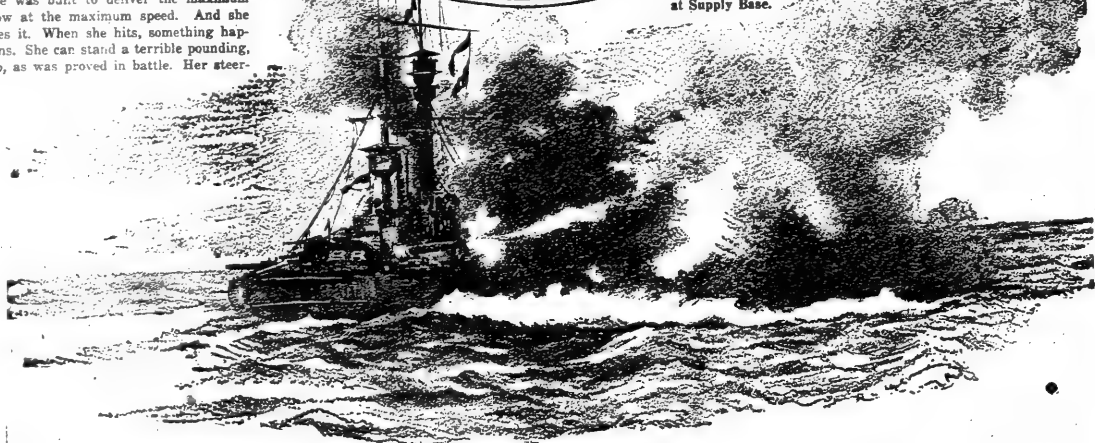
5. It has blockaded Germany. Violent arguments are indulged in as to whether or not Germany can be starved or whether or not to call the blockade a blockade. But the fact remains that the Germans not only are unable to obtain munitions, food, and supplies from outside sources, but also their overseas commerce has been paralyzed. Where are the German merchant ships today? Where are the German goods? One may discuss the theories and technicalities of a blockade indefinitely. But let the doubter charter a vessel and try to reach Germany.

Such is an outline of the work. Take the patrolling of the North Sea alone. From the Orkney Islands to Norway is roughly 300 miles. Not an enemy ship, not any ship must slip across that line. The weather in the North Sea is bad. Storms and fog are the ordinary run of things. Imagine patrolling that 300 miles in a fog at night. Nice job, that! The British Navy has done it, is doing it, and will do it, just as the navy has carried out those other duties and carried them out well.

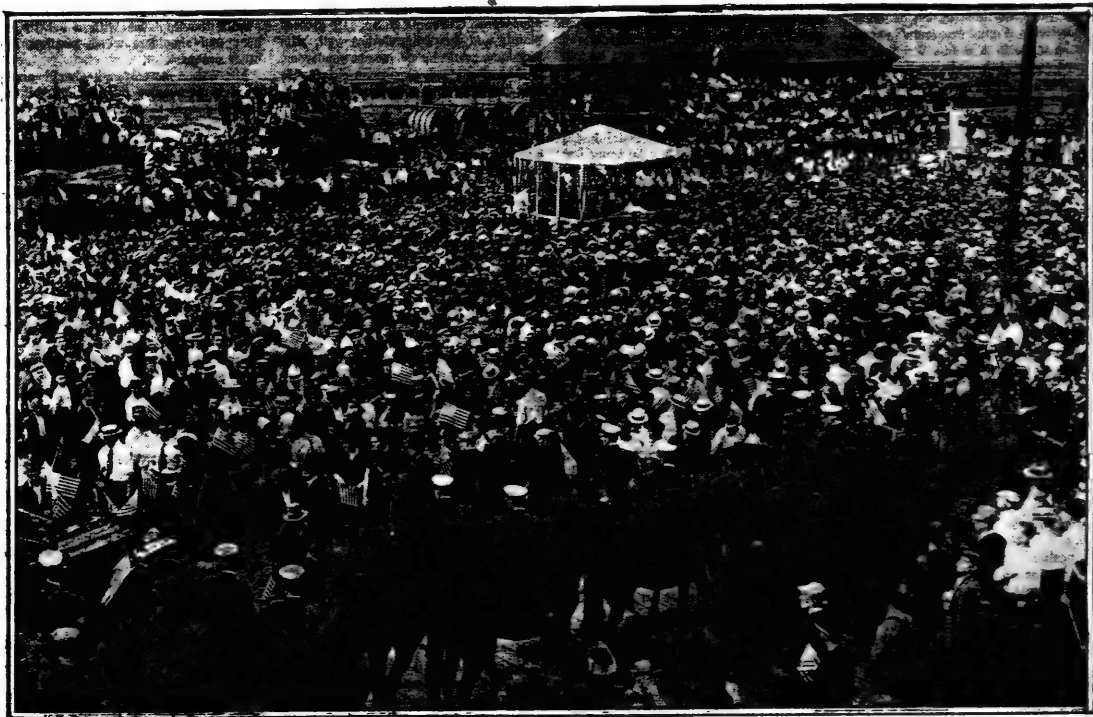
To accomplish so vast a task, ships have been necessary—ships of all kinds—plenty of ships! Today there are under Admiralty orders at least 6,000 ships.



Submarine Arriving at Supply Base.



Dreadnought Firing Her Battery of Four Twelve-Inch Guns.



Mr. Hughes Addressing a Crowd of 15,000 Workmen at a Big Detroit Automobile Plant.

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Hughes Is Proving an Effective Campaigner

His Vote-Getting Methods Compared With Those of Wilson and Roosevelt by One Who Has Seen All Three in Action

THOSE who saw the Republican nominee for President run along the uncertain platform of the railroad station at a ranch town in North Dakota recently to shake hands with a youthful cowboy mounted on a fiery little mustang found it difficult to conjure up the picture of a solemn visaged Justice of the United States Supreme Court with the name "Charles E. Hughes" beneath it.

It was for Mr. Hughes himself to provide the key to the situation, to explain the mystery surrounding the change which had come over him since he left the bench to journey forth into the country and win a place among political orators and campaigners such as Roosevelt, Wilson and Bryan.

"When I was a Judge," he said, "I was 100 per cent. Judge. When I am a candidate for office I am 100 per cent. candidate."

Certain it is that no candidate has developed with more rapidity into 100 per cent. campaigner than the Republican nominee. Men talked of him as an effective orator when he was sent into doubtful States of the Middle West in 1908 to turn the tide in the proper direction for William Howard Taft. Lately many have recalled the Hughes of 1908 in order to compare him with the Hughes of 1916. The Hughes of today has not suffered by that comparison. In fact, it is conceded pretty generally that, after two weeks among the people, he is running at top form.

The explanation for this is simple. It is not supplied by the nominee, although he may realize it. Mr. Hughes is playing in a bigger game than ever before in his career, and he has come into closer touch with the American people—closer, probably, than he believed he could come. He admits with the utmost frankness that he has found the sturdy and unflinching cheering of the people of the Middle West and West, when directed at himself, inspiring. Mixing with them—and Mr. Hughes has actually mixed—has done him a world of good.

Mr. Hughes has arrived at a happy

medium between the methods employed by Colonel Roosevelt and President Wilson when those skilled campaigners go out upon the stump. In other words, he is a bit more spectacular than Wilson and less spectacular than the Colonel. He nearly stole the Colonel's style soon after the opening of his Western tour, when he jumped upon the concrete roof of the players' bench at the baseball park in Detroit, after announcing, unprompted, that he wanted "to shake hands with the boys." All that was lacking to complete the picture was a certain vigor of action and vocal eruption on which the Colonel has a corner. The well-known "How are you?" spoken with a rising inflection on the last word, was the best Hughes could do.

The surprising thing about it to everybody who witnessed the picture was that Mr. Hughes could do it at all without appearing ridiculous. And he didn't; he just looked for all the world as if he were enjoying himself to the full for the first time in his life. Onlookers felt like shouting: "Hey, that stuff belongs to Teddy!" But after they watched Mr. Hughes for a time and saw him pose for a picture with Ty Cobb, the Georgia peach, who, by the way, was easily too more embarrassed of the two, the inclination to call out derisively passed by. Then everybody felt like saying: "Gee, look at Hughes!"

And so it has developed that in this campaign, unless the jovial Mr. Taft may be listed as an exception, Mr. Wilson is the only political orator of the first magnitude who is cleaving to the line of absolute decorum. According to the dope sheet, and working from the most spectacular in deeds, if not in words, down the scale, they ought to run about this way: Fortissimo, Roosevelt; forte, Hughes; piano, Taft; pianissimo, Wilson.

Mr. Hughes finds himself sorely handicapped in any effort to out-Roosevelt Roosevelt. To begin with he does not possess the Colonel's tremendous physique and vitality, which send that doughty political warrior hurtling about the country like a runaway locomotive

that has solved the secret of perpetual motion. Whiskers also count heavily against him, as they assume a certain measure of dignity in action. Then, too, the nominee's vocabulary, while comprehensive and capable of handling almost any situation that arises, lacks a certain explosive power that none except a Roosevelt could attain. Hughes can be vigorous in both word and action—this campaign has proved that much—but he never can be picturesque.

The mixture of Hughes and Roosevelt, which is to be put before the American public during the remainder of the campaign, ought to prove an effective one. Roosevelt proved himself the same vigorous campaigner as of yore in his recent fight in behalf of preparedness and Americanism—there wasn't a detail lacking—and Hughes has developed beyond the hope of his most ardent admirer. Where Roosevelt is needed to take the voters by the scruff of the neck and shake the ballots out of their systems into the Republican melting pot he has promised to go. The campaign as conducted by Hughes himself lacks little in vigorous utterance, biting sarcasm, and systematized attack upon Democratic policies and Democratic leaders from the President down to the Tammany leader—the nominee has been a surprise to himself in that regard. It will be Roosevelt's job to add the final touch in the Roosevelt sections where that touch is needed.

Any one who thinks of Mr. Hughes as the quiet type of orator has drawn an entirely inaccurate picture. Hughes, in action as a political orator, is as far removed from Hughes the Supreme Court Justice as Bryan is from the Presidency, a simile employed because it relieves the mind of all doubt as to the nominee's present status.

Where the President seeks to get home his point by persuasive utterance and graceful gesture, the Republican nominee waves eloquent arms or smashes one open palm against another, ending with a vigorous body movement which gets head, shoulders, arms, and hands into the sentence along with his

voice. All of the calmness of thought, all the restraint which the first glance at the man suggests, are put aside once he is under a full head of steam.

President Wilson, in his trip last January in behalf of his preparedness program, made extemporaneous speeches and was then at his best. Many who heard him expressed the belief that the enthusiasm of the crowds carried him away; that in some utterances he went further than he would have gone had he prepared his manuscript in advance. But he got nearer to the people then than ever before, and in watching them seemed to sense what they wanted to hear.

Mr. Hughes went into this campaign without a word prepared on paper except his address of acceptance. That address was a disappointment from the viewpoint of the finished orator, because he read it and stuck relentlessly to the text. The concentration of mind attendant upon such a delivery robbed the orator of much of his power.

Once out upon the stump, free to think as he went along, free to build his talks to the American people as the situation demanded, Hughes was a different man. The first volley of applause at Detroit awakened him to the full sense of the power of words to stir. He forgot all about the years spent upon the Supreme Court bench; he forgot restraint; he forgot that it was nearly seven years since he had raised his voice to win approbation—he let loose his faculties and powers.

There had been some talk of advance manuscripts for several of the speeches after that. It was dropped. In his mind he sometimes sketched briefly what he was going to say, and sometimes many of those thoughts were forgotten in the exhilaration of delivery. Mr. Hughes found his brain working rapidly as of old, his gift for the selection of words coming back with renewed power. After one brilliant bit of oratory in a Western city he was asked how he came to frame the declaration.

"I don't know myself," he replied.

Perhaps Colonel Roosevelt, of the three, is the most accomplished orator in that regard, although both Mr. Hughes

Is Spelling Reform, Ten Years Old, a Success?

Professor Brander Matthews Finds That the Public Has Had a Change of Heart and Is No Longer Contemptuously Hostile

By Professor Brander Matthews
of Columbia University.

IT was on Aug. 27, 1906, exactly ten years ago today, that President Roosevelt issued his order to the Public Printer directing him thereafter to use the briefer orthographies in a list of 300 words recommended a few weeks earlier by the newly organized Simplified Spelling Board. Although this act of the President was overridden a little later by Congress, it instantly aroused the interest of the world and it served to focus attention upon the chaotic condition of English spelling.

The characteristically courageous act of the Chief Magistrate immediately awakened resentful opposition. This naturally surprised those who had already given consideration to the subject and who were convinced that the time had come when a concerted effort was needed to ameliorate the orthography of our noble tongue. Of course, this surprise, however natural it may have been, was unreasonable. The attack on President Roosevelt and on the Simplified Spelling Board was not only violent, it might fairly be described as rancorous. Many estimable persons were outraged by the suggestion that the spelling of English, which they had acquired painfully in their youth, was no better than it should be, and they were the more vehement because they believed themselves to be defending their reasoned opinion, whereas, in fact, they were only expressing their unreasoned prejudice.

Even if the Simplified Spelling Board had been newly established, the movement for the amelioration of our orthography was no new thing, and it had had the support of many distinguished men. In 1875 the American Philological Association, which contained the foremost linguistic scholars of the United States, expressed its desire for an improvement in our unsatisfactory orthography; and as a result a Spelling Reform Association was started in 1876. In England the Philological Society (the British equivalent of the American Philological Association) also took up the question; and in 1883 these two bodies of experts in language, one in Great Britain and one in the United States, joined in proposing a long list of orthographic improvements. Unfortunately, these suggestions of two learned societies made no impression upon the general public on either side of the Atlantic, perhaps because they were too many, perhaps because they seemed at first sight a little too radical, and more probably because there was no enterprising organization to call attention to them and to push them into use.

Later support came from a new source. While linguists were offended by the unscientific condition of our spelling, and while men of letters were shocked by its chaotic absurdity, teachers were perplexed by the problem of imparting this chaotic and unscientific spelling to children of tender years. These teachers knew better than any one else how much valuable time was wasted in getting by heart long lists of words; and they also could not help seeing that this not only imposed a needless task on the memory, but also compelled the child to surrender the use of his reason. After he had learnt *seed*, he had to learn *precede* and *proceed*; he had no analogy from *leave* would help him to the spelling of *believe*. So it was that action was next taken by the National Educational Association, probably the largest and most comprehensive organization of teachers anywhere in the world.

For fear of getting too little because of asking too much, the National Education Association chose only a dozen simplifications for immediate adoption. The Twelve Words put forth by the N. E. A. in 1898 were *program*, *catalog*, *decalog*, *prolog*, *pedagog*, *tho*, *alho*, *thero*, *thoroly*, *thorofare*, *thru*, and *thruant*. Of these *program* was probably the least offensive to the Old Guard, as it was already widely used. *Catalog* was also fairly familiar; and it carried with it *decalog*, *prolog*, and *peda-*

gog. *Tho* and *alho* were not uncommon in unceremonious correspondence; they were of a highly respectable antiquity; and they had been used by Tennyson in the final edition of his poems. *Thero*, *thoroly*, and *thorofare* were also not exactly novelties, even if they might appear strange to many. But *thru* and *thruant* aroused the most excited protests. They were denounced as diabolical specimens of orthographic mayhem. This exuberant irritation again confirmed the justice of La Rochefoucauld's assertion that "our vanity is less tolerant of the condemnation of our tastes than of our opinions."

Hitherto spelling reform had been advocated chiefly by scholars. Professor Francis A. March of Lafayette, twice President of the American Philological Association, had declared that it was "of no use to try to characterize with fitting epithets and adequate terms of oburgation the monstrous spelling of the English language," and Professor Francis J. Child of Harvard insisted that "one of the most useful things just now is to break down the respect which a great, foolish public has for the established spelling; some have a religious awe, and some an earth-born passion for it." Similar opinions were expressed by Max Muller, Murray, Napier and Sayce of Oxford, by Skeat of Cambridge, by Hadley, Whitney and Lounsbury of Yale, by Barnard of Columbia, and by White of Cornell. But the discussion had been academic; and the action of the National Education Association brought spelling into the sphere of practical politics. The adoption of the Twelve Words showed that something could be done—showed, indeed, that something had been done.

Believing that the time was ripe for a forward movement, a little group of advocates of amelioration succeeded in securing the financial support of Andrew Carnegie; and early in 1906 they organized themselves into the Simplified Spelling Board and invited scholars, men of letters, and men of affairs to join them. It is scarcely too much to say that all the leaders of linguistic science, American and British, accepted membership in the board. Very notable was the fact that its list of members included the editors of the six most important dictionaries of the English language—Sir James Murray and Dr. Bradley of the Oxford, Professor Skeat of the Etymological, Dr. Wright of the Dialect, Dr. Harris of Webster's, Dr. B. E. Smith of the Century, and Dr. Funk of the Standard. The first President of the board was Professor Lounsbury of Yale, who was in time succeeded by Professor Grandgent of Harvard. And among the men of letters who showed their approval by accepting election to the board were John Burroughs, G. W. Cable, R. W. Gilder, William James, T. W. Higginson, Theodore Roosevelt, Mark Twain, and Andrew D. White.

Knowing the dislike of the English-speaking peoples for any sweeping system of correcting ancient abuses, and knowing also the liking of those peoples for tentative and piecemeal improvement, the new body refused to commit itself to any scheme of radical phonetic reform. It planned to move along the line of least resistance and to begin the simplification of our spelling by striking out letters hopelessly superfluous—as the National Education Association had done in the Twelve Words and as our forefathers had done when they shortened *phenomenon* to *phenomenon*, *phantastic* to *fantasy*, *acra* to *cra*, *fyshe* to *fish*, *sunne* to *sun*. So desirous was the Simplified Spelling Board of arousing as little opposition as possible that in its first list of Three Hundred Words in simpler spelling it did not include a single novelty of its own. It chose all these 300 examples from the words spelt in two or more ways ordinarily listed at the back of the dictionary; and it urged everybody to use al-

ways the simplest form—*honor*, (and not *honour*); *gipsy*, (not *gypsy*); *controller*, (not *comptroller*); *anesthetic*, (not *anæsthetic*); *dram*, (not *drachm*); *check*, (not *cheque* or *cheque*); *hiccup*, (not *hicough*); *jail*, (not *gaol*); *maneuver*, (not *manoeuvre*); *plow*, (not *plough*); *steadfast*, (not *steadfast*); *wo*, (not *woe*).

The first list of Three Hundred Words issued more than ten years ago did not contain any simplifications due to the board itself, which soon found that it had better not undertake a widespread propaganda until it had made a sifting of the words which could be simplified either by the omission of needless unsounded letters or by a respelling in accord with the prevailing usage of the language. And this was found to be a task of unexpected difficulty, demanding a consideration of a large proportion of the immense vocabulary of our language. Certain omissions were obviously easy; others were possible, but doubtfully expedient; and yet others were inadvisable. In 1908 a second list was published, in which many of the apparent novelties were actually revivals of the older form corrupted often by ignorant printers—*goat* and *agast*, for example, (into which Caxton had inserted a needless *k*), *det* and *dout*, (into which the sixteenth century had inserted a misleading *k*). A third list followed in 1909; and a fourth appeared in 1913.

Two or three years ago, however, the board found that it had gone about as far as it could in this direction and that it had better refrain from any more advanced suggestions until it could succeed in arousing a wider and deeper interest in the public at large. For the moment it stopped manufacturing goods and resolved to concentrate all its force on selling the goods it had in stock. The more active members of the board were aware that no very wide impression had been made. Indeed, many persons believed that the movement for simplified spelling had died out. As a matter of fact, the number of adherents had been swelling year by year, steadily if slowly; and the board was encouraged to believe that a more vigorous campaign would be productive of satisfactory results. To prepare for this new work it reorganized its office and enlisted the aid of field agents—travelers sent out to show goods and to sell goods.

As there was little likelihood that many grown men and women could be persuaded to change their orthographic habits, even if they were in hearty sympathy with the movement, wisdom dictated the policy of trying to get at the young before their habits had become ingrained. This method of approach also took advantage of the fact that teachers were already more or less won over—the instructors in the grade schools because they suffered and saw their pupils suffer from the illogical absurdities of our present spelling, and professors of English in the universities because their researches had deprived them of any respect for the accepted orthography. And in this appeal to the institutions of learning the Simplified Spelling Board made progress with a rapidity as gratifying as it was unexpected.

As a result of the activity of the devoted field agents the Twelve Words of the N. E. A.—and often also the rest of the Three Hundred Words on the first list of ten years ago—are authorized by the Faculty or officially adopted in some one hundred and seventy-five normal schools, colleges and universities, from Nova Scotia to Oregon and from Minnesota to Texas. The number of instructors in these institutions is nearly ten thousand, and the number of students is only a little short of one hundred and fifty thousand. On this list are the State universities of Arkansas, Florida, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Maine, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Oregon, South

Carolina, and South Dakota. And at the meeting of the N. E. A. in New York in July, attended by 50,000 teachers, it was voted to adopt in all its publications one of the rules for simplifications recommended by the board—the use of *t* in the place of *ed* when *ed* is sounded like *t* and when the change does not affect the pronunciation, i. e., *first* for *fixed*, *blest* for *blessed*, *kist* for *kissed*. (These strong preterits, it may be noted, have always been preferred by the poets, especially Milton and Tennyson.)

The field agents were instructed also to secure the sympathy of the local newspapers and to urge their adoption of at least the Twelve Words. Until this special campaign was started very few daily newspapers had shown any sympathy for the movement, although simplified spellings had been adopted by certain weeklies, monthlies, and quarterlies. The example of *The Independent* had been followed by *The Literary Digest*, by *Current Opinion*, and by *The Pictorial Review*, and *The Educational Review* had been joined by *The Quarterly Journal of Economics* and by the *Proceedings of the Modern Language Association*. But not a single important daily paper had seen fit to take any steps in advance.

In July, 1914, less than forty periodicals had shown practical sympathy for the cause by the use of any of the simplifications specifically recommended by the board. But in July, 1916, the number using at least the Twelve Words of the N. E. A. had swollen to more than 250, with a circulation of over 14,000,000 copies. And this growth has been very largely in the field of daily journalism. Among these recruits are papers as well and as widely known as *The Philadelphia North American* and *The Chicago Evening Post*, *The Waterbury American*, *The Burlington Hawkeye*, *The Cincinnati Post*, and *The Cleveland Press*. In Denver *The Express*, *The Post*, *The News*, and *The Times* have all been converted and are all using at least the Twelve Words.

Quite as important as the adhesion of these dailies is the accompanying change of tone even in the newspapers which have not taken an affirmative stand. In 1906 when the Simplified Spelling Board issued its first list of Three Hundred Words and when President Roosevelt issued his order to the Public Printer, the attitude of a majority of American newspapers was hostile, to put it mildly.

Now, after ten years of discussion and enlightenment, this hostility has died down. Even if it can still be detected here and there, now and again, it is scarcely ever as violent as it was. Apparently what has happened is what Professor Child hoped would happen—the breaking down of that superstitious respect for the established spelling for which most people seem to have had either "a religious awe" or "an earth-born passion." The public as a whole has begun to see that the accepted orthography is only an accidental condition, due to a variety of causes; and that it is in no way sacred. It has discovered that our spelling has never been fixed, that it has varied from century to century, and that it is certain to be modified in the future as it has been in the past.

In other words, there are many signs that the public as a whole has experienced a change of heart. It is not yet very friendly toward simplified spelling; but it is no longer rancorously and contemptuously hostile. Its resistance is now passive rather than active. And to say this is to say that the advocates of simplified spelling have every reason to feel encouraged, even if comparatively few persons are now following all their recommendations. It is not by the circulation of the newspapers which have been converted, it is not by the number of teachers and students who have been enlisted that the success of the Simplified Spelling Board can best be gauged; it is by the very remarkable change in the attitude of the public.

Engine Room Sketches by New Literary "Find"

William McFee, Who Runs an Ice Machine on a British Auxiliary, Writes of Life in the Mediterranean Transport Service

By William McFee

William McFee, who wrote the following war sketches dealing largely with life in the British transport service especially for THE NEW YORK TIMES MAGAZINE, was described by James Huneker in last Sunday's issue as "a writer of genuine power," who possesses the "gift of projecting upon paper vivid images that instantly evoke a character, a place, a situation." Mr. McFee has been called "a second Conrad," but he reminds Mr. Huneker more of Dickens, especially in his humorous passages. He is an Englishman, born at sea in 1881, and has been a steamship engineer for the last twelve years. At present he is serving as an engineer officer on a British transport in the Mediterranean. The articles published below, which present an extraordinarily animated picture of a service hitherto neglected by war writers, were written at Saloniki, the base of the allied armies which are now fighting in the Balkans. Mr. McFee is the author of "Letters from an Ocean Tramp," "Aliens," and "Casuals of the Sea," the latter soon to be published in this country.

SALONIKI

TRANSPORTS! Never did single word cover so many diverse meanings. Strictly speaking, in an official sense, a transport, I suppose, is a vessel, noncombatant, but employed by the navy to convey men and materials to the scene of action. That's all right and easily grasped. What the public does not divine so easily is the infinite variety of the service rendered, and the ludicrous character of some of the vessels employed.

We have this, however, in common—we are all gray. Some have grown gray with age, others have lost much in splendor since being taken on. In the old days, this one on which I write, for example, called her XYZ99, used to sail out of Liverpool every six weeks for South America, her hull painted snowy white, with a yellow yacht-like funnel; her teak decks spotless and unincumbered, her officers like Solomon for wisdom and like the lilies of the field in that they toiled not neither did they spin. She was a "liner." Stray ex-Presidents of Central American republics did not disdain to escape to Europe in her. It may be of interest to mention that it is a habit of ex-Presidents, when escaping, to present the commander with a gold watch. United States ex-Presidents please note.

Yes, in those days, XYZ99 was a thing of beauty and a joy forever. She had a name, a reverberating Spanish-American name, that has never been pronounced correctly yet. Now, like a convict, she has a number, XYZ99. Her white hull is painted war-gray, as is her funnel. Her name is painted out and on her navigating bridge hangs a shingle with her number painted in white. Instead of a pleasant company of ladies and gentlemen and children traveling to the West Indies for pleasure, her saloon is a blend of khaki and navy blue. Her cabins are incumbered with officers' kits, her music room is turned into an office, and often you will find war-worn Lieutenants and Captains sleeping on her smoking room cushions, for the accommodation is limited. Or, you will find the cabins empty, save for a French airman and his mechanics going to a fresh field of glory, the foredeck blocked with cases as large as boxcars, wherein are the parts of his aeroplane. But whoever it may be or where, the motto is "Strictly Business." Nothing is polished for show, the decks are dark and greasy with cargo dirt, and the white paint of the interior is getting dingy. Very sorry, it's war time. By and by we'll clean up.

Other transports there are, some much bigger, some contemptibly small. By the way, this war has shown conclusively that the monster liner is a white elephant. Everything which makes her desirable in peace is against her in war, except speed. It is like turning the Plaza Hotel into a

cotton factory or a cold storage. Grim stories come from Liverpool of the way the great Atlantic leviathans were converted into transports, stories of costly ceilings torn away with crowbars, of staircases demolished with flogging hammers to make way for horses and guns and coal. But the medium-sized vessel is better suited to the service of troops. When you get 5,000 soldiers on one ship, as has been done often enough in this war, you raise questions of sanitation and feeding and police supervision that do not arise when the ships are smaller.

Some are very small. I call to mind one wee craft flying the white ensign of the Royal Navy; call her the Angel's Kiss. That isn't her name, but it is something like it. Before the transport officers swooped down upon her I believe she was engaged in carrying coal from

of my own job of running an ice-machine—well I can't help wondering if some of us won't be silent, too. We shan't cut much ice when the VCs and DSOs and DCMs come home. And our children will look at us with earpest, reproachful eyes. They will look up from the pictures of bayonet charges and bomb-rushes, the pictures of destroyers spitting death at submarines and aeroplanes diving like hawks upon their prey, and we shall hear the question: "Daddy, what did you do in the great war?"

I fancy a good many of us will take refuge in silence!

LIFE ON AN AUXILIARY.

ISUPPOSE it is as difficult to realize one's self part of a great fleet as it is to imagine one's self an instrument of Providence, or one of the molders of des-



William McFee with Two Chinese Sailors on Shipboard.

Glasgow to the little coast towns of Scotland. Scarcely as large as some steam trawlers, with a tiny pilot house forward and a slender, battered funnel sticking out of her poop, she now runs troops and stores up and down among the island-cluttered seas of the Near East. She has two officers, Lieutenant and second Lieutenant, and their snowy uniforms and gold-laced epaulettes contrast strangely with the muddy decks and dingy bulwarks of the Angel's Kiss, R. N. Transport. I am not sure that they are pleased with their billets. Imagine it—the Second Lieutenant was chief officer of a big Canadian liner in peace times. He joined up, and, after long waiting, they sent him to be second in command of this prehistoric vestige. Which is the fortune of war. The next man on the list probably got appointed to a superdreadnought. Complain? No; my friend on the Angel's Kiss did not complain when he told us of it. He had merely come aboard to get some magazines to read. But, being in the business myself, I imagine he gets a bit sick of her at times.

In fact, when I reflect upon the strange and motley nature of the jobs we in the transport service are filling I recall with a smile a certain advertisement which we used to see on every wall in the days before conscription. It was a picture of a clean-cut middle-aged man with his little daughter on his knee. She is reading an illustrated history of the war, and she looks up and asks: "Daddy, what did you do in the great war?" And he is silent.

Of course, the moral is that he did not enlist and is silent from shame. But when I think of some of the men I know and the strange work they are doing, when I think of the men who sit all day by a scale and tally meat, of the Corporal who carried \$25 in one day selling us bits of a wrecked Zeppelin, of the Lieutenant chasing a gang of Arabs unloading barbed-wire, of the budding Jellico seated aloft on a motor-lighter piled twenty feet high with hay, when I think

tiny or anything else too big to grasp. Very few of us who are serving our King and country in the auxiliary departments ever see, do, or say anything that would make a stranger feel we were indeed some of the infinitely small pieces of grit that are slowly grinding the Prussian war machine into dust. Only once in eight months have I heard a word that indicated any such sentiment in our breasts. The Chief Officer, one of those delightful altruists who are generally described as "nobody's enemy but his own," once remarked to me that we ought to have medals as well as the men in khaki because we were doing as much as they were, many of them. To this sentiment I cordially assented, and I was grieved a few days later to hear that he had gone ashore in Port Said, got thoroughly jungled, and was absent without leave for thirty-six hours! A sad climax to a burst of patriotism. That, however, is by the way.

What I was going to say is this: That this war has in a very real and definite sense "begged description." Any man who endeavors to get the hang of it all will inevitably hang himself in despair before he has crossed the Channel. Several gentlemen have already done so, I believe. The mortality among war correspondents has never been so high. And after all what do their efforts amount to? In spite of all their admirable lucidity I am convinced that the American public has no clearer notion of the great movements than we have here on the spot. And the attitude toward the war among those engaged in it is crystallizing into entire indifference to what is happening except in their own immediate vicinity. Soldiers and sailors are now like the London policemen—they know nothing about anything except what lies on their own particular beat.

A naval officer in Egypt to whom I applied for certain information told me he did not read the papers at all. I described to him with considerable detail the destruction of a Zeppelin which I had witnessed up here, and he was aston-

ished. He confessed to certain information about enemy aeroplanes, inasmuch as one of them had hurled a bomb into a yard next to the house where he lived, but, "of course, the aircraft people were looking after that." Outside of his own special work, which consists of searching neutral vessels before permitting them to enter the canal, he is not interested in the war. In the same way, I was entertained with the blank dismay in the face of a Lieutenant in the army here when I sought his opinion of the possible developments in Greek politics. His job was to edit a penny newspaper for the amusement of the British troops in Macedonia. What went on in Athens he neither knew nor cared.

And so it is, I am afraid, with us. Our job is to keep up certain supplies of foodstuffs for the army and navy, and our interests have not much scope beyond that homely office. One or two enthusiasts on the ship waste through arduous by military experts; but, alas! military experts have not been happy in this war, and we lose confidence as days go by. Some, like myself, pay real hard money for a boat to go ashore when allowed, and wander about, but there is not much to learn. The last time I was here I had the excitement of sitting on the roadside in a dense cloud of white dust and watching scores of motor lorries, loaded to their marks, rushing northward into the mountains. At last, I thought, the Allies are moving. The Chief, who had been cruising about in one of the ship's boats, snaphotting views, told me some one had told him they had heard that we were moving. It went around the ship. I told my news and everybody woke up for a moment and took notice. Well, that was six weeks ago, and now we learn that it was only stores for the Greek Army, who were starving somewhere on the frontier!

The fact is ninety-nine per cent. of the press matter published about the war is unadulterated flubdub. There are two reasons for this. The first one is obvious. The Allies are rightly determined to stop all leaks. My this hand drop off if I divulge a single secret! I don't know any, but that is by the way. The second reason is the ignorance of the writers, which leads them to present a false view of the lives of us who are engaged in the great adventure. I was much struck by reading an article, a special article, in a great London daily, called "Life in the Grand Fleet." Now here is an example of what I call a false view. After reading that article a resident in, say Birmingham, England, or Birmingham, Ala., (both inland towns,) would test under the impression that the men in the Grand Fleet spend their time running round the decks to keep fit; eating, polishing brasswork, and talking an absurd back slang that nobody ever has or ever will understand. This same resident would have no suspicion that the warship was provided with any machinery, any coal, light, provisions, or stores. He would conclude that a naval war was conducted exclusively in daylight, (hence the new Daylight Saving Bill,) for he is informed that most of the crew "turn in" to their hammocks, (observe the nautical flavor of "turn in" in common,) at night, though he is informed that when at sea watches are kept.

Now what do you know about that? Contrast the reality.

In this ship, a mere transport spending most of her time in port, watches are kept continuously. The boilers, the pumps, the dynamos, the motors, the refrigerating engines, never stop. Some of us have been on continuous watches for nearly eight months. Time ashore, time to smoke, time to write a letter, must be snatched from sleep. Day and night a watch is kept for signalling. In port, mind you. At sea, of course this holds good, with the addition of a constant watch day and night on the gun platform, on the lookout ahead, on the bridge, in the wireless house. How much more then in the fighting ships, who keep our

and Mr. Wilson are close upon his heels. One of the best illustrations of Roosevelt's activity of mind was found in an address he made in a Middle Western city during his preparedness campaign in May.

He had read that President Wilson had said he was in favor of universal training which was not compulsory. In his address delivered, perhaps, fifteen minutes later, the Colonel coined the expression "weasel words," to describe the President's utterance.

"What made you think of that expression," he was asked later.

"It's hard to explain what made me

think of it," he replied. "Thirty years ago I knew an old guide and he told me about the habits of the weasel. If you placed a weasel alongside an egg, he told me, the weasel would bore a hole in it and suck out all the meat. That was exactly what President Wilson did. He favored universal training for military service, but not compulsory training. He used words in favor of a good thing but he sucked all the meat out of them by the words which followed his declaration. I don't know what made me think of it at the moment; it just popped into my mind."

Mr. Hughes presents a distinguished appearance on the platform. He dresses plainly and wears his clothes well. His physique, while by no means ponderous, is that of a sturdy American citizen. He stands erect, with shoulders well back. His smile is cordial.

While in action these qualities are at their best. He never forfeits dignity, but rather mixes it with vigor. His voice is full chested and far reaching. He puts everything into his voice when he is endeavoring to make a point tell with his audience. He jumps into a breach at full tilt and keeps hammering

away until he maps off his sentence and awaits the applause with a set to his head and shoulders which predicts another outburst.

Mr. Wilson more often begins his argument in persuasive tone, building it up skillfully until the moment for the final smash, and his style has proved effective in all addresses where the situation was one to his liking. He uses words with a cunning and nicety that mark him as a master at his trade and obtains unquestioned forcefulness of utterance by the style of oratory he has chosen.

Ten Reasons Why I Shall Vote for Wilson

Professor Irving Fisher of Yale Tells Why He Believes the Democratic President Should Be Re-elected to Carry On His Work

By Irving Fisher,

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IN politics I am an Independent, one of that body of voters, not large at present but increasing in numbers, I believe, who distrust so-called "party loyalty," that is, rubber stamp voting, and believe, instead, in voting for one party or another according to one's convictions as to the best interests of the country at the time. It is through the existence of an independent vote that public opinion can exert its chief influence.

I was present at the three conventions in Chicago and St. Louis, attended some meetings of their platform committees, was present at Mr. Hughes's ceremony of acceptance, and have read carefully the important documents and speeches of the campaign. After careful consideration I have joined the Wilson Independent League. I believe thoroughly that the best interest of the country requires Mr. Wilson's re-election.

I expect independent voters in general to vote for Wilson. I may add (for the superstitious) that all the Presidential candidates for whom I have hitherto voted, beginning in 1888, have been elected. My chief reasons for voting for President Wilson are the following:

(1.) The so-called issues of "Americanism," preparedness, the Lusitania incident, the Mexican situation, and all others that have grown out of foreign affairs, appear to me to be merely "red herrings across the trail," intended to put the public off the scent. I have little doubt that, by diverting attention from themselves to these trumped-up issues, the Republican "old guard" hope to "put over" on the public another "Payne-Aldrich" tariff. They expect to work the war and Mexico for all they are worth to both hide and guide their own private interests after the election. The real joker in the Republican platform is a plank which, when the time comes, if it does, will be solemnly cited as a mandate from the people for restoring the good old-fashioned high protection.

The Republican candidate is thoroughly orthodox on this subject. I have no doubt of Mr. Hughes's sincerity. For him, personally, I have the highest esteem. But it is often the man who most sincerely believes that the interests of the country coincide with the special interests that pay the campaign expenses, who is, unwittingly, the most willing and the most dangerous tool of these special interests. A man who is sincerely misled himself will succeed in misleading others in cases where a corrupt or subservient tool would fail.

The "old guard" naturally laughed at any suggestion to make protection the paramount issue. They are carefully putting the soft pedal on protection in order to make full use of vague campaign phrases like "Americanism" to capture votes. But when, after the Republican party is elected, the time comes to legislate, it will be found, I fear, that protection is the very essence of Americanism, preparedness and patriotism. The "old guard" can well afford to lie low and bide their time. They know that "protection" most easily flourishes after the interruption of commerce by war and that, consequently, in the next few years, there is sure to be a revival of protectionistic fallacies and proposals all over the world. This, it seems to me, is all the more reason why we, in America, should see clearly whither we are tending in-

stead of drifting backward, before we realize it. In other words, it behooves us to know in advance what sort of legislation our votes will lead to.

It was the civil war which made protection appear to be "American," and through this perversion of ideas gradually turned our Government over to the domination of private interests. It took us a generation to realize that we were being used as beasts of burden by special interests.

Every informed voter knows that as the infant industries grew they were not left to shift for themselves, as was originally intended. Being big and powerful, they contributed the big funds to Republican campaign expenses and, after election, received renewed, often increased, protection in return. Such purchase of legislation is "within the law," but it has always seemed to me almost as great a scandal as the corresponding, though less legal, purchase of State Legislatures by railways or of city governments by public utility corporations. The "education of the public" in favor of protection by which even the laboring man has been made to believe that it is for his good has been, for the most part, subsidized. The protected interests have had speeches written for Congressmen, have paid the expenses of printing large editions, and have distributed them under Government frank. That such so-called protection had become a national scandal, a prostitution of public interest to private interests, was, in effect, recognized by Mr. Taft and other conscientious Republicans. But his Administration only demonstrated how difficult it is for a party which draws its financial support from protected interests to revise the tariff against these interests.

(2.) Moreover, quite irrespective of the moral issue in "protection," it seems to me bad national policy to keep the tariff longer in politics. The election of Mr. Hughes would surely do this. That of Mr. Wilson would at least go far toward dropping the tariff out of politics and toward taking politics out of the tariff. It is worth noting that if such a result can be accomplished through a tariff commission it will certainly not be through a tariff commission appointed by protectionists.

Mr. Hughes is talking of efficiency and consistency. Our Government and our nation cannot become efficient, nor enjoy a consistent continuous national policy, by seasaw legislation on the tariff. Our people, including most Republicans, have recently decided on revising the tariff downward. We shall merely make a mess of it if we do not adhere to this new policy.

(3.) I have not agreed with all parts of Mr. Wilson's Mexican policy, but I believe that, at heart, it is sounder than that which Mr. Hughes seems to endorse. Few of the American people realize, as Mr. Wilson realizes, that here, too, is a case (and a far worse one than American protection) of special interests capturing a Government in their own behalf. The people of Mexico have, I believe, been exploited by a handful of unscrupulous foreign capitalists, including some Americans who, through Diaz, virtually robbed Mexico. Diaz virtually took the

lands and liberties of the Mexican people and sold them to foreign concessionaires. These exploiters, or their agents, sought to continue the system through the assassination of Medero and the elevation of Huerta.

We must have order in Mexico, and we owe it to our citizens to protect their legitimate investments in Mexico, but we also owe it to Mexico and to our own national ideals not to help to restore that kind of order, or protect that kind of investment, by which Mexicans have been systematically robbed. Moreover, I doubt if real and permanent order in Mexico will be possible which is based on the unjust methods and ideas of a Diaz.

(4.) So far as our relation to European affairs is concerned, I do not think that we shall become more efficient by swapping horses while we are crossing a stream. A change may plunge us into war, and it would certainly, in the four months between election and inauguration, paralyze our foreign policy completely. From November to March may be among the most critical months of the war. If Mr. Hughes is elected, neither we nor foreign nations will know, during that interim, exactly where we stand.

We must remember that the practical question is always as to what is best to do next, not as to whether what has been done was the very best; almost any action may, in the light of subsequent events, be found to be in partial error. It is always easier to find fault than to show what could better have been done. In general, Mr. Wilson has accomplished the objects at which he has aimed, and for the chief of these—peace—the country should be profoundly grateful. Moreover, this peace has been a peace with honor. We must not be misled by foreign criticisms or gibes. People in the intense and fanatical excitement of war will always find the neutral exasperating, whatever he does. To them he is an "enemy in disguise," a "coward," a "weakling," a "hypocrite."

As a matter of fact, Mr. Wilson has stood firmly and, as was proper, without being bellicose, for American rights and the maintenance of international law. He almost single-handed has maintained international law—against other nations, against some of his own party, and against a large number of Republicans, who, after the Lusitania disaster, showed by their votes on the McLenore resolution that they were willing to surrender our right to travel on foreign vessels.

(5.) There is another great danger, to our national efficiency in voting the Republican ticket. If Mr. Hughes is elected the Senate will probably remain Democratic. Only a Republican landslide can make the Senate Republican, and of such a landslide there seems no prospect. It seems unlikely that the Republicans can retain all sixteen of the Republican seats which will be vacated, and at the same time win half of the eighteen Democratic vacancies. Yet a victory as complete as this must be won in order even to obtain a Republican majority of one vote.

I hope the time may come when we shall correct a political system in which such deadlock is possible; but at present

we voters are confronted by a condition, not a theory, and must act accordingly.

(6.) The Democratic platform is more progressive and effective than the Republican. Its plank on public health, for instance, is the best which we have yet had in any national platform. This means, I hope, that this great subject, the basis of the statesmanship of Lloyd George and other European leaders, will soon be brought before the American people as never before.

The plank on woman suffrage is also more progressive than the Republican. Mr. Wilson is more careful than Mr. Hughes to avoid giving the impression of making promises beyond his party's platform, promises which he cannot give any guarantees of keeping. But he is, I have reason to believe, at heart more of a suffragist than Mr. Hughes. Mr. Hughes seems to accept woman suffrage as a sort of necessary evil; he would marry the suffragette to get rid of her.

(7.) I think the Democrats have kept faith with the people and deserve reelection on their record. Taken as a whole the Wilson Administration has been more constructive than any previous Administration for a generation. The Federal Reserve act, the Underwood act, the Child Labor act, and a half dozen others of importance are a monument, and an imposing one, to Mr. Wilson's efficiency in proposing, preparing, and pushing legislation through Congress. It is also an earnest of what we may further expect of him in carrying out his party pledges if re-elected.

(8.) I also think that Mr. Wilson has withstood, with remarkable firmness, the tremendous pressure of office seekers and maintained, as well as any previous President, especially at a change of Administration, the principles of civil service reform. The attempt to prove the contrary has failed.

(9.) Like many other voters, I am repelled, rather than attracted, by a campaign of carping criticism in which the speeches of the Republican candidate consist chiefly of fault-finding, even where faults are not to be found, ignoring virtues, even where they are obvious, and proposing nothing definite of his own. Ridicule is a cheap political device which ill befits Mr. Hughes.

No human Administration was ever faultless, and I, for one, respect Mr. Wilson for his frankness in publicly correcting himself when convinced of error. It is the fool who never changes his mind and the knave who never admits it. I find myself losing respect for certain politicians who claim infallibility, whether the reason be pride, cowardice, or political prudence, and yet make their own mistakes every day.

(10.) Finally, whatever mistakes have been committed constitute a safeguard against further mistakes. All experience consists of trial and error. In other words, four years' experience constitutes, in itself, a reason for re-election. I am a strong believer in re-electing to a second term any President who has in the least merited re-election. Eight years continuous office holding affords considerably more of that efficiency in administration of which Mr. Hughes speaks than "turning the rascals out" every four years. And few administrators learn more or faster from their experience than President Wilson.

After-Treatment of Child Paralysis Victims

How One Hospital Restores Muscular Power by Scientific Massage and Electric Treatment Under the Guidance of Physicians



Massage in the Treatment of Infantile Paralysis in the Hospital for Deformities and Joint Diseases.

ALTHOUGH infantile paralysis has proved to be one of the most baffling diseases which the physicians of the country have ever been called upon to deal with in epidemic form, it is known that certain after treatment often lessens the loss of muscular power and sometimes prevents the young patient from being crippled for life. As a consequence, New York doctors are urging the parents of stricken children to obtain special treatment, which includes massage and electric stimulation of the affected muscles, and a number of hospitals and dispensaries are co-operating with the health authorities so that the treatment may not be confined to the wealthier classes.

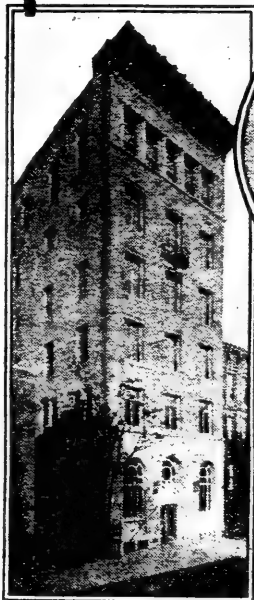
One of the institutions which will give free treatment to all who cannot afford to pay a private physician's fee is the Hospital for Deformities and Joint Diseases, which has opened the new dispensary building at 41 and 43 East 123d Street for this purpose. In addition, the Board of Directors has determined to give gratis to the deserving poor such braces as may be necessary in the course of treatment. This hospital is said to be the largest orthopedic institution in the world, and its methods of after treatment for paralysis cases should, therefore, have a wide interest among physicians in all sections of the United States.

A corps of forty trained masseurs is employed by the hospital to give massage and Swedish movements under the guidance and direction of physicians in charge of the department for paralysis cases. The effect of massage may be classified as follows: Mechanical, reflex, thermal, electrical.

1. The mechanical effects are by far the most important, but the others should not be overlooked or forgotten. They consist of the interchanging of cell contents under the influence of alternate pressure and relaxation; a quickened movement of the blood in the capillaries, especially in the muscular tissue; increased activity in the movement of the areolar fluid; acceleration of the currents of both blood and lymph in their respective channels.

2. The reflex, or purely nervous, effects of massage are obtained by light stroking and percussion. The former produces results which can only be explained on the supposition that it acts as a stimulant to the reflex system of nerves, the force used not being sufficient to account for any change on the mechanical theory.

3. The thermal effects of massage and



Dispensary of the Hospital for Deformities and Joint Diseases, 41 and 43 East 123d Street.

movements are almost too apparent to need scientific demonstration; every one is familiar with the fact that both muscular contraction in the form of ordinary exercise and simple friction develop bodily heat in a striking degree.

4. The electric effect of massage results partly from the development of the surface heat, partly from the surface friction, partly from the attrition of the muscular fibres and cells, and partly from the nerve stimulation and chemical action.

"We give to the muscles involved a sinusoidal current," said a member of the hospital staff, "alternating with a combined galvanic and faradic current that contracts seventy-two times a minute, synchronous with the heart beat; and I regard this as an aid in the effect. It is known that contraction of the muscle can be obtained by means of an electric current when none can be obtained by the will; hence, this is a valuable means of retaining and developing the muscle fibre until it comes under the guidance of the mind.

"Although many differences of opinion prevail as to the application of the sponge electrodes, we are in the habit of applying them at the origin and insertion of the muscles or muscle groups in-



Muscle Education in the Treatment of Infantile Paralysis in the Hospital for Deformities and Joint Diseases.

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involved, always laying stress on the importance of approximating the origin and insertion of the muscle as nearly as possible. For instance, in treating the personal group, these muscles being most frequently involved, one sponge is placed over the middle third of the outer side of the fibula, the foot flexed as much above a right angle as possible, while the other sponge is applied over the insertion of these muscles on the outer side of the foot. In this way, the bellies of the muscles are relaxed and a contraction is made more easily.

"Much foolish stress has been laid on the reaction of degeneration, and it can be proved, from a large practical experience, how deceptive it may be. It is said that a failure to obtain a muscle contraction by a galvanic or faradic current is an evidence of degeneration of the muscle fibre and that no improvement can be looked for in this paralyzed condition in the future. Do we fail to obtain a contraction in most cases? No. We find that the cutaneous surface will not tolerate the pain of the current and we must desist before contraction takes place, for most of the cases occur in children under 5 years of age, who see no reason for enduring the electrical pain. This is even true in other cases, when the age of the patient and his cutaneous tolerance are greater; the strong current may give no reaction and still reappearance of function may occur.

"The strength of the current used should be the weakest that will produce a contraction, and it is never to be used after contraction of the muscle ceases, nor longer than from two to three minutes on any particular muscle group, or from six to twelve minutes on the body at one séance. If this method is followed the child will not cry from pain or have its nervous system upset by too long-continued electric treatment. It is to be regretted that the worst results have

been in children of physicians who have had an excess of treatment; that is, electricity given from one-half an hour to an hour daily."

On the fifth floor of the hospital, where there is a separate male and female division, one finds a corps of competent physical culture teachers to guide the children in going through the normal movements before a mirror. If they are not competent to do the movements themselves, they are aided by the teacher until the muscles again come under the control of the will.

It is known that when motion is guided by mental concentration, the sulci in the gray convulsion in the brain presiding over this motor area are increased, as well as the calibre of the nerve going from the cortex to the periphery. It has been demonstrated by Anderson of Yale and others that when a person is securely placed on a body balance and concentrates his mind on an extremity, the hyperemia thus produced tips the body balance in the direction of this limb.

The hospital authorities advise the use of the bath at home, this being regarded as a valuable adjunct in treatment. Attention is drawn to the value of immersion of the affected limb in warm water from 95 F. to 102 F. for twenty minutes each night.

Owing to the fact that the Hospital for Deformities and Joint Diseases will probably be compelled to care for from 1,500 to 2,000 cases of infantile paralysis, many of which will have to remain in the wards, a special effort is being made at the present time to raise \$1,000,000 for a new building to take the place of the structure at 1919 Madison Avenue. A building with a hospital capacity of about 400 beds is required, and the Board of Directors hopes that work on the new structure may be begun early in the Fall.

coming-out? How much more in the fighting ships upon whom all, absolutely all, depends, who carry their hundreds of tons of explosives, who must travel at such breakneck speeds, who must think and do in a flash? Out there in the gray mist they ride, greyhounds of steel—Beatty fought his battle at thirty-one knots—and all the papers can find to tell us of the throbbing life in those steel walls is that the deckhands run round the decks every day to keep fit!

PORT SAID.

I OFTEN find in my letters the query: "What is Port Said? Tell us about Port Said." The fact is, there is very little to be said for Port Said, either in peace or war. In the old days the seafaring man would tell you in his non-committal fashion that Port Said was nothing. I came here years ago, and found that, allowing for temperament, the seafaring man was about right, which is unusual. Artists and writers, with the lurid imaginations of their class, have painted Port Said as a sort of Oriental perdition, a haunt of hours and nautch-girls, with opium-smoking, can-can dancing, and Arab devilry thrown in. Which reminds me of the reply I got from a wealthy citizen of Chicago when I asked him if the terrible tales I had read of his home town were true. "I have lived there twenty years," said he, "and I find it a very agreeable city." I dare say if you asked any Greek who has lived, a prosperous gentleman, in Port Said for twenty years, that he would say the same.

Port Said is a small town existing solely by, for, and on the Suez Canal. It is, if you like, a by-product of the canal, and like most by-products, it smells a bit, but has its uses. Before the war it was prima facie a coaling port. Here the great liners from India and Australasia, from China and Japan, replenished their bunkers and water tanks and ice boxes. Here the humble tramps with sugar from Sourabaya, jute from Kurachi, wool from Brisbane, or cotton from Bombay did likewise and their crews bought fresh clothing, cigarettes of Turkish and Egyptian tobacco, (which they didn't like,) Turkish delight, (which they did,) and a lot of junk for the folks at home. Here the skippers foregathered in the bar of the Eastern Exchange Hotel and told tall stories. Clustered behind the Custom House were a few streets of small shops and one or two large stores where passengers, allowed ashore during coaling hours, bought astonishing vestments and week-old copies of home papers. Straggling out behind all this lay the Arab town facing the blue Mediterranean, an unprofitable neighborhood. Southward, beyond the ranks of coal lighters and repair shops, stretched the silver-streak of the canal. Northward, like a long, gray finger, pointed the breakwater with its statue of De Lesseps, a proud, sad figure holding out one hand toward his life's masterpiece. And that, humanly speaking, was all there was of Port Said. Whether you were outward-bound to Yokohama or westward to Boston, you were not sorry to get away from its blazing heat, its omnipresent coal dust, its exorbitant prices, and its abominable sand-laden desert wind. A good place to get away from.

Now there is all this with a difference. The civilian passenger, whether friendly or neutral, must remain aboard while the vessel is in harbor, whereby the merchants of small shops and stores aforesaid have raised an exceeding bitter cry. And why was this? Well, I am given to understand that during the first year of the war Port Said contained more spies to the cubic yard than any other port in the Mediterranean. The hotels were jammed with them. Officers could not find accommodation. Soldiers merely had to ask the first stranger for the price of a drink and, behold! the welcome liquor flowed. So I am given to understand! It was obvious that only a great power operating on a comic opera basis could permit such a state of affairs to continue. It is well known, of course, to readers of Mr. William Le Queux's novels that Continental spies winter in Egypt to recuperate their healths. The probability is that 50 per cent. of the normal spy population of Europe were cut off in midcareer by the sudden slamming of the doors in Egypt, for that is the British way. They let things slide and slide. Civilians fume and newspapers foam at the mouth and call for a new Government or a fresh

commander. And then all unaware the heavens fall, things happen, some one gets shot at sunrise, and civilians and newspapers are off on another scent.

It was like a man with flies in his room. By an adroit movement he traps most of them in the meat safe, but there will be still a few around that will have to be swatted individually. The last time I was in Port Said I saw on the hotel notice board a description of a German spy who was wanted and for whom a reward was offered. The description led me to wonder how such a strange figure could escape notice except in a freak show. Also how on earth, if the authorities knew him so intimately, even to tattoo marks on his back, did they ever let him go again? I should imagine the lot of a spy in Egypt these days is not happy.

Since the ex-Khedive bolted, as he had been planning to do for years, for when I was in Alexandria in 1911 he was away, buying large estates in Asia Minor, and Prince Hussein Kamel Pasha was raised to the Sultinate, Egypt has been a "good life" in political insurance. Lords Kitchener and Cromer, Sir William Willcocks, and Sir John Aird builded better, than they or we knew. The people are prosperous. Their sentiments, in so far as they are articulate in a powerful vernacular press, are wholly loyal to a strong and equitable Government. Port Said shares these feelings. The armies of occupation are good customers. Moreover, Port Said is a sort of clearing house. Hither come detachments from and to all fronts. Hither come men who have served their five years and are going home on leave, to rejoin. These transients are also good customers. Money circulates. Work is plentiful. Here and there about the decks at sunset you will find a true believer going through his two-bow prayer with his face toward Mecca; but for the most part they are secular beings, preoccupied with working shifts and overtime, eaters of meat and smokers of briar pipes.

And Port Said, for all her apparent vulnerability, is strong. Behind her is Egypt, peaceful, irrigated, and prosperous. In front is the blue Mediterranean and the waterless desert. Of war there is little to be seen. Once or twice a crazy aeroplane has dropped bombs in the sand or in the harbor, but with a singular lack of success. Here and there lie huge transports, vessels which have never been seen in the Mediterranean before, their decks an irruption of moving khaki. Back and forth hurry small tugs with lighters loaded with shells, black and shiny capsules of death. Overhead, far up in the shining blue, you may see an aeroplane or two. Perhaps, as you watch, one of them will descend in a long spiral, and then, with a swoop, drop to the water and go past at incredible speed, an immense insect with wings of pale amber spotted with blue and scarlet. All around you rock the small boats, their owners asleep in the sun or lazily rowing in circles. Freighters come and go. Now and then a restless motor boat, her nose and half her keel out of the water, the blue-clad figures in her stern sitting in a dimple of mowzy water, tears up the fairway at thirty knots.

So runs the tale at Port Said. Of the big things she has no knowledge. She knows, as we say, that there is a war on, but she is busy, she is making money, and, if you are not in the services, we are very sorry, but you cannot pass.

THE KING'S OFFICERS.

DO you meet any officers?" wrote a lady to me the other day. Well, in the sense she means, I can't say I do. My work, which is aboard ship and fairly continuous, does not encourage gallivanting about in search of social diversions ashore. But I may say that at odd moments I en-

counter these gallant gentlemen and very amusing they are.

It should be said in the first place that the American correspondent who sent home the tale of private soldiers stopping at Shepherd's Hotel in Cairo, and who described the perfectly idyllic fraternity existing between officer and man, was on the right track, but fell, as so very many of his brethren fall, through insufficient knowledge. I could show you private soldiers on this ship living in the first-class saloon. Most orderlies, who are officers' servants, live near their masters.

Let there be no mistake about this sort of thing. Such menial posts are optional—in all communities you will find men who prefer to be servants. An officer may not be a hero to his valet, but it is generally the rule that a valet will prefer to go on being a valet rather than abandon his life-work for being a hero in the trenches. A little thought will convince the palpitating democrat that a busy officer cannot make his own bed and clean his own shoes and so on.

What is true about officers and men is a breaking down of the rigid discipline of the past, though I fancy that rigid discipline breaks down in most wars. If you read the histories of Frederick the Great you will find that the inhuman Prussian discipline of his father's time was a product of peace. When Frederick himself was campaigning you hear less of the goose step and more of humanity. Did not Frederick himself stroll up to camp fires with his "Good evening, my children," and did they not get back with "Good evening, Father Fritz"?

Indeed, one of the truly humorous things about this war is the astounding revolution it has effected in officers' manners and dress. Two officers—a Captain and a Lieutenant—who were accompanied by a couple of ladies, passed me in Venezelos Street in Saloniki recently. Except that they wore no flowing scarf and carried no knapsack, and that they had on puttees instead of stockings, those two King's officers were dressed as Boy Scouts' officers with slouch hats and bare knees complete. It is not too much to say that before the war a million dollars would not have induced those gallant gentlemen to expose themselves in public in such a rig. The same easiness rules in their conversation with N. C. O.'s and men. Strictly, I believe a private shouldn't address an officer until addressed. But he does. He bawls at him if said officer happens to be fifty yards away in a motor launch. He doesn't fess up about Sergeants Major, either. The fact is we are all too busy for that sort of thing.

Remember, now, that it is not easy to get an officer to talk. He has had no end of drilling and lecturing about the use and abuse of speech in wartime. Posted up on the notice board in the hotels of Port Said and Alexandria you will find cunningly written warnings against spies. In Saloniki, if you wish to arouse suspicion, dress yourself in civilian clothes and ask a British officer where the Y. M. C. A. is. Or do as I did—walk into Flocas's Cafe, in the Place de la Liberte, where all the officers congregate, and take out a note book and pencil. I recommend you to have a pass from the authorities in your pocket. It may be useful.

There is one thing in the young British officer's favor, and that is his knowledge of no language but his own. I am not forgetting the hero of the 10-cent magazine story, but he is a special breed and

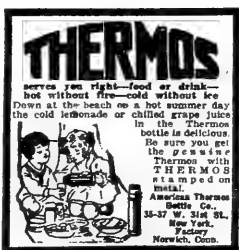
not often found in real life. Nor do I forget the officers of the old army, successors to men like Burton and Speke, who qualify in Arabic and Urdu and Tamil, men of the Kitchener breed, to whom war was a profession, the be-all and end-all of their lives. No, these are exceptions. The officer of our new citizen army is an amazing chap, but the gift of tongues is not his. And that is why he joins a clique. He has a genius for the set, the clique, the social rung.

When I asked a naval officer's wife in Port Said what the social life of the place was she looked at her husband and laughed. "The social life of this place," said he, "is that if anybody has fivepence more than we have they don't speak to us. If we have fivepence more than somebody else, we don't speak. That's all." And if that is the state of things in the married circles, the young bachelors, who get rather bored with hotel life in spite of the splendor of it, cling to the clique with even greater devotion. When I sat in the Grand Concert Bar in Port Said, a bare, garish room with a little stage, a little bar, little tables, and little drinks, and look at the young men there assembled in their cliques just as they used to assemble at the bare tables of Lyons lunchrooms and the A B C tea shops in the days of peace, I reflect that they are not the stuff of which Seton Merriman fashioned his heroes. I cannot imagine them disguising themselves as natives and rescuing lovely maidens from Arab hordes and harems. Disguise would be difficult. A mile away you would know them to be Englishmen abroad. For the fact is these young gentlemen, in their glossy gaiters and perfect-fitting tunics, are apprentices. They are learning the business. In due course they will go out, disappear, and take hold somewhere where I shall not see them. Give them a chance. They have not done so badly. Indeed, no!

But I am reminded by that of one officer whom I used to know who is an excellent example of the extraordinary adaptability of the race. I'll call him Old P. That's what he will always be to us who knew him when he was a student at University College, London, whither he had come from Harrow School to learn, of all things, engineering. He attended a few lectures, say one in ten, for he had several tons of money, and England is a good place to live in for such persons. Then we went to the works for three years. Old P. used to come down four days a week in a cab about 10 A. M. I don't think he ever got up much before 9 in those days. At last he quit and gave himself up soul and body to the study of grand opera, for he had a fine voice.

For years I saw nothing of him, for he lived in France and Italy and Germany. I met him once in Bologna, where I was week-ending from my ship at Ancona. He was married then and he looked what he was—a prosperous, clean-cut English gentleman. Life for him was running on C-springs. He had studied singing from A to Z, and hoped in a year or two to make good at home. And then I never saw him until about eighteen months ago, in London. He was on leave from France, where he commanded a field battery.

Some people would say he had loafed through life, yet when the call came he seemed to have been preparing for it. He was an engineer, draftsman, horseman, motorist, and linguist. Everything came easy to him except getting up in the morning. I often wonder how he takes that, somewhere in France!



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A Source of Innocent Merriment

HOT STUFF

By Thomas R. Ybarra

(Giving an insight into the horrid ups and downs of a Weather Post's Life.)

O HEAT, to worst you I have tried
But now my efforts are all foiled,
So tell me—will you have me fried
Or broiled?

My temper is a total loss
My inspiration's flown away,
The Muse—my goodness, but she's cross
Today!

How mad at Hamlet have I felt

That he could sport such piffle as
"Oh, that this solid flesh would melt"—
Mine has!

And yet to writing rhymes I've come
(A hard, though hot, is forced to eat.)
I'm grimly grinding dollars from
The heat.

And now 'tis done!—midsummer bliss!—
But no!—a thought my being sears:
Suppose the weather's cold when this
Appears!

The Vital Point.

A BEAUTIFUL young lady interviewed a fortune teller on the usual subjects.
"Lady," said the clairvoyant, "you will visit foreign lands and the Courts of Kings and Queens. You will conquer all rivals and marry the man of your choice. He will be tall and dark and aristocratic-looking."

"And young?" interrupted the lady.
"Yes, and very rich."
The beautiful lady grasped the fortune teller's hands and pressed them hard.
"Thank you," she said. "Now tell me one thing more. How shall I get rid of my present husband?"

Chung's Predicament.

IT was while they were building the Panama Canal. An excited Chinese laborer dashed into one of the foreman's tents.

"Oh, Mister Boss!" cried the Mongolian, "Chung Lu, him stuck in mud up to his ankles!"

"In the mud up to his ankles?" roared the boss. "Why the deuce don't he get out?"

The Test.

WHAT assurance have I that you do not wish to marry me merely for my money?" demanded the heiress.
The impetuous suitor drew himself up proudly.

"Money is nothing to me," he sneered. "I shall be happy in the prospect of never earning a cent in my life, so long as I have you."

And, having put him to the test, she was supremely content.

Hence the Eagerness.

FOR some reason the Sunday School class had become intensely interested in Methuselah, and at their urgent request the teacher related all the authentic information recorded in the Bible about that amazing man, also various anecdotes gleaned from less reliable sources.

In conclusion she said: "Now, is that all? Are there any further questions you would like to ask about Methuselah?"

"I'd like to know," said the most interested youngster of the lot, "where all his birthday presents are buried."

A Big Difference.

FROM the parlor there came a crash that brought the Careful Housekeeper downstairs at unusual speed.

"Sarah," she said, "did you break something?"

"Yes, ma'am."
"What was it?"

"One of those green vases, ma'am. But it only broke in two pieces."

"You stupid girl," said the Careful Housekeeper. "It is gone, so what difference does it make whether it is in two pieces or two hundred?"

"All the difference in the world, ma'am, as you would soon find out if you had to pick up the pieces," said Sarah.

Reason to Frown.

EDDIE," said the grocer to his clerk, "who bought that moldy cheese yesterday?"

"Mrs. Jones, Sir."
"And those fly-blown biscuits?"

"Mrs. Jones, Sir."
"And those six eggs we couldn't sell last week?"

"I let Mrs. Jones have them cheap, Sir, as she was giving such a good order."

"And that tin of corned beef—the one we had to paint over because it was so old that the paint fell off?"

"Mrs. Jones took that, too, at half price."
"What's the matter, Sir? Are you ill?"

Inquired the clerk as the grocer put a frown on his face.

"No," replied the grocer, "only I accepted an invitation to take dinner at Mrs. Jones's house tonight."

Deserved to be Famous.

HARRY," asked the teacher of a rosy-faced lad, "can you tell me who George Washington was?"

"Yes, ma'am," was the quick reply. "He was the first President of the country."

"Quite right," replied the teacher. "And can you tell us what he was remarkable for?"

"Yes, ma'am," replied the youngster. "He was remarkable because he told the truth."

Clash of Ideas.

FOR the first time in his life the unintellectual man had been faced by a museum. Among the scientific treasures shown him by his intellectual friend was a case full of stuffed birds. There was one specimen that rather interested him. He asked what it was, and was told that it was a casowary.

"I have heard of the casowary," said the unintellectual man, "but this is not my idea of it."

"Perhaps not," said his friend, "but it is God's idea."

A Doubtful Case.

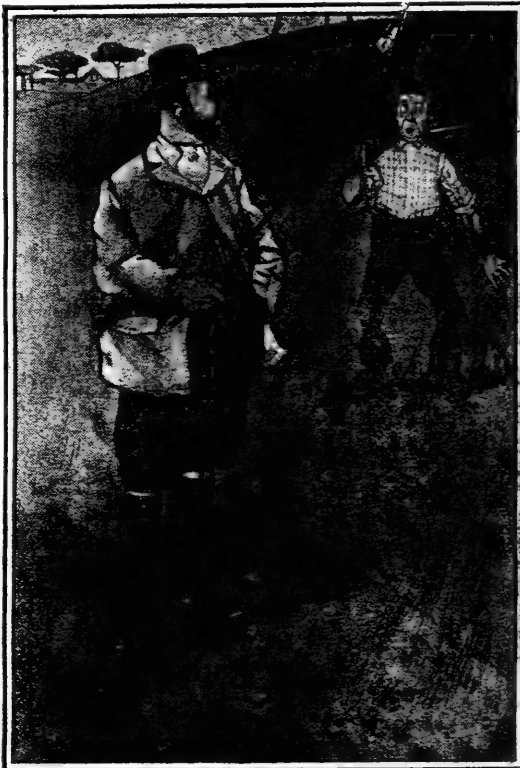
THE Judge's 8-year-old son, John, had been naughty when his parents were leaving company and had been reprimanded. That night when his mother went up to hear John say his prayers she suggested that he ask God to teach his parents how to bring him up properly.

John was quite penitent and prayed humbly: "Please, God, teach mother how to make me a good boy." He paused for a moment, then added thoughtfully, "And father, too, if You can do anything with him."

Cruel Disillusion.

LITTLE IRENE marched into the room breathless.

"O mother, don't scold me for being late for supper, because I've had such a disappointment," she said. "A horse fell down and they said they were going to send for a horse doctor, so I waited and waited, and what do you think? It wasn't a horse doctor at all. It was only a man."



The Farmer—Where have you been all this time? And where's the mare I told you to get shed?

The Farmhand—Shed! I thought you said shed. I've just been a-burryin' of 'er.

—The Star.

PERILS OF THE CITIZEN

By McLandburgh Wilson.

BE wary on the ocean
And look what you're about;
The periscope will give you
If you don't

If you don't
Watch
Out!

Take care on terra firma,
Bacilli do not flout,
The microscope will give you

Be cautious of the heavens
And put the stars to rout,
Your horoscope will give you
If you don't

Watch
Out!

Byron Outdone.

WHILE campaigning in his home State, a Western politician was once inveigled into visiting the public schools of a town where he was billed to speak.

In one of the lower grades an ambitious teacher called upon a youthful orator to entertain the distinguished visitor with an exhibition of amateur oratory. The selection attempted was Byron's "Battle of Waterloo." Just as the boy reached the end of the first verse the politician gave vent to a violent sneeze.

"But, hush! hark!" declaimed the youngster; "a deep sound strikes like a rising knell! Did ye hear it?"

Everybody laughed, and a moment later the second sneeze—which the politician was vainly striving to hold back—came with increased violence.

"But, hark!" bawled the boy, "that heavy sound breaks in once more."

And nearer, clearer, deadlier than before!

"Arm! Arm! It is the cannon's opening roar!"

This was too much, and the laugh that broke from the party swelled to a roar when the politician chuckled:

"Put up your weapons, children; I won't shoot any more."

Versatile.

A LADY stopping at a hotel on the Pacific Coast rang the bell the first morning of her arrival and was very much surprised when a Japanese boy opened the door and came in.

"I pushed the button three times for a maid," she said sternly, as she dived under the bed covers.

"Yes," the little fellow replied, "me she."

Looked Funny.

GLADYS," remarked a dear but irresponsible young thing of this town, "I am very much afraid my bark is in a bad way."

"Nonsense," said the other. "Why, that bark is one of the strongest financial institutions in the country. Wherever did you get that idea?"

"It's very strange," said Gladys, still unconvinced. "They've just returned a check of mine for \$30 marked 'No Funds.'"

Indefinite.

Lady Visitor—How long are you in the, my poor man?

Prisoner—Dunno, ma'am.

Lady Visitor—How can that be? You must have been sentenced for a definite period.

Prisoner—No, ma'am. Mine was a life sentence.

Strong Every Way.

"They say that onions will build one up physically."

"Maybe, but they will pull one down specially."—Boston Transcript.

Chance for an Invention.

There are dolls which say "Mamma" and "Papa." Why doesn't some one invent a golf ball that will say "Here I am!"—Indiana Star.

Seeing the Bright Side.

Wife—This is the third time you've come home drunk this week.

Hub—Don't be so pessimistic, m' dear. You should think of the four nights I came home sober. —Boston Transcript.

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Annual Exhibition of the Lyme Art Association

THE library at Old Lyme once again shelters the annual exhibition of the Lyme painters, and probably will do so next year and the year after, although the idea of a new gallery with real wall space and lighting awakens now and then its lethargy. At present, as in the past, the visitor climbs the grassy knoll with its view of the rococo pump, and on the whole is thankful.

Even the few changes that have come in with the extended use of motors have made it slightly more difficult than it was a number of years ago to get the pure pastoral flavor of an Old Lyme exhibition. Seeing the admirable array of seven cylinder cars taking the knoll at a bound, it is brought home to the reflective chesher that art never is pastoral, that the Barbizon men, with their Paris background, and the Old Lyme men, with their not so different background, are finding in the country and its complex simplicity precisely what a long urban training fits them to find. And the ingratiating little exhibition smiles at you with more than a hint of sournoiserie from behind its bucolic mask as you make the reflection.

This, however, is not to say that the attitude of the painters is insincere. Indeed, the only way in which they can be perfectly sincere is to bring, as they do, their sophisticated vision with them and use it frankly and intelligently. The Old Lyme painters are in most cases very humble students of the natural world, and the exhibition reveals in more ways than one the degree of their deference. There is the question of the sketches, for example. The downstairs room, as usual, is given to the larger pictures, and the upstairs room to the sketches, but there is very little difference between picture and sketch in most instances. In fact, it is all picture, and the upstairs room has an even more competent and vigorous air than the lower gallery. The reason is not far to seek. If one of the Lyme painters is right in saying that the sketch proper has gone out of business as completely as the thread and needle shop. It once was the foundation of the picture—the skeleton on which in the studio the whole organism of the finished work was built up. It could not be sold, because it was necessary to the painter as reference and for the correction of his memory. Now the painter rarely uses a sketch. If he finds a subject to his mind and has no time for a large picture he paints a little picture and lets it go at that. When he comes to paint his big picture he goes out of doors and plants his easel in the presence of the scene, as a portrait painter works in the presence of his sitter. This, at least, is the way the Lyme painters, with few exceptions, do their work. There is a general freshness and buoyancy of color, as one result, and also the temper of the day and season is apt to be faithfully reflected by the more competent. Even when the design is commonplace and the treatment of line and mass and color is reminiscent of many a forerunner there is given a sense of reality that goes deeper than surface realism.

This sense of reality has been gained in other ways, to be sure. An artist upon whom nature makes a deep impression and who has a mind sufficiently attentive to keep his first vision clear cut and available, can paint the inner spirit of a day and scene, with accurate notation of the external phenomena, in his studio as well as out of it; sometimes better than out of it and among the multiplicity of detail inappropriate to his scheme. But it is true enough that the average painter of landscape has gained in the power to give pleasure and convey emotion by placing himself face to face with nature.

Occasionally an artist accustomed to studio work, with its different light and its manifold chances for second thoughts and revisions, loses his certainty in changing to the direct outdoor method. A new member of the Lyme Art Association, Martin Borgard, shows two subjects, one the head of an elderly woman, rather black in color and painstaking in workmanship; the other, a picture of a girl seated at an *al fresco* luncheon in the sun, a radiant canvas, high in key, with excellent treatment of the graded whites of the gown, table cover, and so

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on, but feeble in drawing and timid in handling.

Everett Warner's "Windy Hill Farm" is saturated with outdoor feeling, and the farm buildings are placed in the composition with a fine discretion. Upstairs two small Winter pictures by the same artist are also eloquent of weather and faithful interrogation of nature's mood. Frank A. Bicknell, William S. Robinson, Clarge G. Voorhees, and Will Howe Foote, following their extremely divergent ways, wind up at the one goal of a suppression of such degree of individuality as would put nature out, to reverse Whistler's phrase.

George M. Bruestle, on the other hand, rather insistently declines to keep his

ground of snowy landscape. Charles Bittinger is represented by one of his dashing landscapes full of color and bold in treatment, although less rugged of surface than most of his landscape work, which is his escape from the metallic smoothness of his figure subjects; and he sends also two lovely beach scenes which are not Lavery or Whistler or Alfred Stevens, but have a daintiness and freedom suggesting each of these.

George B. Burr is agreeably gentle and bland in his little garden scene with a maiden for its centre of interest. The breezy young woman in Mr. Hofmann's garden scene is too decorative to be called a maiden. A whole century of tradition lies between the two types,

of American art, the locality of which would be recognized in any foreign gallery.

Among the more interesting art exhibitions designed primarily for the Summer public is that of the Bar Harbor Print Room. The print room, which is situated in the Jesup Memorial Library, was founded by E. A. Gallatin and Mrs. John T. Linzee, and valuable assistance was given by Fitz Roy Carrington, Edward Robinson, and Herbert C. Pell, Jr. It was formally opened in July, 1915, and during the first seven weeks of its existence it was visited by more than 1,100 people. During September and October its visitors numbered about 800, and for the next two months over 1,300. After Dec. 2 the print room is open only on Saturdays from 3 to 5 in the afternoon, and many school children profit by it.



"A Group of Birches," by William S. Robinson. (In Old Lyme Exhibition.)

personality in check. His "Sylvan Labyrinth," with its cool tonic quality, its agitated diagonals, its energetic brushing, says almost more of the artist than of the scene. Interesting as this is, the tendency is toward a degree of monotony which only human nature can achieve in a world of infinite variety. Lucien Abrams is not less definite and more rewarding in his clearly thought-out picture, "The Quince Bush," in spite of a rather ineffectual device with a silhouetted branch in the foreground, and "The Orchard" is a good piece of tree study, grasping the organic life of the trees and their character. Harry L. Hofmann jubilantly announces his emancipation. No more picturesque interiors with little long girls and many housefurnishings, no more little views of cotton markets and Southern fruit sellers; the Bahamas and the deep sea have inveigled him, and he is at his happiest in arranging water snakes and sponges, and finger coral and fishes in patterns that look well at any angle, and are brilliant in color.

The other exhibitors have no surprises to offer, but their contributions are up to their standard and play a dignified part in the general effect. William Howe Foote paints another of his irresistibly pretty girls, seated back against the light as though the pink and white of her flesh-tones need fear the glare of even this brutal August sunshine. William H. Howe and Matilda Browne and Jules Turcas and Carleton Wiggins provide the animal subjects, without which it would be but a pitiful imitation of an Old Lyme exhibition. Henry R. Poore adds a noble portrait of two hounds against a back-

ground of snowy landscape. William Chadwick shows a couple of foreign subjects, one a Roman bridge that looks as though it had absorbed sunlight for a thousand years. Off in a corner are some landscapes and harbor scenes in water color and crayon by Walter Griffin, more spirited in the technical adventure than anything in the room. Upstairs Edmund Greacen has several figure studies and one exquisite half draped figure, wraithlike in its wrappings of stuffs the color of morning-glory petals. Edward Gregory Smith and Wilson Irvine show landscapes, George Bogart contributes a moonlight painted in a low key and too dark to look well in its present surroundings. Still life appears in only one canvas, a flower study by F. H. Storrs, rather indeterminate in design for a season that has known the most triumphant flower-painting ever done in America.

Robert C. Tolman's portrait of a child seated out of doors, although painted from a modern palette and without affectation, is clearly of the race of John Hoppner. Nothing persists like the British strain in portraiture. It is as hard to beat down as British pluck, and as irritating to its enemies. But if you like it, there it is, charming and invincible.

The exhibition at Old Lyme will last until next Wednesday, inclusive. It has become an institution and has its own public, for whom no announcement of its attractions is necessary. It is worth the attention of the more general public, however, for its representative character. It is definitely the product of a school

who very well may have derived from the same model. William Chadwick shows a couple of foreign subjects, one a Roman bridge that looks as though it had absorbed sunlight for a thousand years. Off in a corner are some landscapes and harbor scenes in water color and crayon by Walter Griffin, more spirited in the technical adventure than anything in the room. Upstairs Edmund Greacen has several figure studies and one exquisite half draped figure, wraithlike in its wrappings of stuffs the color of morning-glory petals. Edward Gregory Smith and Wilson Irvine show landscapes, George Bogart contributes a moonlight painted in a low key and too dark to look well in its present surroundings. Still life appears in only one canvas, a flower study by F. H. Storrs, rather indeterminate in design for a season that has known the most triumphant flower-painting ever done in America.

The bulletin just published announces that the loan of fine prints for Winter exhibition would be received with gratitude, and it is hoped that Summer visitors to Bar Harbor possessing such prints will act upon the suggestion.

During August an exhibition of Whistler's etchings and lithographs will be held.

Hospital Decoration Again.

THE account of Grosvenor Atterbury's interesting paper on "Aesthetics and the Hospital" in a recent issue of THE NEW YORK TIMES has brought from Indianapolis news of an experiment undertaken there, along precisely the lines indicated, by Dr. Theodore Keene of the Indianapolis City Hospital.

Dr. Keene decided while he was Superintendent to try the effect of making the bare walls of the wards interesting. He therefore interested some of the artists of the vicinity in his plan, and these worked out schemes of mural decoration, which included landscapes, allegorical subjects, and in the children's wards illustrations of nursery rhymes and fairy tales. Walter Sargent of Chicago University visited the hospital after the decorations were completed and speaks of them as very good in themselves and as greatly enjoyed by the patients, offering them a restful field in which it was possible for their imagination to play. Occasionally since the decorations have been in place a physician has designated on the basis of the mural paintings the room in which he would like to have a particular patient placed.

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MR. MOORE'S STORY OF THE LIFE OF CHRIST

"The Brook Kerith," in Which Gospel Characters and Early Christian Legends Form the Basis of a Realistic Narrative, a Remarkable Achievement in Fiction

THE BROOK KERITH. By George Moore. New York: The Macmillan Company. \$1.50.

GEORGE MOORE can be safely spoken of as one of the great novelists; his "Esther Waters" is there as his credential. "Esther Waters" it is the single success in English of the naturalistic movement, and indeed it has transcended the movement out of which it came and has taken its place with the memorable and permanent novels. After "Esther Waters" came a succession of books, none of them great as "Esther Waters" is great, but all of them important. His return to Ireland resulted in a few books which showed that he had made a departure, even if it had not been permitted to him to make a discovery. These books were "The Untilled Field" and "The Lake." Then came the trilogy which showed something more than a departure, which showed a palpable discovery—that astonishing mixture of satire and confession to which he gave the title "Hail and Farewell." One who compares "Esther Waters" and "Hail and Farewell" perceives at once that George Moore's genius is capable of passing itself and of producing something dissimilar from that which had made discussion about him.

And now comes "The Brook Kerith" with its surprising dissimilarity in theme and style from anything that George Moore has heretofore done. With this Syrian story show us a discovery as "Hail and Farewell" did, or will it only mark a departure as did "The Untilled Field"? Very eagerly we turn the pages to find out. "Starting out," says the note on the wrapper, "with the assumption that Christ did not die on the cross, he (George Moore) builds up a narrative as fascinating as it is unusual, the daring originality of which will astound the modern reader." We are told that the work is based on legends which had currency in the early centuries and which are probably as old as the Christian Gospel itself. Out of these legends, according to the wrapper, with his genius and his fine sense of the grouping of words he has produced a vivid picture of the Holy Land in the days of Christ. Well, and is what he has made out of these legends a departure or a discovery?

"The Brook Kerith" has no such revelation of life as is in "Esther Waters," no such presentation of character as is in "Hail and Farewell." It would be too much to expect that the central character would have been made at once vital and convincing. One would have been satisfied if the personality to which George Moore has given much thought lately—Paul—had been endowed with vitality. But Paul has not been made vital. Certain of the other characters—Joseph of Arimathea, Nicodemus, Peter, Judas, Pilate—have been given movement and a certain power of gestulation, but what endowment they have in this way is not beyond the scope of a trained and competent writer. There is not a character in the book that is really memorable; there is not even a memorable saying. But although the story fails to create character and fails to give a new revelation of life, it is something to hold and to read again. "The Brook Kerith" is certainly a departure. With it, it would seem, George Moore brings out a new narrative style. As J. M. Synge and the playwrights of the Abbey Theatre created a distinctively Irish dramatic style, George Moore, it would appear, has created a distinctively Irish narrative style in "The Brook Kerith." And yet we cannot give him the credit for being absolutely an initiator in this. Behold "The Brook Kerith" there are Yeats's "Stories of Red Hanrahan" and Lady Gregory's "Cuchulain of Muirthemne" and "Gods and Fighting Men," to say nothing of the work of the man who fished the murex up, Douglas Hyde, whose prose translations of certain of the poems in his collection, "The Love Songs of Connacht," gave the hint to Yeats and Lady Gregory.

The style is Irish, not because it uses distinctively Irish words, or follows a distinctively Irish idiom. It is Irish because, like some of the narrative writings of Yeats and Lady Gregory, it is based upon the talk of a people whose minds are continually focusing upon the market place, the circle of the peat fire, the emptiness of the hillside.

This style based upon speech has its dangers. It may have color and balance and beauty, but it lacks suspense. For that reason it tends to become monotonous. A book of fifty thousand words written in this way can hardly be kept from monotony. But think of a book of a hundred and twenty thousand words—no written! It produces the

same monotony of effect that the Bog of Allen for all its color and all its occasional glory produces.

But, from whatever source it comes and whatever limitations it may have, the writing in "The Brook Kerith" must be a continual delight to the reader. Here are sentences, passages, chapters, composed apparently without an effort, that are so clear, so balanced, so liquid that, when one has finished the book, one can turn pages



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and read them for their own sake. Here is a passage that shows a narrative style in its perfection:

And he told her these were in the village two young girls, one as fair as the other, rivals in love as well as in beauty, both having the same young man in their hearts, and for a long time it seemed uncertain which would get him; for he seemed to favor them alternately, till at length Ruth, unable to bear her jealousy any longer, went to the young man, saying that she was close on a resolve to see him no more. "Your lover?" he answered, his cheek blanching, for he dearly loved her. "I haven't gotten a lover," she said; "only a share in a lover." "Your words, Ruth, relieve me of much trouble," he replied, and he took her in his arms and said: "It was a good thought that brought you hither, for if you hadn't come I might never have been able to decide between you, which he would have. 'Which?' she asked, and he replied: "You, not Rachel." "If that be so," she answered, "I am divided between joy and sorrow, gladness for myself, sorrow for my friend; and it behooves me to go to her and tell her of her loss." "I am the chosen one," she said to Rachel, who turned away, saying: "Had I gone to him and asked him to choose between us he would have chosen me. He couldn't do else."

She began to brood and speak of a spell laid upon the young man, and her visits to a sorcerer came to be spoken about so openly that it was against the bridegroom's wish that Rachel was asked to the wedding feast; but Ruth pleaded, saying that it would be no feast for her if Rachel did not present herself at the table. The twins sat opposite each other at table, Rachel seemingly the happier, laughing, foretelling that Mondie would fill Ruth's life with happiness from end to end. "Thou wilt never see the face of an evil hour," she said, and Ruth in her great joy answered: "Rachel, I know not why he didn't choose thee, thou'rt so beautiful"; and the young man Mondie wooed her as the table, to Ruth's pleasure, for she knew of his thankfulness to Rachel for allowing the wedding to pass in concord, without a jarring note. She seemed to listen to him as a sister might to a beloved brother, and as the wedding feast drew to a close she said, "Ruth shall drink wine with me," and the cups were passed across the table, and laughter and jest flowed on for a while. But soon after drinking from Rachel's cup Ruth turned pale and, leaning

back into the arms of the bridegroom, she said, "I know not what she said." And then a little later on she was heard to say, "I am going," and with a little sigh she went out of life, lying on her bridegroom's arm, white and still like a cut flower.

In his latest book George Moore shows an unusual loyalty to his characters. Once Gilbert Chesterton said of him that he was like a landscape painter who, by an extraordinary convention, always introduced the same figure into all his pictures. Thus, the title of one of his books might be "A Rule by Moonlight, with a View of George Moore," and another might be labeled "A Beach in Sunlight, with a View of George Moore Basking." In all his previous books, with the single exception of "Esther Waters," the personality of George Moore was insisted upon. In "The Brook Kerith," however, George Moore is pleasantly and surprisingly absent. Joseph has not a single thought that is instantly George Moore's; neither has Dan, nor Paul, nor the others. The writer gives us the impression that the story actually belongs to a certain country and to a certain landscape. We do not think of the period, we do not think of its being a historical novel—"The Brook Kerith" has not the weight of the archaic upon it.

When one has entered into the spirit of the book one can understand why it has been named as a painting would be named—"The Brook Kerith." It is the landscape that dominates the story. We think of the people in it as little figures upon bare hillsides or as groups standing by lake-waters; we never see the cities except as patches on the landscape—"Tiberias—its domes, cupolas, towers, and the high cliffs abutting the lake between Tiberias and Magdala bathed in a purple glow as the sun went down." In offering us the countryside with the cities only in perspective, George Moore is true to the background of the gospel-story wherein the cities appear as distant and troublesome places.

"The Brook Kerith" is an astonishing achievement for its author. When he talked in Dublin some years ago of writing a novel which would have Jesus and Saint Paul as chief characters his friends smiled at another of George Moore's misnomers. How could a mind so modern and so agnostic as his give the atmosphere of meditation and religious fervor? And what could a middle-aged writer who had bound himself to the modern capitals do in the Jewish East? Then his "Apostle" was published as the scenario for a play and the smile remained on the face of the challengers. There was nothing in "The Apostle" except the introduction and the introduction showed a George Moore as modern and as agnostic as ever. At last one heard that he had actually started for the Holy Land and one wondered at his persistence. Then there was news of his disreputable Syrian cookery and of his hasty return. But now, there is "The Brook Kerith" to make his challengers wonder. The disregard of the cookery and the hastiness of the return may be true, but it is still more true that George Moore has absorbed more of the features of the Holy Land than any of us who might have spent half a life time there. The tale on which the story is based we need not discuss. The Jesus in "The Brook Kerith" and the Jesus of the Gospel are as different as life and death. The character to which he gives that name might be the devilized presentation of any of the minor Syrian prophets. Indeed, it is a pity that George Moore did not leave the Gospel figures out of account and take up one of the many prophets and wonder-workers who had come a little before that period.

"The Brook Kerith," too, he owes to his return to Ireland. In another place he has told us that it was the Irish pre-occupation with Catholicism (a Pateristic creed, as he has called it) that made him turn to Paul and to Protestantism and gave him his interest in the Bible and the Apocrypha. There are a few intimate touches in the story that seem to come out of his recollections of the Irish revival. When we see Joseph laboring to learn the language that had once belonged to his people, and when we watch Nicodemus donning sword and martial raiment so as to stir up the ardor of revolt in the Romanized Jews, we see details taken from the Ireland of yesterday.

We have suggested that the style of "The Brook Kerith" has come to George Moore from the influence of the Irish revival. In the passages where actual speech is given there are the cadences of the Irish voice. But no writer who has based a narrative style on his speech has created anything so remarkable as this—there is a force behind every passage in "The Brook Kerith" that is not present in anything that Yeats or Lady Gregory has written. And this force comes from the abundance of George Moore's thought of that particular subject.

WHERE CHRISTIAN AND MOHAMMEDAN MEET

Books That Review the Principles and Practice of Islam and Their Relation to Christianity

MOHAMMEDANISM. By C. Snouck Hurgronje. G. P. Putnam's Sons. \$1.50 net.

MOHAMMED OR CHRIST. By R. M. Zwemer. Illustrated. The Fleming H. Revell Company. \$1.50 net.

It would not be easy to find two books dealing to a great extent with the same subject matter bearing a smaller resemblance to each other than these two new volumes on Islam and the problems it presents. Professor Hurgronje's book is the work of a clear-sighted, broad-minded scholar, who treats difficult questions in a way practically devoid of prejudice, and adopts as his motto the phrase which recurs more than once in his book, "To understand is better than to ridicule"—or abuse, he might well have added. Within 178 pages he finds space for a brief but vivid account of the history and rise of Islam, its general tenets, and its relations to modern politics and modern thought. Beginning with a short sketch of the origin of Islam and the character of its Prophet, a man who has been represented as a demon, an epileptic, a deceiver, a hypocrite, a prophet, a Socialist, and a defender of capitalism—points of view "principally characteristic of the scholars who held them," the Professor remarks dryly—he goes on through a brief history of its religious development to that of Islam, put thus into the mouth of Mohammed, "My community will never agree in error," and traces the effects of this theory, so often overlooked by Western students of Islam, on its development and especially the national diversities of opinion thus countenanced. This doctrine, he tells us, has made it possible for "innumerable shades of Catholicism and Protestantism to dwell under the same roof."

For the future of Mohammedanism Professor Hurgronje is decidedly hopeful, and among the most interesting chapters of his book is the one entitled "Islam and Modern Thought." He believes the religion one destined to live and flourish, declaring frankly that "there is no hope of the conversion of important numbers of Mohammedans to any Christian denomination," but that Islam must be reformed from within and along its own elastic lines. The great stumbling block in the path of its progress, he says, is the "personal law," the law which sanctions polygamy and enables a man to divorce his wife practically at his pleasure, while giving her no such right; but at the same time he reminds us that polygamy is not enjoined and its practice not "indispensable to the integrity of Islam." Moreover, among Mohammedans the persuasion of the necessity of a solid education for girls is steadily gaining ground, despite the opposition of the vast majority of the women.

Another very interesting point in Professor Hurgronje's book is his view of the relation of the Khalifate to the many Mohammedans living in countries whose government is non-Mohammedan. The opinion, widely held "through the ignorance of European statesmen and diplomats," that the Khalif is a kind of Pope, he declares to be a serious mistake; so far, from being a wholly spiritual power, that of the Khalif is essentially political and a "Western state that admits any authority of a Khalif over its Mohammedan subjects" "in simple ignorance is feeding political programs" near akin to that popular ideal of Islam, "the reduction of the whole world to Moslem authority." Any one who desires a brief, comprehensive account of those particular beliefs, their history and the problems to which they have given and are giving rise, will do well to devote a couple of hours to this excellent little volume.

To turn from Professor Hurgronje's book to Dr. Zwemer's "Mohammed or Christ" is to pass from the clear, high air of scholarship to the somewhat turgid atmosphere of the special pleader. For, stripped of its verbiage, the book becomes simply a plea for the more liberal support of the evangelical missions in Mohammedan countries. Written before the great war, the volume has a cer-

tain quite unintentional pathos. For instance, such a phrase as "For the first time in history the whole of Christianity faces the whole Moslem world in its unity" acquires irony when one remembers the present alliance of Turkey and Germany, and the loyalty to the British Empire manifested by so many Mohammedans. However, the book contains interesting bits, such as its account of the Mohammedan clock and calendar, and the difficulties they create in the business dealings of Mohammedans with Christian communities and with Europe.

Not only in their general method are these two writers at variance, but also in many, or, rather, most of their views. We have quoted briefly from Professor Hurgronje's opinion of the Khalifate; Dr. Zwemer calls it "the Papacy of the Moslem world." The one writer considers the conservatism of the women themselves the greatest obstacle to their inevitable advancement, while the other pictures them as writhing in their bonds. All of which is the more interesting because Dr. Zwemer once or twice refers to Professor Hurgronje as to an authority.

CHILDHOOD IN THE MOSLEM WORLD. By Emma M. Zwemer. F. R. G. S. Illustrated. New York, Chicago, Toronto, London, Edinburgh: The Fleming H. Revell Company. \$2.

A PLEA for the purer teachings of Christianity, for the extension to the darkened childhood of Mohammedanism of the widespread interest in child welfare that prevails in many Christian lands, Dr. Zwemer's book, "Childhood in the Moslem World," contains as well a warning against certain instruction that is finding its way into Amer-

ican education, although he does not call attention to the similarity.

Dr. Zwemer points out at the beginning of his work that so rigid is its observance and teaching that Islam is practically a unit in respect to the conditions governing its children, just as it shows solidarity in organization, method, and spirit that knows no racial nor Governmental barriers. Thus, the circumstances of childhood among the Moslems of the Philippines, of China, India, Persia, Southeastern Europe, and Northern Africa are practically the same.

Drawing his conclusions from many statistics the author estimates that one-eighth of the world's children live under Islam, hence under the wretched conditions he describes, and that the number of these children is over 50,000,000. So dense is the ignorance of health precautions and sanitation that the death rate of children under five years of age is from 50 to 80 per cent. Those that survive enjoy only a very brief childhood, since the Moslem law recognizes no period of adolescence; boys and girls leap from infancy to manhood and womanhood; many girls are married at 12 or 14 years to men of middle age or more, marriages which cause terrible suffering to the child victims. Boys are considered of marriageable age at 10.

The Moslem child grows up in an atmosphere of superstition and immorality almost incredible to Western minds. From infancy it is loaded with amulets and charms, and incantations are pronounced over it to ward away every conceivable injury. In education the Koran, read by rote in Arabic regardless of whether Arabic be the child's native tongue or not, is the principal feature, and much of the Koran is, according to Western ideas, wholly unfit for childish minds. In more than one place Dr. Zwemer speaks of the prevalence of sex education in Moslem training and declares that "sex education in Islam has gone mad."

It is a dark picture of the degradation of

childhood and of the race that Dr. Zwemer draws in this book. The story is told somewhat discursively, and many of the points are treated at length in different connections. Condensation and an index would render the book more valuable as a reference work for facts not readily obtainable elsewhere, and no less interesting as a picture in detail of childhood and its miseries under Islam domination.

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AN English woman who prefers to remain anonymous is the author of this book, which is largely a record of her experiences at the Austrian Court twenty years ago. Interwoven with a measure of political gossip, and some intimate pictures of several members of the ill-starred Hapsburg family, including the aged Emperor Francis Joseph. The author was first attached to the household of Count Baden, at that time Governor of Galicia, a post which required a good deal of skill and diplomacy to fill successfully. She found a strong political bond among the Austrian Poles of all classes, and her description of their life and customs are entertaining and sympathetic. In fact, the tone of the whole book reveals the author as an impartial critic and observer.

At Vienna the Royal Governors was companion to the young Archduchess Elizabeth, granddaughter of Francis Joseph and daughter of the Crown Prince Rudolph. No book dealing with the Austrian Court would be complete without a new version of the tragic end of Rudolph, and the Royal Governors naturally gives one. Her tale is that Rudolph was killed at Merying Castle by a drunken companion, who wielded a champagne bottle, while Maria Vetsera, the fiancée of the Prince, was shot to death to prevent her from giving evidence of the personnel of the party. The author holds that, inasmuch as the Pope ordered masses to be said for the repose of the Archduke's soul, this is absolute proof that he was murdered, no masses being allowed for a suicide.

Of the lonely Empress Elizabeth, the Royal Governors caught only fleeting glimpses. She found the Emperor to be a kindly old man who "had never lost one iota of his

early passionate love for his beautiful wife, and the patience with which he endured all her mad whims, her eccentric extravagances, and her scorn and dislike for the obligations of her position as Empress, was pathetic in the extreme."

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WITH SERBIA INTO EXILE: An American's Adventures with the Army That Cannot Die. By Porter Jones. Illustrated from photographs. New York: The Century Company, \$1.50.

SOMEWHAT precipitate was the manner of Mr. Jones's going to Serbia. And the same warmly generous temperament and quick response to any call upon his sympathies is to be found throughout the narrative of what happened to him while there, and, in particular, what happened while he was trying to get away. In his first few lines he relates that on a June day in 1915 in a Broadway car he happened to look down at a newspaper lying on the floor and to read in it that men were wanted to do relief work in Serbia. Within an hour he had joined an expedition and within a month was nearing the place of his labors.

Mr. Jones is a Texan, a graduate of the university of that State, and was studying Journalism in Columbia University when he joined the relief expedition. He worked for several months with the Columbia and The Christian Herald expeditions, and then, when the Teutonic armies suddenly fell upon the little fated nation and the whole people, civilians and soldiers alike, were driven before them, he took charge of a party of English nurses and saw and shared their long inferna of suffering all the way from the Danube to the Adriatic. He tells the story of it with simplicity and directness, but with a graphic touch, a quick and warm response to heroic qualities of character, and a never-ready-to-exaggerate appreciation of the illuminating, or the unusual. His book is so unconventional in manner and material as to make it seem very much as if the author were sitting down at his ease and telling you all about it.

Little is known as yet by the outside world about this retreat of the Serbian Nation, a tragedy that will make, when the full history of the great war is written, one of its saddest and most outstanding pages. For the onset came too suddenly and was driven through too quickly and the correspondents were too busy elsewhere for the tale to be told by the professional eyewitnesses. Mr. Jones's book, therefore, has peculiar value. It tells the story from inside knowledge and through four months of the Serbian Winter. It went on, while hordes of men, women, and children, soldiers and civilians, struggled through snow and rain and sleet over almost impassable roads, dying of hunger and wounds, freezing in the bitter winds that blew across mountain tops and through mountain gorges, fighting, retreating, dying by the roadside.

Mr. Jones's account of that long agony is full of little stories and scenes that grip the heart. Perhaps the most touching of them all is that of a ten-year-old Serbian in the Serbian Army, whose party met one rainy afternoon, a real soldier and a real sergeant, who, because he was too good a shot, had been promoted above his father, but who always prevented his father from saluting him by coming and kissing his hand. It was then that he learned of the dreary stretches of Kozak, where the villages 300 years ago have been in such numbers that the battlefields were Serbia but her power became known as the land of blackbirds, that the fearful cold came suddenly upon them. Mr. Porter Jones of their experiences there and afterwards.

One day Englishwomen made the march that day. They made it without food and without rest. They made it on foot and on horseback. I think it is no exaggeration to say that the Serbian women did better than the Serbian men. Of course they could not control the march more girls than men in the evening and in the morning. They saw the things that generations of men have seen and die without the maddest of starvation, the passion to live at all costs, the swift death, the civilized and the uncivilized, in freezing, starving men. They understand now better than any before them the struggle for existence and the survival of the fittest. At the end of the march they made tea, slept for a few hours in a tent and next day marched their thirty kilometers.

Mr. Jones has words of biting scorn for some of the newspaper correspondents who have spoken in derogatory terms of Serbian character and ideals and have attempted to belittle the misfortunes and sufferings of the nation. He recounts at considerable length his meetings and conversations

with certain English officials, army and navy, whose attitude toward Serbia and whose opinions about other nations, allies of England, the reader will find as amazing as did the author. He apologizes for including these matters in his book in this wise: "In trying to write the story of Serbia I cannot omit one of her major afflictions."

Not a little impatience is manifested by Mr. Jones in his discussion of the complacent belief of the people of this country that it was American service and American money that chiefly saved Serbia from complete annihilation by the typhus epidemic. And when he shows what was done by other nations in comparison with America his impatience with boasting of his countrymen and his scorn of it seem to be well merited. "If anything," he sums up, "besides natural conditions stopped the typhus in Serbia, it is to Russian money and Russian workers that more credit should go than to any other agency. America did something but not much toward stamping out typhus. What she did has been blatantly advertised in this country."

BLOOD AND IRON

BLOOD AND IRON: Impressions from the Front in France and Flanders. By Wilson McNair. Illustrated. New York: E. P. Dutton & Co., \$2.

THIS volume of war "impressions" owes its existence to the author's conviction that "To know the truth concerning any great event it is necessary to know the atmosphere in which it took place." "It is certainly true, for example," he goes on in his preface, "that a record of the emotions awakened by the great days of the Marne and the Aisne is essential to a true conception of these days and to a proper understanding of their existence." And so the elusive thing he has tried to capture and set forth and interpret is the emotional atmosphere in which lived civilians and soldiers, cities and villages, officers and men, in France and Belgium during the first months of the war. He has succeeded well enough to make a singularly moving and impressive book, especially during its earlier chapters. He was in Brussels when Liège was fighting and falling and the army of field-gray uniforms began to submerge Belgium. Many graphic and thrilling descriptions have been written of the coming of that reign of terror and horror—it would be difficult not to be graphic and thrilling when every word is despair and death and every punctuation point a blinding agony—but among them all Mr. McNair's stands out prominently because of his endeavor to make his readers understand the emotions of the people, of all the people, peasants, soldiers, officials, townspeople, and to show how, thrust through these emotions, the story of the little nation stood forth, grim and determined, to fight for its life.

Afterward he takes up the coming to France of the British expeditionary force, tells of the retreat from Mons, the battle of the Marne, the feeling in Paris, the battle of Ypres, and various phases of the conflict during the first Winter of the war. Much of what he writes about he saw himself and the rest he draws from the experiences of his friends. There are descriptions of scenes and incidents and people, anecdotes, conversations, interpretations, and through it all a thread of statement of the great events of the time, their significance and the chief features of their strategy.

One of the many interesting and little-known points that Mr. McNair brings out is that of the defenselessness of the Channel ports during the retreat from Mons. "Why the Germans did not take Boulogne and Calais and Dunkirk during these days," he says, "one of the mysteries of this astonishing period," and he adds, speaking, he says, of his own knowledge, that at any time during a fortnight half a dozen Uhlans might have captured Boulogne, and the Uhlans were within thirty miles of the port. In his account of how "The Sclerosers of General Joffre" closed upon the German army at the battle of the Marne Mr. McNair gives credence once more to the story of the "taxical army" from Paris. "Although it has been made clear that, in its dressing at least, the tale is merely a picturesque legend. A newspaper correspondent who was in Paris at the time has shown that there were not vehicles enough left in the city for such transportation of the army that helped to save Paris—France and civilization. Mr. McNair has written an interesting and

valuable book, although he sometimes depicts from its worth by the high emotional pitch which he not only maintains throughout, but allows to grow higher and more tense as he proceeds. It is difficult, of course, to refrain from doing this when all the experiences with which he deals are tense and sombre and thrilling. Nevertheless, it is a mistake artistically, because thereby he misses some of the effects which he wishes to produce upon the distant reader, surrounded by different scenes and interests.

POTSDAM PRINCES

POTSDAM PRINCES. By Ethel Howard. Illustrated. New York: E. P. Dutton & Co., \$2.

THE German Crown Prince is said to speak English fluently and correctly, but if that is true, he must have improved very much in his knowledge of the English tongue since the days when Miss Howard was English governess of the sons of the Kaiser. She gives a few samples of their attempts at its use, which, considering that they had had an English nursery governess from their earliest years, do not bespeak an ardent desire, at least during their youth, for intimate acquaintance with its spelling and construction. On one occasion she had corrected Prince Adalbert's "If I was" to "If I were," and received in consequence a reprimand from the Kaiser, who told her that he did not wish to have his sons taught ungrammatical English. She offered to prove by an English grammar the correctness of her instruction, to which the Kaiser replied that he would not do so, and that what was not, as his grandmother was English.

Miss Howard went to the German Court in 1885 as English governess of the Kaiser's children and remained there for three years. She has since served in a similar capacity in the household of the Duke of Cambridge, an intimate, gossiping account, written in a just and kindly spirit, of her life with the Imperial family, of the personalities of the boys who were in her charge, and of the Kaiser and Kaiserin. The book has been written since the breaking of the war, and in brief preface she says that, although it is impossible for her to think now of the Kaiser's sons as she did then, she has yet tried to write a true and unbiased account of her pupils as she found them. It has been entirely successful in this, for there is no trace in her pages of the slightest bitterness and, except for an occasional reference to recent events suggested by her narrative, the work might have been written a dozen or twenty years ago.

But there is much in it that has especial present interest in the light that it throws upon the characteristics of the Crown Prince and his younger brothers. He was 13 when she took up her duties, and as he was sent soon to school elsewhere she had her charge as English teacher only occasionally when he was at home. But she saw much of him, finding him to be very excitable and sensitive and markedly conscious of his own rights. He did not allow the least tampering with his possessions or the least infringement on his rights by his brothers. He was domineering toward them and was usually a disturber of the peace. Nevertheless she thought him to have an affable nature and to be essentially a gentleman at heart. "But," she says, "even though I liked him, he always made me feel what a dangerous and uncertain ruler he would make and what an uncompromising despot this tyrannical and teasing spirit came upon." Prince Elie Friedrich was obsessed with a love of things military, was "always for Prussia in every way," while "his anti-foreign feeling," she says, "even as a boy, was amazing." Prince August Wilhelm, although he was only 9 years old at the beginning of her stay, she considered the most gifted of all the young Princes, while she thought Prince Oscar the possessor of the richest character and most affectionate nature. Of Prince August she says that "he was talented beyond the ordinary, and if he does not eventually produce some great literary or artistic work I shall be much surprised."

There is an interesting picture of the Kaiserin, of whom Miss Howard has pleasant memories as a capable, earnest woman and

devoted mother whom she found to possess far more ability and character than she had expected. The little book, with its faithful account of life in the German royal family, makes interesting reading, is full of lively and amusing anecdote and helps the reader to make a true estimate of the characters of the Kaiser, the Kaiserin and their children.

THE IRISH ABROAD

THE IRISH ABROAD. By Eliot O'Donnell. Illustrated. Dutton & Co., \$2.50.

IT has been the fate of the Irish more than of most races to attain eminence in foreign lands rather than in the Emerald Isle itself. Its history of turmoil and civil strife combined with the comparative manoeuvres of its national life has of necessity hampered the Irishman who stayed at home and has encouraged numbers of the more gifted and enterprising to seek fame and fortune abroad.

So Eliot O'Donnell has had a wide field in undertaking to write the history of Irishmen outside of Ireland. He has first endeavored to trace the fortunes of his race as it sent colonies to different districts of England, and has then given brief biographical notices of eminent Irishmen in England before he has gone on to discuss the Irish in France, Spain, the United States, and other lands.

Mr. O'Donnell has compiled a notable list, but some criticism may be passed on his method of handling it. It is not to be expected that an Irishman writing of the lamentable annals of his country should pre-serve a judicial attitude, but the reader cannot help feeling that Mr. O'Donnell has sometimes put down to national prejudice the sufferings which should more fairly be ascribed to universal economic conditions. Then he has not avoided the temptation to swell his list of the famous until it became little better than a catalogue, while his estimate of individuals may sometimes be questioned, as when he merely mentions Lord Lawrence as the brother of the gallant but less important Sir Henry Lawrence. To the Irishman, justly proud of his race, the book will, however, be welcome. If it is nothing else it is a handy work of reference which will preserve the names of many who do not deserve to be forgotten.

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"The Fairy Bride" is a charming little Irish play, well adapted for school use. A wicked stepmother and a black magic to bring a blenheim upon Prince Dermot, the rightful heir to the throne, and advance her own son. She is foiled by the Fairy Princess, Ethna, who takes Dermot to Fairyland and rides him of the curse, thus making him suitable for the Druids to proclaim him King. Of course, Ethna becomes a mortal, and then they marry and "live happily ever afterward."

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PRINCIPLES OF COMMERCE. By Harry G. Brown, Assistant Professor of Economics, in the University of Missouri. New York: The Macmillan Company. \$1.75.

In some matters Missouri is more in the position of "showing" the country than expressing its desire "to be shown." When its legislators enacted favors for the community at the cost of the railways the plain farmers of Missouri rejected the proposal, and therein are lamentably in advance of other States where the opinion of the electorate is less enlightened. And here comes a Missouri professor expressing views which challenge the wisdom of investments of hundreds of millions in public utilities which are not working out as calculated, and which are being administered upon principles needing reconsideration.

Professor Brown's book is divided into three nearly equal parts. The first is devoted to a consideration of the mechanism of international exchange. The workings of the world's money markets are explained with lucidity, and are presented in a manner excellently worth attention at this time, when loans are being floated by the hundred millions and the country is doing a foreign trade in billions. There is no parallel in the history of any country either for volume of foreign trade or the stress of exports above imports and the consequent disturbance of all accepted theories of international relations. This is the harvest time of merchants of money and savants who think before they act. There has not been a time like this since the securities of the United States sold far below par and offered unheard-of interest during the civil war. Students of principles of economics and those with idle funds are alike interested in this portion of the book. Legislators also would profit by the discussion of the possibility, or rather the impossibility, of permanency of one-sided trade relations, that is, a trade disproportionately excessive respecting either exports or imports. Just as action and reaction are equal, so a disproportion of that sort is correct itself, and yet there is nothing more notable at the present time than the disposition among politicians to intervene in this normal economic reaction and obstruct it by statutes. Even now the old tariff tale is reviving in the United States, and there are Presidential campaigns concealed in the proposals of laws against foreign dumping, bounties, navigation acts, and so on. The incidence and the shifting of these burdens on trade in the name of encouragement of trade are well discussed, and compose the second part of the book, without especial novelty of view.

What may be called the eyeopeners from Missouri are to be found in the third part, which is devoted to transportation treated in the manner of the tariff when discussed by economists rather than by politicians. Protectionists have no difficulty in showing that privilege results in profits. Their difficulty lies in showing that the profits should be allowed in the name of patriotism. The country voted against this proposition before the great war, which reopened the entire question. Superimposed upon this revived tariff question is the transportation question, which is pressing through the minds of the tariffists. Gradually there is emerging a theory of rate regulation comparable to the theory of protection. Out of the chaos of precedents in the regulation of specific rates students of principles are deducing rules for the regulation of commerce. Just as the application of protectionist principles disclosed even to protectionists the necessity of regulation of privilege unless the community is to revolt, so the regulation of rates is disclosing to the regulators the fact that they are regulating commerce rather than railway rates or profits. If rates are too high they prevent commerce which ought to be done. If they are too low they encourage commerce which has no right to exist. If they are discriminatory they distastefully compete between markets or commodities or methods of transportation, whether by water or by land. Schedules of tariff rates or railway or canal charges have similar capacity of establishing privileges, which may be wrong, defensible, or commendable, according to the conditions of the case. This part of the book is in the nature of applied science, and, as Captain

Cuttle might remark, the bearings lies in the application.

Taking, for example, the Panama Canal, now operating at the cost of the United States Treasury, on current account, to say nothing of the sinking of some hundreds of millions of public money. On that head nothing need be said, so far as the canal is a political or military work. The Treasury can afford anything along that line, and the canal may be worth its cost in dollars. But there is the cost in the disturbance of trade. What is the cost? Is the canal worth that? Should the tolls be regulated on economic principles, and what are they? If these questions are sensible it follows that the canal rates are not reasonable. If it is worth \$1,000 to transport certain goods across the continent and the cost is \$1,100 the goods will not be sent. If the Treasury contributes \$100, so that the charge to shippers is \$300, the goods will be sent, and all dealings in those commodities or commerce between communities dealing in them will be affected. Transcontinental commerce is on the scale of multiples of millions. The hundreds of millions of tons invested in the canal are trifling compared with the greater sums of private money in the transcontinental railways. The sum of those two great amounts is trifling compared with the investments in the commodities produced and trans-

ported. The Interstate Commerce Commission has tried every combination in dealing with this question and has satisfied nobody, not even itself, if its changes of front are evidence.

There have been protests alternately from the coast cities and the interior cities, from the shippers and the traders. The transcontinental railways have protested, and in time it may be supposed that the taxpayers will protest against throwing away taxes in the effort to regulate rates otherwise than economically. The late Mr. Hill is quoted as saying that the railways would make tidy pads grow in the canals. The politicians wish to make the canal free in the name of freedom of trade, but in reality for the disturbance of trade. Without enlarging further upon this aspect of the Panama Canal rates, a problem here rather indicated than settled, the professor's point of view may be indicated from a quotation regarding the New York canals:

New York State is now enlarging the once busy and profitable Erie Canal at an estimated cost of not less than \$100,000,000, in order that it may carry barges of 1,000 tons capacity from the Atlantic Ocean to the Great Lakes, and vice versa. The plan is to charge nothing for the use of the canal. This will mean a burden on the taxpayers of the State of an uncompensated loss to the taxpayers in those parts of the State which cannot economically use the canal either to market their produce or to obtain goods for consumption. It amounts to a gift by the taxpayers of the State of New York to those producers and consumers in other States who can sell their goods for more or buy desired goods for less because of the free use of the Erie Canal. It involves encouragement to transportation via the canal of goods which might better go by railway or by the St. Lawrence River.

If the traffic which is expected to use this canal would be able to pay the cost of operation and maintenance, and interest on the \$100,000,000 or more sunk and to be sunk, then it should be charged this cost and interest to the end that those who reap the benefit of the canal in lower cost of carriage, and in prices of goods higher to producers and lower to consumers, shall pay for the advantage so secured; and that those who reap the most gain shall pay the most, and to the end that the burden shall not fall upon the general public without any regard to proportionate use and benefits received. If, on the other hand, it is not believed that those using the canal can meet such charges and still find it profitable to carry goods over it, then we must conclude that the canal ought not to be (or in part to have been) enlarged, since the total expenses, including cost of the enlargement of carrying goods over it will probably be greater than the benefits to be received from transporting the goods, or will be greater than if the goods were carried over another route, e. g., a railroad.

To which may be added that if \$100,000,000 was to be spent in providing competition for railways it would have been better spent in providing a railway open throughout the year than upon a canal which closes with the frost. No doubt there is something to be said in favor of the canals, especially as competitors of the railways rather than competitors. The case is not wholly against them, and the subject is one with many angles. But the professor has discovered angles hardly sufficiently considered when the canals were built and necessary to be considered now that the canals are coming into use. No one interested in the case of the railways versus the canals is well informed unless he knows of the points the professor raises, and provides himself with a reply if he dissents.

BOOKS WORTH READING

An artistic volume entitled "The Legacy of the Exposition" contains what is described as an "interpretation of the intellectual and moral heritage left to mankind by the World Celebration at San Francisco in 1915." The interpretation is in the form of a collection of testimonials contributed by about 700 persons, including President Wilson, Mr. Taft, Colonel Roosevelt, Mr. Bryan, Mr. Root and many other eminent Americans, all of whom express admiration of the great fair. The volume was prepared, under the direction of the President of the exposition, by James A. Barr, Joseph M. Cumming and Oscar H. Fernbach.

ERIN

RINGING FIRES OF ERIN. By Eleanor Rogers Cox. Dignity by John E. Campbell. New York: John Lane.

Four years ago *The Times Book Review* commented appreciatively on the appearance of a little volume of verse dealing mainly with Irish legends. The author, Eleanor Rogers Cox, has now issued a larger book, in which her earlier poems are completed. The additions sustain the excellent impression then made and strengthen what was then said. Miss Cox has feeling, force, and sweetness, and her strong sympathy with her subject gives her poems full play. Peirce and Cuchulainn and Graine and the rest have often found interpreters, but seldom more winning. The strength and valor of the Celtic heroes find a singer, but another note is the dominant one, as in "Cuchulainn to the Poets":

O Poets, when you sing of me,
And of the deeds that I have done,
And of the battles that I won,
For I am fighting mightily:
Praising me with high heards of fire—
I pray you also in your song,
Tell men how once the World's Desire
Was mine to love a whole day long.

The spirit of the beautiful old legends is the spirit of the poet; she has not caught it, but is filled with it.

Middle English

Students of English literature will be greatly interested in "A Manual of the Writings in Middle English, 1500-1400," prepared by Professor John Edwin Wells of Beloit College. The author deals with all the extant writings in print, from single lines to extensive treatises, composed in English in the period his book covers. Each piece is grouped

with others of its kind, and all available information is presented concerning its authorship and manuscript and typographical history. A great many biographical facts of interest are included in the author's notes. (Tale University Press. \$5.)

Musical Sounds

A series of eight lectures given at Lowell Institute two years ago by Professor Dayton Clarence Miller of Case School of Applied Science is published in a volume entitled "The Science of Musical Sounds." These lectures contain the substance of the information about musical sounds which Professor Miller has acquired through prolonged and elaborate research. (Macmillan Company. \$2.50.)

The National Capital

Volume II. has been published of William Bogart Bryan's "History of the National Capital." It deals with the period running from 1815 to the middle of 1878, and gives a full and entertaining account of the growth of the city and of the development of its business, social, and governmental interests. The narrative includes a great many odd bits of Washington history, some of which are strikingly illuminative of the years to which they relate. (Macmillan Company. \$5.)

Lawn Tennis

J. Darnley Paret, in his illustrated book entitled "Lawn Tennis Lessons for Beginners," presents an admirable course of instruction, carefully prepared and lucidly stated. The author shows what one must do to become a good tennis player, and, of course, includes in his lessons an abundance of warnings against faults into which untalented players are likely to fall. (Macmillan Company. \$1.25.)

Training Boys

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upbringing their own and other boys. The author's views are based on close association with a large number of boys from 10 to 20 years of age. His suggestions have been endorsed by the National Boy Scout Organization. (D. Appleton & Co. \$1.50.)

Hunting and Fishing

A practical treatise on camping out and on the use of the rod and gun is presented by Warren H. Miller, editor of Field and Stream, in an illustrated volume entitled "The Boy's Book of Hunting and Fishing." The author handles his subject with intelligence and skill, and tells boys just what they wish to know about living in the open. (George H. Doran Company. \$1.25.)

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WITH ARRIVES. By Elias Tobenkin. Frontis. Pp. 112. New York: The Frederick Stokes Company. \$1.25.

HERE is a novel that ought to have wide and careful reading and re-reading by those Americans whose roots strike generations deep into the soil of their own country. In former years we heard a good deal about the assimilation of our immigrant population, the assumption being that that process would go on automatically, as in the animal organism, by virtue of the mere presence of surroundings and institutions. More recently we have been discovering that since the process lags or stops entirely we must substitute Americanization for assimilation and devote personal and communal effort to the task. But in all this desire, purpose, and effort, we have been concerned only with what we can give to the immigrant and not at all with what they can give us—other than physical labor for the developing of our resources. We have been as wasteful of our immigrant citizens as we have of our own natural wealth, and it is time for us to recognize and appreciate the richness of the gifts of mental and spiritual endowment that flows into our national veins through Ellis Island.

That is why Americans who can look back through a vista of many generations of American ancestors ought to read "With Arrives." For it is exactly those Americans who look with most condescension upon the newcomers, who regard them with careless, often with scornful, eyes, who ignore them as assets of great value for our common citizenship, who lazily think and speak of them as mere hordes of wood and diamonds of water. And Mr. Tobenkin's book is likely to give them some of that illumination that ought to have burst upon them out of their own souls long ago, and if they read it in the proper frame of mind it may have upon them also not only a chastening but even an inspiring effect.

With first arrives in America as a boy of 12 whose name is Emil Witkowski, and who goes with his father, brother, and sister to live their father's trade in the Middle West. Their last name soon is curtailed to Wit for social, business, and public school convenience. And after some twenty-five years of hard work, ambition, and the bettering of his lot, he finds himself a well-to-do man of intellectual power and refinement. The novel is the story of his life in the meantime and that of his relatives and friends, both Jew and Gentile. After narrating the incidents of the journey of the Wit family to the Western town where the elder Wit has been for several years and has made a home for them, the story pictures their gradual absorption into the life of the community, their eager welcome of the opportunities it affords, their response to American ideals, and the way in which each member of the family works out his own destiny. But Emil, the youngest, is always the central figure, and more and more the story centers itself with him. The brilliant, educated, strong character, and spiritual qualities of the elder Wit had made him a man of some consequence in the little village of the Russian pale from which they had come, and if they had stayed there little Emil would have been a rabbi. But after his course in the public school of his town and in the State university he decides to enter newspaper work, and several chapters tell of his newspaper experiences in Chicago as reporter, writer, and special writer. In the latter work he mixes much with the old population of that city and writes probable and touching descriptions of their surroundings and their separateness from the general life. The author evidently has had experience in this line of journalism, for he writes with realism and with a strong, unspoken but very evident flavor of grimly ironical humor of the conditions which keep young Witkowski down to a hard-earned living and finally cost him his job.

In New York, whether he comes from Chicago, Emil fares better, finds more congenial associates and more interesting work. Burrows befalls him in the death of his young wife, and other griefs affect his character. But at last, as an editorial writer on an influential weekly paper and a writer of thoughtful books, he "arrives" not only in recognition and honors, but in personal happiness and in the final adjustment of himself as a citizen at home in his own country. Here is the author's description of him at this time:

Within him the change which had been wrought in twenty-five years took on the first gleam of its life in the New World, when his father dressed him in American clothes from head to foot. That change was now reaching the highest culmination. Wit had become a real American. He had drunk deep of the life of American ideals, but of American culture and American traditions. . . . The cultural background of Wit's effort was that of New England. Not one in a thousand of the readers of these unsold editorials at American life and problems and who would have suspected that they were written by any one not of American birth.

The story is fine in its character portrayal and especially pleasing and interesting in the tender and sympathetic understanding with which it points the inner life of these

Jewish immigrants, the way in which they are drawn by their racial traditions and memories and equally drawn by their new surroundings, their peculiar problems of race and religion, and what these mean to them. Whether or not the author means his story to be taken in that way, his Jewish readers may well consider it, in one of its phases, in the light of a sermon to them upon the wrongfulness of racial pride. For his hero does not finally attain happiness until he surrenders that pride. But, equally, his Gentile readers can consider it in the light of a sermon to them upon the wrongfulness of forcing the Jew into an attitude and feeling of exaggerated racial pride.

Apparently this is the author's first book. But it is one of those revealing books for which all Americans ought to be thankful, the immigrant American, at least the Russian Jew immigrant, because it interprets him as he has never been interpreted before, and the native American because it lets him know vividly and humanly what his country means and what he ought to mean to that immigrant. It ought to open up a new and wider mental and spiritual horizon for the native American and give him a wave of new ideas and impressions. It would be well for the country if every race that is represented among our people could raise up a novelist

spokesman who could interpret it and its possibilities to citizenship as Elias Tobenkin has interpreted the Russian Jew.

MICHAEL CASSIDY

MICHAEL CASSIDY, Sergeant. By "Sapper." New York: The George H. Doran Company. \$1.25.

MICHAEL CASSIDY, Sergeant in His Majesty's Corps of Royal Engineers, is somewhat reminiscent of Kipling's Mulvaney, although the resemblance is racial rather than individual. The man who writes these "plain tales" of him and the great war under the pen name of "Sapper" is said to be an English officer of engineers. Whoever he may be, his sketches of scenes and incidents and men under the roaring guns and bursting shells of the French war zone reveal a knowledge, a skill and a talent for other matters than the science of war. They are brilliant pictures of the things that happen at the front, each one painted with free, strong brush strokes, and they are also clever, keenly seeing and profoundly understanding studies of men under the rapidly changing influences and the hotly inspiring breath of war. Many of his sketches have appeared in the English newspapers, where they have attracted much attention, not only for their truthfulness of description, but also for their literary quality.

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rarily on his way to the front from some distant region of the earth whence he had been summoned on the breaking out of the war. "Sapper" visits him many times, and each visit affords material for a chapter, told in Cassidy's own Irish brogue, with an occasional question to keep him going or start him on a new track. The Irishman has seen many and varied things at the front, and when he begins with "I mind me once" an interesting and more or less startling tale is sure to follow, vivid with first-hand knowledge, quaint, even amusing sometimes, with the Irish sense of humor, and weird with the Irish response to awesomeness. He tells his stories well, with an instinct for keeping the outlines firm even while he is filling them in with colorful detail. One of the stories which he tells about Rosie, a small lass at a farmhouse, that laid an egg for the Major's breakfast every morning, and about how an accident to her ended in a charge of the men cooks, who avenged her death by capturing some Germans, fairly bubbles with mirth. In one chapter Cassidy talks about "The Christmas Truce." He has many anecdotes of happenings in the trenches, and of trench warfare and of mining and sapping he re-creates, keenly seeing and profoundly understanding studies of men under the rapidly changing influences and the hotly inspiring breath of war. Many of his sketches have appeared in the English newspapers, where they have attracted much attention, not only for their truthfulness of description, but also for their literary quality.

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a rich father had enabled him all his life to do nothing and be greatly bored in the process. The story concerns itself, after sketching in the background of his life and character, with what happened to him and what he did during two very full and terrible weeks, and then, says the author, "stopping one in the shoulder, he went back to England feet first—a man, where before he had been an ass."

THE CHIEF LEGATEE

THE CHIEF LEGATEE. By Anna Katherine Green. Philadelphia in Color. New York: Dodd, Mead & Co.

THIS story evolved out of a particularly dark and puzzling mystery set before the reader in the first few pages is one of Mrs. Rohlfs' earlier stories, written about ten years ago, and originally published for premium purposes. Its initial situation is the mysterious disappearance of a bride on her wedding day. The people concerned are wealthy and fashionable New Yorkers and the wedding has been one of some consequence. As the bride and groom walk down the church aisle from the altar her eyes fall upon a man with a twisted face and her husband notices that the sight affects her, but that she quickly controls herself. The stranger appears at the reception, is introduced by the bride to her husband as a relative and whispers to her. Afterward she begs of her husband that they postpone for a few days the start upon their wedding journey and instead go to a quiet hotel for a little while. But in the hotel, after registering, he suddenly finds that he is alone. No trace of his wife can be found, nor has any one seen her leave the house. Upon this foundation Mrs. Rohlfs builds a labyrinthine structure of mystery, wild happenings and sinister entanglements that involve

the finding of a twin sister of the bride, supposed to have been dead many years, the bride's supposed suicide in a whirlpool near a Connecticut town and the revelation that her will has made her chief legatee a working man in St. Louis of whom none of her friends or relatives has ever heard. And finally, in the last chapter, the author draws together all the dark, mysterious, and macabre threads in a climax, some of whose revelations the reader may dimly have guessed, but which will give him more than one interesting and more or less startling tale. Much of it must be swallowed whole, without any questioning of its credibility, merely as a mystery story, and the author leaves unresolved and unconvincing the identity of the "cause" which has been at the bottom of all the nefarious happenings. More artificial than the best work of Mrs. Rohlfs, lacking much in diction and style, its incidents sometimes so far-fetched as to border on the absurd, "The Chief Legatee" nevertheless will afford devotees of the mystery story an exciting and absorbed hour or so of reading.

ANOTHER GIRL'S SHOES

IN ANOTHER GIRL'S SHOES. By Berta Ruck. New York: E. C. Cowell, New York: Dodd, Mead & Co.

THE fiction formula employed by Berta Ruck, who in private life is Mrs. Oliver Onions, is somewhat old-fashioned, markedly youthful and equally saccharine. But it has such gaiety, such cleverness of a certain sort, such zest of life, and such a humorous point of view that, if one wants in fiction merely amusement, it is possible to forgive the author some of her failings. It is marshmallow fiction, but it is served with a piquant

sausage that disguises some of its marshmallow qualities.

This new story is told in the first person by Rose Whitelands, a young woman of London who has known better times, but is, at the opening of the book, in reduced circumstances that have made it necessary for her to take a position as nursery governess. As she starts upon her railway journey to Wales to begin her work she almost misses her train and is shoved by the guard into a first-class compartment, where she meets her Fate. But the Fate is feminine, in the shape of a gaudily clad star of the "movie" world, who describes herself as "one of these here war widows." She had married the only son of an aristocratic family in Wales, and he had immediately gone to France and been killed. His widow, with misgivings and reluctance, is on her way to join his family. She soon decides that the demure nursery governess would be much more to their liking and contrives to shunt the unwilling Rose off at their station, while she herself goes on to accept a promising offer of employment in America. Rose is welcomed at once by the bereaved family, tries to explain, has an accident which persuades her supposed "in-laws" that her memory has suffered a twist. They politely will not listen to her, and insist that she is their son's widow. Complications thicken and the scene moves to Paris. Dilemmas of varied kinds thicken around the distracted ex-nursery governess who has been thrust against her will into the other girl's shoes. But finally everything is solved, in one way or another, and the story ends with everybody pleased and happy. Mrs. Onions has the story-telling instinct, and this, no less than her previous novels, has a complicated, well-constructed plot, with plenty of dramatic situations—enough, indeed, to make it such a film-play as would delight even Mrs. Vera Vayne, the war widow, herself—and brisk movement, with something happening every minute. The author is good also at conversation, knows

how to carry on the movement of the story by its means, and makes Rose Whitelands tell her tale vivaciously, with humor and joyful enjoyment.

MARIE DUPONT

THE CRUEL CASE OF MARIE DUPONT. By Marie Dupont. New York: The Century Company. \$1.25.

WITH this book Miss Leuehrmann makes her first bow to the public as a novel writer, although for some years she has been a contributor of short stories to the magazines. She tells in her first tale a complicated and exciting story of mystery, crime, baffling actions, and hidden motives that reveals a marked degree of talent for the devising and writing of that kind of fiction. Her Marie Dupont is a beautiful and clever girl belonging, through a supposed aunt with whom she lives, to the select social circles of New York. The mystery concerning her is cleverly developed from small beginnings, mere hints, suggestions, suspicious circumstances, queer incidents, that pile up and baffle explanation until presently she is enveloped in a dense cloud of sinister possibilities.

The story is romantic in its atmosphere, involving a Rumanian noble in New York who is searching for a lost necklace with a Greek cross pendant, each one of which value is the worth of its many precious stones and almost equal value for its great age and historical associations. It had disappeared seven years before, when the eldest son of a princely Rumanian house had dallied with a beautiful dancer in a little Parisian theatre and had been found dead beside the road outside the city and she had been found murdered and brutally battered in her apartment.

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Algernon Tassin's Entertaining History of the Magazine in America, and Other Recent Publications

THE MAGAZINE IN AMERICA. By Algernon Tassin. Philadelphia, New York: Dodd, Mead & Co. \$2.

SOME ONE said of Disraeli that his most remarkable achievement was making himself what he was from what he had been. The same thing might be said of the magazine in America. Algernon Tassin, in his informal history of periodicals in this country, traces the growth of the magazine from its birthday in January, 1741, in Philadelphia, to the close of the nineteenth century. Mr. Tassin has made his book essentially readable; written in sprightly fashion. It is full of cheer as well as information.

The announcement of The New York Instructor, (1755) was typical of the times:

The design of this paper is to communicate to the Publick Select Pieces on the Moral Duties, and such historical or speculative Remarks as may be thought useful to be collected from the best English writers, which if read either in a Morning at Tea, or after Dinner by the Chamber Son, cannot fail of leaving a good effect upon the mind, as well as improving them in their reading and Manners. If any Gentleman of Taste will please to recommend any particular Piece, or if he will be pleased to send them in their Turn. And these selected will be collected and printed in a new Volume, which will be of great use to those who cannot readily come to the Originals. No charge will be made for the insertion of such Papers, and will return them to the Printer at the end of the year shall have a copper plate for each.

But only ten numbers were published, a short-lived fate shared by most of the early magazines. Philadelphia was the cradle of the magazine movement. For many years authors were compensated merely by the joy of seeing themselves in print, until The North American set the pace of "one dollar a page, and no copy thrown in." Anonymous was in general the rule of the day. "The imprinted seal of secrecy forbids the development of names," announced the Massachusetts Magazine, "but the late graduated sons of Harvard and Hanover will pardon the well-founded presumption that our readers are greatly indebted to many of them for the instructive essay on the amusing tale."

In 1842, however, Hawthorne was writing to Griswold: "I am advised that the publishers of magazines consider it desirable to attach writers exclusively to their own establishments and to pay a higher rate for such monopoly." Graham's and Godey's and the good old Knickerbocker were filling the horizon then. Godey's was the first magazine to make a special appeal to women and the first to start the present mode of advertising. "Perhaps the first American slogan," says Mr. Tassin, "was 'What Will Monday Do Next?'" Poe's acid criticism formed a sharp contrast to the ladylike effusions accepted by Mrs. Hale for this "lady-bow."

In a chapter called "Willow Wills and Piratical Poe," the author shows the many magazine ventures and adventures of these famous men. Poe seems to have been in general enmity with most of his contemporaries. Reprinting from English magazines without a "by your leave," selling his own work several times to different magazines, his business dealings were not of the highest order. The first offense, however, was not a peculiarity of Poe's. Later the stately Harper was to make it a regular practice.

The Atlantic began with an imposing array of names: Mr. Underwood, Cabot, Motley, Longfellow, Phillips, Lowell, Holmes, Emerson, Mrs. Stone, and Harriet Prescott. The most shining literary lights of the day were contributors. Putnam's, the magazine of opinion, was sturdy, but short-lived, merging itself into Scribner's, afterward the Century. Holland, erstwhile of The Springfield Republican, made Scribner's "The Great Apostle to the Multitude of Intelligent Americans Who Have Missed a College Education." Harper's, a "Converted Corsair," ceased its literary piracy and became the most respectable of periodicals. It catered to its subscribers and never voiced an opinion likely to offend.

In 1893 the first cheap magazine appeared, McClure's Magazine, to be followed shortly by the Cosmopolitan and Munsey's. The character of the cheap magazine, according to Mr. Archer, is due to one man, S. S. McClure. He understood the Middle West and America at large, and catered to it. He not only founded the Newspaper Syndicate—his

was the first muck-raking magazine—the first magazine with a social obligation.

And so, we come to the end of the century. Mr. Tassin has shown us a wilderness of magazines, so many that were not for the lightness of his style "The Magazine in America" would make exceedingly tiresome reading. There is a certain lack of system of arrangement of his interesting material that makes the chronology rather difficult. Having read the volume, and suffered in spirit with the editors and magazine proprietors to establish a really good magazine, one thinks of the Edinburgh Review, and sighs, and sighs again, and optimistically continues to hope.

JOSEPH FELS

JOSEPH FELS, HIS LIFE. By Mary Joseph Fels. Philadelphia, New York: E. W. Hinesch, \$1.

TWO classes of readers will be attracted at first sight by this book: admirers of the remarkable business man, whose "simple story" is told by his sister, and readers with the rare attribute of open, unprejudiced minds. How seldom it is given to us to approach any radical subject with an unbiased understanding is apparent when certain phrases are launched which are as many as the proverbial "red rag." To disciples of Henry George the combination of letters spelling "single tax" has a musical completeness which is as comprehensible as "Moonlight Sonata," and entrances the imagination in an equal degree. But to the uninitiated the phrase is as meaningless as the whizz of the peasant man's whistle, and arouses as much irritation. Now, it is a fact that remoteness increases the misery of this split-splinting noise, and that it softens to a harmless drone when closely approached. Likewise, dogmas that loom horribly when merely sighted diminish to ordinary well-meant efforts toward solving life's difficulties when sincerely studied out.

Without the "open mind" that Spencer advocated as the preliminary to every investigation, it will be useless for any one to spend time over the volume describing the singularly unselfish yet egotistical work of the merchant and philanthropist whose restless genius inspired him to enterprises making for the improvement of conditions of the very class his shrewd wit exploited and turned to profit. As Dogberry wrote himself down an ass, the merchant confessed himself "a robber," not without an ulterior intention of smiting his competitors as he and his wife, while classing himself with them. And it tickled his sense of humor to use his power nobly instead of ignobly, as other gatherers of gold to their credit, study out ways of giving back what he had won from the simple and unlearned, as a big boy who has amused himself by pinning all the marbles possessed by children returns them in a burst of generosity, and with a warning to be more on the alert hereafter against sharpeners. But the fact remains that Mr. Fels, the soap-maker, achieved extraordinary power by his unaided ability and that he did use it to excellent ends. This makes the recital of his life interesting; the personality of the man, his impetuosity, his enthusiasm, his alternating outbursts of liberality and calculation, his tenderness and his little tyrannies, give to the biography color and spice. There is less of the personal element in the book than one might wish; it is more an exposition of the Fels doctrine and views than would be preferable in an ordinary story of a prominent man's life.

The final chapter is devoted to "personal" matter, and here we are told that Mr. Fels was five feet tall; that he had from early days but a fringe of hair on his round head, and that when he walked out he invariably carried in his left hand a small dispatch case filled with letters and under his right arm a mass of papers. A very tender and sympathetic picture is now given by the sister-biographer of the little habits and ways of the good man in his private life. He was simple and frugal, affectionate and kindly—virtues very often characteristic of the American business man, whose days are filled with enormous enterprises, but who lays aside superiority on entering his home, and becomes admiring and playmate of the family his energy royally supports.

There is admirable unreserve in the book

regarding the real character of the man. Probably his odd habit of making public acknowledgment of his faults, which Fels carried to a degree rather unusual in "self-made" men, makes this frankness necessary. Such a quotation as this is at once amusing and enlightening:

I am two men. With my right hand I can skin a man for five cents, while with my left hand I can give away five thousand dollars.

This twofold nature is strikingly apparent in every act of the man, in both his private and public capacity. He had an extraordinary fondness for children, and his tenderness went out toward young animals, toward everything in need of fostering and care; while he was hard as nails when approached on the side remote from his sympathies. A completely impulsive, rational yet unreasoning man, swayed by his naive egotism, he was led to commit acts that brought consternation on his friends, as when he accosted the Crown Prince of Denmark on a ferryboat and used the opportunity to try to convert him to the doctrine of land taxes.

His emotions [remarks the biographer] were those of a child. Criticism hurt him only when it was personal. It usually stirred the fight in him, and his personal conflicts he was rarely unsuccessful because of his own ideas. * * * Joseph Fels was not the kind of man who could be made over into the polite, urbane, self-effacing mad scientist, and from behind breakfasts. He was dynamic, out in the open, fighting with every emotion that came into him, but always with a heart tender, true, and direct.

The little volume here summed up briefly is a somewhat notable book in its scope and subtle tendencies. It cannot be read apathetically, and it leaves a rather warm, sympathetic impression of the eccentric millionaire, whose name merely means naphtha soap to the multitude, and is at best associated with certain anachronisms that diminish the worth of their subject. The general reader will not regret the hour or so passed in the perusal of the book, while the particular class to whom it appeals will hail it with ardor, as a supplement to the propaganda of Henry George.

THE SYMPHONY PLAY

THE SYMPHONY PLAY. By Jennette Lee. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons. \$1.

MRS. LEE'S "Symphony Play" bears upon its title page the statement that it is "a play in four acts." And therein lies its unique interest. For, judged by our canons and definitions, this is not a play in four acts. It is a collection of four one-act plays, and the author has combined them in the form, and with the purpose, of a symphony.

Out of the urge which lies upon so many Americans to write one-act plays Mrs. Lee has built up her idea of the possibility of a new form of drama—the symphony form. She wanted, she says, to write a one-act play; and she wondered why she, and every one, should be wanting to write one-act plays when there was hardly a manager in America who would look at one, much less put it on the stage. And, thinking this over, the idea came to her of a new dramatic form. The conventional Shakespearean drama, she says, like the Bach fugue, "for counterpoint, one has only to read counterpoint." We consider that the "dramatic form, just as the people of Bach's time considered the fugue," the musical form. Yet out of the dance music and folk-song arose the crude beginning of the symphony, the development of which Mrs. Lee has briefly and interestingly in her foreword. Could it not be, she asks, that we are beginning to develop a new drama form? For the content of our drama is, undoubtedly, she points out, changing:

We are groping for the new play that shall express our time—our nervous quick, psychic, dramatic, deep-whirling soul; play that like music shall express more than color or form or words by means that cannot be analyzed as color and form are analyzed. And the new play, if one may venture a guess, will not be like the Greek play, the embodiment of life—but almost, as in Macbeth, a dismemberment—thin as a veil between two worlds, revealing and hiding and holding the meaning and significance of what passes on the stage.

Not a development of plot, a linking to-

gether of kindred incident, but a joining of kindred idea—almost a development of soul—this is to be the symphony play.

And this is Mrs. Lee's symphony play. It has unmistakable coherence. Its four brief movements not only belong together, but move step by step to one cannot call it a climax, but at least it is a "giving" last movement. And it is "not, like the Greek play, the embodiment of life." It is so essentially "symbolic" that, for all its very real loveliness, we fear that the reader may sometimes be moved to impatience by wondering just what the author does mean.

The first movement, the prelude, is about a little boy and an old woman whom he talked with in the woods; and it is very much the lovechild of the four. It is meet for high praise in Mrs. Lee's work that for the most part she has put her symbolism in the hands, so to speak, of characters that are "real." Billy Boy is a real little boy; Theodore Leavitt is a real—and personally perplexed—modern husband; Haddie is an interesting idealist. The second movement is called "The Mower," and it is too beautiful, though, rare in one conversation between the mother and her little son, it lacks the "first act's" peculiar charm. The "andante" is a labor play—a glimpse of men's souls in a strike. The final movement is about the beauty and the strangeness of growing old. And in the four the author has given interesting expression to an interesting idea.

THE PSYCHIC WORLD

PEEP INTO THE PSYCHIC WORLD. By M. MacDermott. Crawford. J. P. Lippincott Company. \$1.25.

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WHAT AUTHORS AND PUBLISHERS ARE DOING

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GENTRIDE AHERTON, who has been for several months in England and France observing conditions and collecting facts for use in a number of magazine articles which she will write, has heard that in Germany a price has been set on her head. She expects to return to New York early in September.

"Wilson and the Issues," by George Creel, is announced for early publication by the Century Company. The work, which will have special interest and timeliness because of the Presidential campaign, will review and sum up President Wilson's record in constructive statesmanship and in the fields of social, military, and financial reform.

A new novel by Will N. Harben entitled "Second Choice," a new story by Philip Curtis called "Between Two Worlds," and another by Robert B. Updegraff bearing the title "Obscure Adams," will all be published by the Harpers on Sept. 7.

"The Man vs. the Sea," which will be a Fall publication by Mitchell Kennerly, will contain a series of Herbert Spencer's essays which have been brought together by Truxton Beale with comments by a number of distinguished Americans including ex-President Taft, Elihu Root, Henry Cabot Lodge, Charles W. Eliot, and others.

Two novels which the George H. Doran Company will have ready in September are "The Triumph of Time" by Horace Annesley Vachell, said to be that author's most ambitious attempt in fiction, and "The Daughter Pays," by Mrs. Hattie Reynolds.

Captain Lincoln C. Andrews' "Fundamentals of Military Service" is being used as a manual of instruction in the soldier training camps in the North and in the militia camps along the border.

A new novel by Mrs. Margaret Holmes Bates, New York, President of the Daughters of Ohio, will be published this Fall by the Broadway Publishing Company.

It has been suggested that possibly J. D. Beresford's new novel, "These Lynckers," recently reviewed in *The New York Times Review of Books*, which starts with the boyhood of Dickie Lyncker and carries him through to manhood and the brink of marriage, will be the beginning of another trilogy similar to Mr. Beresford's famous "Story of Jacob Stahl."

The Harpers have ready for immediate publication a new edition, revised and enlarged, of George H. Davis' "The Elements of International Law." New material which has been added, bringing the work up to date, deals with the Declaration of London, the International Red Cross, neutral rights and obligations in maritime war, and other subjects which the world war has brought to the fore. An appendix, containing tables of signatures, ratifications and reservations to the conventions of the first and second Hague conference, has been added by the courtesy of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace. The work of revision and addition has been done by Gordon G. Sherman, formerly Assistant Professor of Comparative and International Law at Yale University.

Ruth McNery Stuart is said to be dangerously ill at Ontario Park, N. Y.

An interesting book by Joseph Pennell, to be called "Pictures of the Wonder of Work," is promised for early Fall publication by the J. B. Lippincott Company. It will contain fifty-two drawings and lithographs representing the grandeur, dignity, and power of modern labor. Among the big and well-known places wherein Mr. Pennell found his scenes are the Gary Steel Works, the Chicago Stock Yards, a New York skyscraper, and the Krupp Works at Essen, Germany.

T. Everett Harro, whose last Winter's novel, "Behold the Woman," is being made into a big and gorgeous photoplay, is at work in his mountain-top home overlooking the Valley of the Susquehanna upon a story

which will deal with American captains of industry and their claims to greatness in other than financial fields.

Ellis Calvert Hall, who in private life is Mrs. W. A. Oberholser and wife of a Kentucky college President, says that she has written her last "Aunt Jane of Kentucky" story, and that it will be included in her new book, "Clover and Blue-Grass," which Little, Brown & Co. will bring out this Fall. Her first book, "Aunt Jane of Kentucky," which was rejected by twelve publishers before it was accepted and published by Little, Brown & Co. in 1907, is now in its twenty-second edition.

Harriet Prescott Spofford, who is now in her eighty-first year, has written what she calls "A Little Book of Friends," which will be a September publication of Little, Brown & Co. It will contain accounts of the lives of well-known American women whom she has numbered among her friends.

Thomas Hardy is devoting his time to Red Cross work. A little play which he prepared has been given for the benefit of this work at several places, among them Dorchester, the original of the "Casterbridge" of his novels.

An autobiography of John D. Corrothers, the negro writer and preacher, bearing the title "In Spite of the Handicap," will be

an early publication of the George H. Doran Company. The work is said to throw interesting light upon the race problem in this country and to give new and strange glimpses into the psychology of the negro.

"The Quest of the Golden Valley," which the Putnam will have ready in September, is a story for older boys by Belmont Brown, whose "Conquest of Mount McKinley" is well known, in which the author has taken advantage of his knowledge of woodcraft, mountain climbing, and Alaskan conditions to write a story of frontier life and adventure in Alaska.

"The Farm Mortgage Handbook," by Kingman Mott Robins, which Doubleday, Page & Co. will have ready next week, will have additional interest by reason of the recent rural credits legislation of Congress. It deals with and elucidates the conditions which that legislation was intended to improve.

"The Impossible Mrs. Bellevue," a tale of Mrs. Charles David Lisle, will be an early fiction publication of the Frederick A. Stokes Company.

E. H. Sothern's reminiscences, which have been having serial publication in Scribner's *Magazine*, will be brought out in book form within a few weeks by Charles Scribner's Sons. The title will be "The Melancholy Tale of 'Me.'"

PETROGRAD

PETROGRAD, PAST AND PRESENT. By William B. E. Lippincott Company, \$2.

A GOSSIPY, rambling account of life and affairs in Petrograd and other Russian cities. In recent and former years, this entertaining volume gives also much information that will be useful in the endeavor, necessary to make, to forecast what the Russia of after the war will be like. Mr. Stevens, who is the author of "The Russian Army from Within," which had a good many readers in the early days of the war, went to Russia when a lad in his middle teens and lived there for nearly thirty years. During a part of the time he was correspondent for London newspapers, and always he seems to have been deeply interested in Russian history, literature, life, music, and other arts and to have known many people, some of them of consequence, in varied walks of life. His first-hand, intimate acquaintance with Russian life and people gives a peculiar quality of ingenious truthfulness to his pages, all of which are enlivened with anecdote. This is true even of those in which he tells of the history of Petrograd, which he traces from its foundation, and when he touches frequently upon the general history of the country. In the course of these narratives he has had frequent recourse to those chronicles of former generations, here such bountiful harvest. But he does not revel in scandalous stories for their own sake, and, indeed, touches upon them only lightly and when they serve his purpose of throwing light upon the past or the present.

Mr. Stevens combines history, description, and anecdote into an entertaining narrative all through his book and writes in a lively style, whether he is telling of the famous fortresses of Russia, the Neva and its floods, the history of Petrograd, the modern city and its people, the moujik and the working classes, the present Czar, palaces and cathedrals, the newspapers, the ballet, the theatre. Of Petrograd he says that it has "a charm of its own very hard to explain or describe, which grows on all who know it almost imperceptibly. The free and easy life and the hospitality of its inhabitants have much to do with this attraction, and the comparative ease with

which a fortune can be made is another factor to its credit."

The corruption in Russian official life, of which so much has been written, this author tells in partly due to the very low salaries paid to the bureau officials whose duty it is to attend to the endless red tape of Russian business life. He tells illuminating stories of how resourceful foreigners, especially English and American, contrive to elude the red tape, to the immense forwarding of their affairs. He thinks it is a great misfortune that Russia does not have a better newspaper press, since peasants and working people are now beginning to read the daily papers. "A large section of the Russian press," he says, "seems to think its chief duty is the sowing of hatred between nations, which, though coquetry and peace may flow into their efforts, may eventually lead to trouble." He mentions especially the pernicious teaching, before the present entente between Russia and Britain, of several Petrograd papers by reason of which the English came to be held responsible by millions of people for every ill that befell Russia, whether war, famine, epidemic, or earthquake. The malicious ideas thus beaten into the minds of the people should, he thinks, receive the attention of the Government concerned. "The masses," he says, "are now becoming educated, very slowly and gradually, and will in the future be a force which no Government will dare to ignore."

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Illustration B shows a very dressy blouse of Georgette crepe and satin. Four box pleats of Georgette crepe edged with heavy silk fringe extend to the lower blouse of satin in front and back. The idea is also carried out in the sleeves at the satin cuffs. Note the square neck effect, with turn-back tabs. White or flesh. **\$12.74**

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Third Floor

A Miss's Evening Wrap

A rippling cascade of dull black satin awed in beneath soft pink tassels. Three rows of marabou at the bottom form a deep, scalloped edge, accentuating the width of the flare, which falls from a deep, scalloped yoke. The graceful sleeves are shirred above the wrists and then loose their bounds in a flare edged by two bands of marabou. A deep, rolling collar of marabou crosses below the waistline.

Third Floor

A Baby's Crib

A dainty little white crib is ventilated at top, bottom and sides by snowy white screens, which allow the air to pass freely through the crib. It stands with all the pretentiousness of a full fledged bed, and one would never guess that it may be folded down to occupy a very small space. The bottom raises, the head and foot fold until the sides almost meet. The whole stands on narrow white legs, which roll on casters.

Third Floor

A Blouse

The collar is what makes it different. It is a large, flat sailor effect with a broad hemstitched hem. And on the back is a handsome, beaded motif, with a row of violet, gold and steel beads. The blouse itself is of pleated Georgette crepe, with a short, pleated peplum below the narrow belt of gros-grain ribbon.

Third Floor

A Bag

Rich and elegant in its simplicity is a bag of softest black mocha. The entire lower half is solidly beaded with multi-colored beads, forming circular stripes. Turn the bag upside down and it looks like grandmother's old rag rug, with its dull blue, old rose, and dull yellow beads. The mar-colored silk with which the bag is lined is of shades to harmonize with the colors of the beads.

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Macy's own make; 4-lb. cake, 15c; 1-lb. cake, 4c.

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PROLONGING THE CONFERENCE.

The railroad brotherhoods cannot now go on strike and carry public opinion with them. It is too late for that. They have accepted the good offices of Mr. Wilson, he has committed himself to the principle of the eight-hour day which they demanded, although it was not at all an eight-hour day but a wage increase, and he has sought to persuade the railroad Presidents and Managers to grant the demand. Now the railroad Presidents, in reply, present an entirely reasonable plan of their own as a condition of accepting "the eight-hour day." They will grant the "basic eight-hour day" sought by the brotherhoods and will make a fair trial of the principle subject to the determination of an arbitrating board which shall decide whether the resulting wage increase should be granted. The order would take effect from the beginning of the arbitration, and the railroads will set aside a fund to pay the increase should the decision go against them. The railroads are willing to let the Interstate Commerce Commission serve as an arbitrating board, or that the members of the board should be named by the President.

It is plain to be seen what this means. The "basic eight-hour day" is gained to begin with. The only open question is increase in pay, which, as everybody now knows, is really what the brotherhoods have demanded, since it is plain that no shortening of hours of work was sought. The Board of Arbitration, beyond all reasonable doubt, would determine that an increased wage should be granted. The President has proceeded upon the assumption that public opinion favors it, and he is probably right, although he should have added some definition and limitation when he said that the economic tendency of the times is toward the eight-hour day and that public opinion favors that. In view of the great service the railroads are rendering and of the present high cost of living, the public will readily concede that fair wages should be paid. The arbitration board, whether it be the Interstate Commerce Commission or another, will take that important fact into account. The brotherhoods can accept the terms proposed by the railroads with entire confidence that higher wages will be conceded. That means, in turn, that the railroads must be permitted to charge higher freight rates. That concerns the public, rather deeply concerns it, but since the public is willing the men should have higher pay, it will not object to bearing the cost.

The brotherhoods are not in a position to criticize the railroad Presidents, or any of them, for such a stimulation of public opinion as was disclosed by them yesterday when they published a telegram from a railroad division Superintendent requesting agents to cause dispatches to be sent to Washington from business men urging the President to secure a settlement of the present dispute by arbitration. The chiefs of the brotherhoods, carrying in their pockets strike orders ready for issue upon the receipt of a code message to that effect, should sing small about the telegraphic activities of the railroads. So long as they have power to solicit from members of the brotherhoods the authority to order strikes with the absolute certainty that the authority will be given, they cannot in fairness complain of railroad Superintendents who ask their agents to stir around and get business men to send their views to the President by wire. Mr. Wilson knows how to assess the value of such expressions. Doubtless a majority of these telegrams do express the real wish and sentiment of the senders, just as we must assume that in voting for a strike the members of the brotherhoods act in accordance with their own wishes and sentiments. At any rate, there have been published enough expressions of opinion and enough comments of the press to make it difficult to say that public opinion is not on one way. It will not unanimously approve the settlement of the dis-

pute without any arbitration of details, or a settlement granting everything to the men and nothing to the railroads.

The railroad men, on the other hand, are ungracious and indiscreet, and they ask the impossible when they say, as some of them are reported to have said, that they want action upon their demands now, that promises made by the President would be an insecure reliance, since the November election may give the country a President who is not Mr. Wilson. They must know that the President can promise nothing in the sense of committing Congress. He can promise to use his influence, and that promise he would honorably keep. That influence would be exerted in the three months of the session between the assembling of Congress and the inauguration of a new President, whether Mr. Wilson or another. At a time when the President has turned aside his good offices to the adjustment of this dispute, it is not exactly good form to raise a point of that nature.

The continuance of the negotiations into and perhaps through another week is encouraging. It gives the railroad men and the brotherhoods time to think, it gives the public time to take thought, and it is taking thought. Mr. Wilson has the same opportunity. The negotiation has now reached the stage where a strike is morally impossible. The conditions proposed by the railroad Presidents are so reasonable, they offer to the men so large a part of their demand at once and the practical certainty of securing the rest of it by an impartial arbitration, that they may as well burn the strike orders they carry in their pockets. They will not issue those orders and subject themselves and the country to the peril, loss, and suffering involved in an interruption of railroad service through sheer obstinacy, through the determination to get everything and yield nothing. Public opinion sets itself sternly against strikes begun in that manner, it cannot and will not allow them to succeed. The brotherhood Chairmen and the railroad chiefs are reasonable men. Mr. Wilson is a reasonable man. All parties to the negotiation have now gone so far that there is no drawing back, and the road before them leads straight to a peaceful settlement.

A BASS VOICE AT LAST.

ROBERT BACON seems to have forgotten what party he belongs to and what year it is. He is a candidate for the Republican nomination for Senator, and yet he says what he thinks and does not seem to care whether he repels this or that "vote" or not. He began by announcing that he wanted to be a Senator in order that he might aid in building up preparation for possible war. Then he declared that he stood on the party platform concerning suffrage, which means that he is against the Anthony amendment. Concerning his attitude on the war, he says, "I am an avowed neutral."

Mr. BACON has been a candidate only a few days, and he seems perfectly willing to tell everybody just where he stands on everything. Yet it is for the Republican nomination he is contending, in the puseyfoot year of 1916. He behaves exactly like a Republican of 1890, or 1876, or 1892, or in fact almost any year but this. All around as far as the eye can reach there is a host of Republicans wearing gum shoes on pussy feet, tiptoeing over eggshells to Presidential and Senatorial and Governorships; and here comes this bold, raucous voice rending the silence with brazen affirmations. He coddles no Bund, he softsoaps no Zeitung; ask him anything you like and you will get an answer; he acts as if he did not care to have any votes on false pretenses, and wanted people who voted for him to know what they will get if he is elected. In the dead Republican hush his voice sounds out like a Zeppelin bomb explosion, shattering sleep. He conducts himself—actually he does—as if there were nothing to be afraid of, a Republican, and a candidate for office, too! A very little more of this sort of thing, and people will suspect him of imitating Roosevelt and not Hughes.

THE UNFINISHED STORY FINISHED.

The minimum wage law would not have saved the girl whose story, common and ancient as it is, has so much excited the District Attorney's office. The arrival of the reign of "social justice" would not have saved her. She was not the victim of the monster Capitalism or the wage system. No soulless employer drove her to the easiest way by cutting her wages to the starvation point. Lieut.-Gov. O'HARA of Illinois and his Vice Commission, and the Socialist writers, and the soap-box orators, and the sob sisters, will get no copy out of her. She worked as a stenographer at a weekly salary of \$10 and her employers gave her a bonus of \$150 for good work; it all went to her tawdry home, together with the much larger sums she made in her other calling. She says she expected him to marry her, which one may believe or not; the only reason she turned against him at last was the usual one with women of her class—jealousy. She was a white slave indeed, the slave of her own folly, the slave of an ill-balanced mind and a character in which no true principles

had taken root, and her story is as old as the hills.

But the habit of blaming some social or political system for the defects of human character is dear to this generation; it will be said that such cases as this are exceptional. They are not. They are the rule. Not low wages, but bad home influences and defects of character and intelligence cause these tragedies. Now and then low wages may drive a young man to theft, but, nevertheless, it remains true that thieves as a class are not men driven to it by poverty; they are men who do not want to work. The underworld recognizes the fact by a phrase of its own: when one of its members wishes to say that another man is honest, is not a crook, he does not use those words; he says, "he works." So it has been ever since differences of character began to exist in human beings; but of late it has become popular to lay at the door of the wage system not only its own faults and evils but all others under the sun. The true argument for the minimum wage is not that low wages drive girls into vice, but that low wages make them live hard lives; the argument against it is that the law of supply and demand would nullify it. When the argument for and against is narrowed to these lines much fustian and much unbalanced sentiment will be stripped from it, and thinkers like Lieut.-Gov. O'HARA will be out of a job. The sad thing is that we shall have to give up such excellent, but untrue, bits of literary work as O. HENRY'S "Unfinished Story."

AS IN CAESAR'S TIME.

The German inspired mind does not yet seem to have arrived at a comprehension of the fact that under the laws of war noncombatants are not prisoners. The fact that a noncombatant is not an enemy is readily enough understood when there is a question of some franc-tireur to be punished; it then seems that, since a noncombatant is not an enemy, it is an offense for him to act as one, and he therefore merits death. But when Germany occupies enemy territory it ceases to be able to understand this fact, and always acts toward the noncombatants therein as if they were its subjects, and sometimes as if they were its prisoners.

For some time dispatches have been coming in from France depicting the great excitement of the public mind there over the forcible deportation of 25,000 noncombatants from Lille and nearby towns to other regions, to work in the fields as agricultural laborers for their German masters. It has been apparent that no occurrence of the war has horrified and infuriated the French more. GUSTAVE HEISTED declares that American feelings were no more deeply stirred over the Lusitania massacre than are French feelings over "the filthy crime committed in the north against our countrymen." The state of feeling in France may be understood by the fact that so serious and responsible a man as STEPHEN PICHON denies to the Germans the right to be called barbarians, saying, "The barbarians at least were on a level with the customs and sentiment of their time."

THE HEADLIGHT.

New York State will at last have caught up to its neighbors in the matter of regulating automobile headlights when the measure which has been approved by the State Federation of Automobile Clubs and the Automobile Association has become law, as it undoubtedly will in the next session of the Legislature. This measure forbids the use of blinding lights—any lights which throw their direct rays more than forty-two inches above the ground at a distance of one hundred feet are excluded by definition—on motor vehicles.

It is a restriction sadly needed. Few factors of automobile driving at night are so fraught with danger, just as few are so unpleasant, as the glare from oncoming lights. This glare practically blots out the road from the sight of other motorists and from that of pedestrians. Those who have experienced it at the wheel will remember the feeling of helplessness which it brought them. All this is quite needless. Without reducing materially the light on the roadway itself, the glare can be successfully prevented from reaching the eye line. It is merely a question of choosing from the many devices which bring about this desirable condition.

Certainly, it is to be hoped that the automobile dealers in this State and the representatives here of automobile manufacturers will have the wisdom not to take the obstructive course, when this measure comes up for passage, which they have made familiar through their lobby at Albany heretofore. In the large view such a law must be of great benefit to the automobile from the commercial side. Its importance for public safety and convenience should put it swiftly upon the statute books in any case. With some 275,000 automobiles in the State the effect should be far reaching.

A MAN, AND IN WISCONSIN.

One of the agents of the German propaganda, it seems, has published a syndicated letter in German-language newspapers urging Socialists in Wisconsin to cut their tickets—to vote for Republican candidates for Congress who have truckled to the German vote, and in particular for two who voted for the Gore resolution. These two, STAFFORD and CARY, have Socialist opponents. One of them, VICTOR L. BERGER, carried his district a few years ago and served a term in Congress. The Socialists are strong in Wisconsin, and presumably BERGER and his fellow-candidate, WINFIELD R. GAYLORD, have a chance of election. But the Socialists are urged to put the Kaiser's interests above those of their party and their social creed, and vote for STAFFORD and CARY.

VICTOR L. BERGER himself was born in Germany. He lives in Milwaukee, a city full of men born in Germany. But he is an American. He hitches no hyphens on his allegiance. Here is the answer his newspaper, The Milwaukee Leader, makes to the hyphenated proposal to his constituents:

The American Socialists are not serving as the political chattels of any foreign power. They do not take their orders from the Kaiser, or the Czar, or King George. . . . It is natural enough that American-born Socialists should sympathize with their Fatherland, as it is natural that the English, the Scotch, the Irish, and the French should give their sympathies to their kin beyond the sea. But here they have made their homes. Here their children have been born. Here their future lies. Their material and sentimental bonds are stronger here than to any other land. German-American Socialists are not going to betray the trust that the working class placed in them by putting alien interests above their own interests and the interests of their class. They are going to act as Americans and as class-conscious Socialists, not as the political trading stock of scheming politicians. If it were not so utterly fatuous, a

foul blow could not be dealt to the German-Americans, Socialists and non-Socialists alike, than has been dealt to them by the professional "German-American" syndicates who have been boasting of their purpose to vote the German-Americans en masse for men who are destitute of every personal attribute—such as loyalty and sacrifice, a sense of duty and devotion to ideals—that has ennobled the German character.

That is the answer of a man. In this time of trucking, of politicians who are afraid to say their souls are their own, it is worth while to see, here and there, the exception. Whether he wins or loses the election this German-born Socialist in a German-born constituency has given a living illustration of what an American should be, and what too many Americans born on this soil are not.

THE SWORD OF FREDERICK.

Tradition in the Washington Family on a Disputed Point.
New York, Aug. 19, 1916.
To the Editor of The New York Times:
A letter over the signature of William S. Ludlow of Cincinnati, published in today's TIMES, refers to an article in The Century Magazine of April, 1891, written by the late Moncure D. Conway, as his authority for asserting that Frederick the Great of Prussia did not send a sword to General Washington. Mr. Ludlow characterizes Mr. Conway as "a diligent, painstaking, and accurate writer of Colonial and Revolutionary Virginia history." Without any intention to discredit Mr. Conway's sincerity in the accuracy of his facts, I understood among students of the subjects upon which Mr. Conway specialized that Mr. Conway occasionally accepted statements from various sources that were not substantiated by proof. It is also believed that he did not know which he had written as an authority, and was inclined to accept as facts certain unproved hearsay, when no controverting evidence was found.

It is not the purpose of this communication to enter into details as to what was stated about Mr. Conway's history in the article referred to by Mr. Ludlow, come to the conclusion that Frederick the Great did not send the much-discussed sword to General Washington with the message "From the oldest General in the world to the greatest," because he was able to find no proof as to its existence.

While the writer does not pretend to assert as a fact that Frederick the Great did send a sword to General Washington with the classic message often quoted, he is in a position to know something of the sword in question and the traditions that have been handed down in his family in connection with it.

The so-called "Frederick the Great" sword, which is now owned by the State of New York, and is deposited in the State Library at Albany, is the one that fell to the lot of Colonel William Augustine Washington, a nephew of General Washington, who was given the first choice of the five swords under the terms of Washington's will.

From Colonel William Augustine Washington, this sword was inherited by his son Colonel George Corbin Washington, M. C., who in a letter, written in 1843 to George W. Summers, M. C., referred to it as follows: "My father was intended to first choose the will, but was prevented by inspection from doing so, and he chose the sword which was lying at Mount Vernon when the distribution took place, and Judge Washington selected for him the most finished and costly sword, with which associations were connected highly complimentary to General Washington." See Ford's "Writings of George Washington," Vol. X, page 288.

The Judge Washington mentioned in the letter was Bushrod Washington, a Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, and the first cousin and brother-in-law of Colonel William Augustine Washington. He was also a nephew of General Washington, and given fourth choice of Washington's sword under the will of George Washington.

The next owner of this sword was Colonel Lewis William Washington, the eldest son of Colonel George Corbin Washington, whose widow disposed of it together with other inherited relics of General Washington to the State of New York about Barroil Washington, C. S. A., the eldest son of Colonel Lewis William Washington, and the father of the present writer, has stated over his signature that the sword under discussion was presented to General Washington by Frederick the Great with the message ascribed.

James Carroll Washington was born in 1829, and his father, from whom he received this information, was born 1812, his grandfather, George Corbin Washington, was born 1789, and was ten years of age when his illustrious great uncle died, and about twenty-four years old at the time of the death of his father, Colonel William Augustine Washington. It is probably, therefore, that he had exact information concerning this sword.

Furthermore, as these three owners of the sword, after it left General Washington's hands, were men of position and standing in Virginia, it is hardly probable that the sword in connection with this sword could have been invented by them, but that the legend had the substance of fact and originated with General Washington himself, whose relations with his nephews, Colonel William Augustine Washington, were so close that he was his first choice of his five swords.

It is not disputed that family tradition may in the course of sixty or seventy years (the time elapsing between the death of General Washington and the present time) have become somewhat perverted or an added glamour acquired, but with the knowledge possessed by the writer as to the accuracy of any statement of the three inheritors of the sword, it is highly improbable that a fictitious tradition has developed in this particular case.

It is well known that General Washington was the recipient of many gifts from men in high places. The King of Spain sent him a blooded jackass for breeding purposes. The only record of such a gift to the writer's knowledge, or in an unpublished letter written by Washington, in which he refers to it with a rare touch of humor; and there were many such gifts of which no record made by Washington has come to light.

George Washington, as is well known, was a man of considerable modesty, and that he refrained from referring specifically in his will, or in his known writings, to the so-called Frederick the Great sword is not conclusive that it is fictitious or mythical. On the other hand, the fact that the sword in question characteristically supports the truth of the story.

However, family tradition cannot be accepted as conclusive historical proof. Nor can Mr. Conway's deductions, nor those of the other writers who have accepted as conclusive that Frederick the Great did not send a sword to General Washington. The above is offered without further comment, and it is left to the reader to be a division of opinion on this subject for all time, or until some actual and definite proof is revealed to establish its truth or falsity, and that Mr. Conway's conclusions are at best but a guess. W. LANIER WASHINGTON.

DR. MUENSTERBERG'S LOGIC.

Vassar College, Aug. 26, 1916.
To the Editor of The New York Times:

In his recent strictures on Professor Münsterberg's "meditation" on an Anglo-Germanic alliance, Professor Gotthelf seems rather severe. The Harvard savant, it is to be remembered, is a high idealist, a follower of Hegel. To him, as is familiar to every observer, becomes a favorite rendezvous of foreign propaganda, though there seems to be a wide difference in the manner employed by them. Putting aside whatever has been done by the agents of England, France, China, Japan, etc., there is one thing that I want to call to the attention of the American public at this time when the unbounded Panama-Japan deal is heralded broadcast throughout the country—an aspect of German propaganda.

It was the Kaiser who first depicted the well-known "yellow peril" scare. In a mental state of false security the Czar launched a Far Eastern enterprise, and seemed on the brink of losing part of his European possessions, as well as his prestige in the Near East, but the dreaded "yellow peril" came to his aid and proved itself to be the true friend of Russia. It was von Bernhardi who was frank enough to declare that "the political rivalry between the two nations of the yellow race must be kept alive for the benefit of the white race. With the deportation of China from the Pacific and the German propaganda in China—which once was 'so conspicuous' in the opinion of The Japan Advertiser, an American newspaper published in Tokio—means to have ended in seeing China as a part of the Japanese empire, and before, though the Anglo-Japanese relations are yet far from being satisfactory, and Captain Koenig from Chinese territory the German propaganda in China—which once was 'so conspicuous' in the opinion of The Japan Advertiser, an American newspaper published in Tokio—means to have ended in seeing China as a part of the Japanese empire, and before, though the Anglo-Japanese relations are yet far from being satisfactory, and Captain Koenig from Chinese territory the German propaganda in China—which once was 'so conspicuous' in the opinion of The Japan Advertiser, an American newspaper published in Tokio—means to have ended in seeing China as a part of the Japanese empire, and before, though the Anglo-Japanese relations are 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employed in the Navy Yard, was instantly killed yesterday when he was struck by an automobile truck owned by the Brooklyn Union Gas Company. The truck was operated by George Hoffner, 72 years old, of 241 Bagg Street. Hoffner was placed under arrest, although witnesses said he was not to blame.

Miss Maratha McCluskey, for sixteen years housekeeper for the aged priest, said she believed he had committed suicide while brooding over his church affairs.

His parishioners had been causing him trouble for five years, she said, and one night three of them entered the house and beat him.

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Further rises in foodstuffs, especially flour, featured the weak in the wholesale and commodity markets of the 1938 Dun's list. While only 5 of the 338 advances in the list showed change against the 1937 price, the preponderant tendency of the various markets was more pronounced than it was then. Of the 1938 advances, 240, or 71 per cent, were pronounced to have advanced.

The following selected list gives an impression of the wholesale and commodity markets. Thirty-three standard commodities last year, this city, unless otherwise specified, were advanced 25 per cent or more and with them are given comparative prices for the previous week and the corresponding week last year.

Cheese were all prominent in the advances asked. There was much movement in the market, and prices advanced principally to lower prices in several varieties of beans, which in turn advanced the prices of other staples. Relative accumulations of dried fruits showed a couple of advances. Other foodstuffs advanced in the 1938 list were in No. 1 Norway salt mackerels, a rise in black Singapore pepper, and a drop in black pepper.

While changes in the combined markets for drugs, chemicals, textiles, and hardware were rather change for some time, more of them were advances than declines. The list of goods advanced is given to any of the changes in the list.

changes than for them were advances made. Most of the changes in the market were bills going to 44¢ at Pittsburgh. The higher, for instance, the wheat fell off in price, declines in agriculture, by higher prices for the corn, Purmace coats also price weakness shown, but there was a notice of the leading for the Colorado, and branded lower. All of the grains, the price of the sheep, of course, the wheat, following the previous week. Corn, also, was higher in the primary market, in a limited local demand in the burials during the influence of the general decline in the price of colored cloths were changes for the week in Santa hope and price of the best Bra-

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041	141	141	141	141
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0804	87	87	87	87
08	23	23	23	23
081	182	182	182	182
02	102	102	102	102
12	112	212	212	112
08	80	80	80	80
10	210	210	210	210
114	112	112	112	112
145	145	145	145	145
04	204	204	204	204
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Open.	High.	Low.	Last.
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The following selected list gives an impression of the wholesale and commodity markets. Thirty-three standard commodities last year, this city, unless otherwise specified, were advanced 25 per cent or more and with them are given comparative prices for the previous week and the corresponding week last year.

Cheese were all prominent in the advances asked. There was much movement in the market, and prices advanced principally to lower prices in several varieties of beans, which in turn advanced the prices of other staples. Relative accumulations of dried fruits showed a couple of advances. Other foodstuffs advanced in the 1938 list were in No. 1 Norway salt mackerels, a rise in black Singapore pepper, and a drop in black pepper.

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of an advance of 80 cents a barrel all over the country. That the price of wheat will rise in wheat hard on the flour market is a foregone conclusion. The price of flour is \$2.70 a barrel more than it was quoted at when the advance began several weeks ago. The price of live sheep declined in the major markets. The price of live hogs, prime and short, declined. Both bacon and lard prices were quoted higher.

and an advance was also recorded on
In the dairy products an excellent
domestic and export demand, coupled

at the Hotel Astor. It is understood that
a series of "get-together" luncheons is
to be given by the association beginning
in October or November.

OUT-OF-TOWN MARKETS

BOSTON.				BALTIMORE.			
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50	Adventure	100	100	8%	30	Balt. Tube. R.	60	88	99	80
51	Admiral	100	100	8%	30	Balt. Tube. R.	60	88	99	80
52	Alaska	100	164	164	100	2,180	Cowden, Rer.	113	14	114
53	Alliance	100	164	164	100	2,180	Cowden, Rer.	113	14	114
54	Amor. Zinc	34	34	33%	34	2,180	Cowden, Rer.	113	14	114
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COMMODITIES PRICES.

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raw salt markets, and the combined market for the two commodities has been subject to sharp changes than for them were advances in the use of the metal was not a great factor in the rise in the markets. Most of the metals were up- biling some 10 per cent at Pittsburgh last week, while No. 22 sets all off in price, while No. 24 declines in and are offset by higher electrolytic copper. Furnace coppers also price weakness shown where there is no indication of the leading. In the former mar- corado, and branded in the latter. The grains were up- biling, of course, the collection of the previous week. Corn, were also higher. In the primary mar- United States, the decline in the price buriaps during the week has influenced several varieties of colored cloths were changes for the week. The State of and the price of the best Bra-

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it was impossible to secure the quantity
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in denaturing spirits for the use of man-
ufacturers of tobacco. In view of this
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another formula consisting of an aque-
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HINTS OF FEDERAL SEIZURE

President Confers With
Secretary Lane and
Senator Newlands.

MAY ADDRESS CONGRESS

Railway Heads Expect to Pre-
sent Their Refusal of Peace
Terms This Morning.

8-HOUR DAY FINAL HITCH

Brotherhoods Ready to Bargain
on Other Demands—"Strike
Don'ts" Sent to Workers.

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—The 640
railway brotherhood chairmen left
Washington today with conditional
strike orders in their pockets. The
Presidents of the four brotherhoods
remained, and will send to the chairmen
on or about Sept. 1 the word that will
mean peace or industrial war.

It seems tonight that the only thing
that can prevent the strike is accep-
tance by the railroads of President Wil-
son's plan of settlement.

Meanwhile President Wilson, realizing
the critical situation, took means to as-
certain what legislative or executive ac-
tion might be possible to keep the coun-
try from suffering if a strike should
come. As a result of a conference at
the White House this afternoon it is
believed that serious consideration is
being given to the question of "keep-
ing open the avenues of transportation,"
as it was expressed tonight, through
Governmental supervision or control of
train service, but no authoritative state-
ment to that effect has been made. The
impression that the President is taking
the precaution to learn in advance
whether he would be justified in adopt-
ing drastic measures to prevent a com-
plete tie-up of train service was gained
from what was said after the confer-
ence.

Wilson May Address Congress.
After the President had made a trip
to the Senate office building in the rain
tonight, and had sent a policeman to
ask Senator Kern of Indiana from his
committee room for a conference, Sen-
ator Kern refused to deny that the
President contemplated addressing Con-
gress in joint session on the railway
crisis.

Senator Kern talked with the Presi-
dent for ten minutes in the hall of the
office building, and then they walked
upstairs to the President's room, after
a janitor had been found to turn on
the lights. The conference ended, the
President left without consulting other
Democratic leaders.

"I cannot discuss the subject of the
President's visit," said Senator Kern,
"further than to say that it concerned
the railroad situation. If the negoti-
ations to settle the strike fail, Congress
must endeavor to solve the difficulty."
Asked if arrangements for the Presi-
dent to address a joint session of Con-
gress had been made, he would not deny
that such a joint session in the immedi-
ate future was in contemplation. It
may be called for Tuesday, when a
quorum of the House has been summoned
to reach Washington.

Brotherhood Chairmen Depart.
Senator Newlands, after a conference
with the President today, said:
"In event of a strike the most serious
immediate problem will be that of keep-
ing the railroads in operation, and de-
termining how far the Federal Govern-
ment should go to prevent demoraliza-
tion of business and complete stagna-
tion of commerce. A strike of the di-
mensions of that now threatened would
be civil war. It is idle to ignore the
fact that such a strike could not be
sustained without force. It would be nec-
essary for the Government to use force
and to resort to the military and every
other agency at its disposal to offset
violence and keep the roads open. How
far the Government should go in the
matter of forcing operation of the roads
is a serious problem for Congress to
consider."

Before they left the chairmen sent word
to the White House last night that they
would leave today, and at 3 o'clock this
morning, after a continuous five-hour
meeting, they went from their hotel to
the National Hotel, received more than
\$25,000 expense money, paid their bills,
and took trains for home.

At the chairmen's meeting a resolu-
tion was adopted giving the four broth-
erhood Presidents power to accept any
proposed recession from the eight-hour
day demand. Since the eight-hour
day is the one thing the railroads have
refused, there might seem little chance
of much bargaining.

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Wilson May Address Congress in Joint Session In a Last Effort to Avert Great Railway Strike

By The Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—Plans for a joint session of the Senate and House, possibly on Tuesday next, to hear President Wilson ask for legislation to prevent the threatened nationwide railroad strike were discussed tonight by the President with Senator Kern, the Democratic leader, when it seemed virtually certain that a break between the railroads and their employees must follow final conferences at the White House tomorrow.

Possibilities of legislation were talked over by the President with Senator Newlands, Chairman of the Interstate Commerce Committee, and Secretary Lane during the day, and tonight the President made a quiet trip to the Senate office building to find Senator Kern attending a meeting of the Finance Committee.

Since last night the belief has been growing that negotiations between the railroad executives and representatives of the men would end without an agreement. Whether the plans considered by President Wilson and his advisers at the Capitol will be carried out depends upon tomorrow's developments, but it is understood that if all efforts fail to bring the employers and their men together the President will go before Congress and ask that it deal with the situation, even if that necessitates indefinitely prolonging the present session.

After the President's unprecedented Sunday night visit the meeting of the Finance Committee Democrats was turned from the task of polishing up the Revenue bill to discussion of the prospects before Congress of legislation relating to the railroad crisis.

Of course, all adjournment plans have been forgotten, said Senator Simmons. I think the first thing Congress should do in event of failure of negotiations tomorrow is to enact some legislation to prevent an actual break between the railroads and the men. How this may be done I do not know, but I believe definite plans along this line are already being considered.

Several Senators asserted that Congress could prevent the strike, and some went so far as to say that it must prevent it, and would, but they added that public discussion about the method of accomplishing this result should await an actual break in pending negotiations.

REA SAYS ROADS CANNOT YIELD STRIKE CRISIS MAY HOLD UP CONGRESS

Better to Face Strike Than
Surrender, Pennsylvania
President Asserts.

COST WOULD BE TOO GREAT

Railways Confident Their Ac-
tion Will Be Indorsed by
the Country at Large.

UNDERWOOD FIGHTS ON

Alabama Determined to Op- pose Tariff on Dyes—Other Revenue Contests.

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 27.—
Samuel Rea, President of the Pennsylv-
ania Railroad, who came to Washing-
ton from the Pacific Coast when he
learned that the strike crisis was acute,
announced tonight that the railroads
were ready to face a strike and all its
consequences rather than accept Presi-
dent Wilson's plan of settlement. On
behalf of the railroad Presidents Mr.
Rea made the following statement:

"For the managements of the rail-
ways to yield to the demands and threats
of the labor organizations, and to accept
President Wilson's proposal, would be
to destroy at one blow the principle of
arbitration as the paramount and recog-
nized method of settling labor disputes.
The threatened strike would be post-
poned, it is true, but we would have no
assurance that it would be permanently
prevented. Except that the principle of
eight-hour day would be considered, the
issues of the very controversy now pend-
ing would be left unsettled, while the
future of the railroads would indeed be
rendered dark and uncertain."
In brief, are the reasons why the
heads of the railroads, with a full
appreciation of the solemn and weighty
responsibility resting on them, as well
as of their duty to the public and to
their shareholders, have been forced to
the conclusion that it is better to face
the alternative of a strike than to sur-
render.

"Let any man who questions the
soundness of this conclusion consider,
in the light of their history of the last
ten years, the position in which the car-
riers now find themselves."
"The great labor movements culmi-
nating in the present one began a
decade ago, almost simultaneously with
the adoption of effective regulation.
From that time the managements have
been in a desperate struggle to pre-
vent net revenue from being so im-
paired as to destroy the credit of the
railways and completely stop their de-
velopment. After the first large in-
creases in wages, appeal was made to
the Interstate Commerce Commission
for advances in rates, which the Com-
mission in 1911 denied. Even in the
face of this the railway managements were
undaunted and in good faith applied all
their energy and skill to increasing
efficiency. Never in the history of any
industry was more hard, conscientious,
able and successful work done to in-
crease efficiency than has been done on
the railways of this country during the
last ten years."

"What has been the result? The
labor movement has continued, and on
the railroad it has advanced. Another
has awarded advances in wages. In spite of
increased efficiency the companies could
not stand the strain, and in 1914 again
appealed to the Interstate Commerce
Commission. This time the commission
decided that their earnings were not
adequate, and granted some advances
in rates, but before this relief was ac-
cording there were more miles of rail-
way in the hands of receivers than ever
before, and new construction had
reached the lowest ebb since the civil
war."

"This period of profound depression
has been followed by a year of com-
parative prosperity in the railway busi-
ness."

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Berlin Insists the Bremen is Going to Baltimore

BERLIN, Aug. 27, (by Wireless to
Sayville).—According to the Cologne
Gazette, as quoted by the Overseas
News Agency, the German merchant
submarine Bremen is now on her way
to the United States with a cargo of
dyes.

BERLIN, Aug. 27, (via London).—
The Tageblatt today prints an inter-
view had in Cologne with Director
Lohmann of the company owning the
submarine Bremen, in which he
says the Bremen is already on her way
to Baltimore, and that trade by
means of a submarine fleet will
soon be increased materially.

All the recent indications here
have been that the Bremen, when
she arrived, would put in at New
London.

WM. A. BRADY HURT IN MOTOR ACCIDENT

Jules E. Goodman and John
Turk Also Injured as Man-
ager's Car Breaks Down.

TAKEN TO JERSEY HOSPITAL

Mishap Occurs After the First Pro-
duction in Plainfield of "The
Man Who Came Back."

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Aug. 27.—Will-
iam A. Brady, theatrical producer of
Manhattan; Jules Eckert Goodman, au-
thor of "The Man Who Came Back,"
and John Turk, business manager for
Mr. Brady, were badly injured shortly
before midnight last night in an auto-
mobile accident near Dunellen. All
three are now in the Muhlenberg Hospi-
tal here, recovering from injuries and shock.

Mr. Brady came here last night to
witness the opening performance of
"The Man Who Came Back" at the
Plainfield Theatre. With him were Mr.
Goodman and Mr. Turk. They remained
in the theatre until the close of the show,
and then made preparations to start for
Wilmington, Del., where the play is to
have another tryout tomorrow night.

The three men got into Mr. Brady's
large auto, driven by his chauffeur, and
everything went well until the party
was near Dunellen. Then the rear axle
broke and a wheel came off, causing the
car to skid to one side of the road. The
three men, riding in the rear seat of the
motor, were hurled out and thrown into
a ditch.

They were rushed to the Muhlenberg
Hospital here early this morning. It
was said at the hospital tonight that all
three were badly bruised, but would be
able to leave for New York tomorrow.

TWO KILLED IN RACE AS 11 CARS PILE UP

Peacock's Machine, Leading in 100-Mile Contest at Kalama- zoo, Skids, Blocking Track.

KALAMAZOO, Mich., Aug. 27.—Two
men were killed and eight others in-
jured, one of them fatally, when eleven
of fourteen automobiles piled up at the
first turn during the 100-mile race at
Recreation Park here today.

The dead are:
ARNOLD, MARION, mechanic, Chicago;
PEACOCK, JACK, driver, Brooklyn; both
killed.

Probably fatally injured:
MARQUETTE, F. E., Kalamazoo, mechan-
ic; he was killed and injured and left
in hospital.

The others injured are:
DOWNS, HAROLD W., Kalamazoo, driver;
cut about the head.

NEWTON, ROY, Kalamazoo, mechanic;
for Downs; cut on face and head.

BALL, THOMAS, Coldwater, Mich.; driver;
injured.

RAILEY, GUY L., Kalamazoo, mechanic;
for Ball; face and back injured.

ALEXANDER, JIMMY, Chicago, driver;
mechanic; badly bruised.

BURT, ANDY, driver, Chicago; badly
bruised.

HENNING, OTTO, driver, Chicago; minor
injuries.

Peacock's car, leading in the race,
skidded and struck the fence at the first
turn. It was overturned and threw
several cars out of the way and threw
attendants and spectators into the air.
The car skidded into the ditch and
blocked the track.

The car driven by Andy Burt, whose
mechanic, Marion Arnold, was killed,
was the first to skid and throw
others out of the way.

Nine others came into the wreckage a
moment later.

At the state park in 1911, Lee Old-
field's racing car plowed through the
fence and killed eight persons.

AUTO FALLS IN RIVER; 4 KILLED, 4 INJURED

Family Party on Way to Attend a Funeral Goes Over Bank Near Covington, Penn.

WELLSBORO, Penn., Aug. 27.—Two
men and two children were killed and
four other persons were injured late
last night when an automobile occupied
by Earl Sherman and his family of En-
delsburg, N. Y., went over an embankment
into the Allegheny River near Covington,
Penn. The dead are Earl Sherman, 35
years, Captain of Fire Police, Endelsburg,
neck broken; Frank Perry, chauffeur,
22; two daughters of Sherman, 24
years and 9 months old, both
drowned.

Injured, Mrs. Caroline Becker, Mrs.
Sherman, and two other whose names
were not learned.

The family was on its way to Loren-
ton, Pa., to attend the funeral of Mrs.
Sherman's mother. Heavy rains had
fallen and a dense fog had arisen
over the river. Perry was unable to
make a curve on the down grade on
the slippery road, and the car went over
a twelve-foot embankment and turned
bottom side up. It took twelve men to
raise the car from the bottom beneath it.

ITALY DECLARES WAR ON GERMANY; ROME EXPECTS RUMANIA TO FOLLOW; BULGARS IN KAVALA SHELLED FROM SEA

FORTS TAKEN FROM GREEKS

Three British Warships
Promptly Begin Bom-
bardment of Invaders.

BULGARS ENTER ALBANIA

Are Also Near Mouth of the
Struma in Advance Along
East Bank of River.

SERBS REPEL ATTACKS

Russian Seaplanes Drop Bombs
on Varna and Foe's Aircraft
Attack Czar's Squadron.

LONDON, Aug. 27.—Hostilities are
growing on the Saloniki front. The
Paris War Office in its official com-
munique tonight says that violent fight-
ing continues on the Macedonian front,
in the region of Lake Ostrovo, where
Serbian counterattacks have
pushed back the Bulgarians.

On the extreme of this, the left wing of
the Entente Army, Bulgarians have in-
vaded Albania and occupied the town of
Malik, ten miles west of the Greek
border, according to advices from Berlin,
which also announce that the Bulgarians
on the right wing, marching down the
Struma along the east bank, have al-
most reached the mouth of that river.

Further to the east all but one of the
forts about the Greek Port of Kavala
have not been occupied by the Bul-
garians, and two British monitors and a
cruiser are bombarding the positions
held.

"Despite German assurances to Greece
that Serez, Drama, and Kavala would
not be occupied by the Bulgarians," says
Reuters' Saloniki correspondent, "an
order sent last Tuesday to the command-
er of the forts at Kavala said if the
Bulgarians advanced the forts were to be
handed over to them. Friday the Bul-
garians entered the town and took posses-
sion of the forts. British warships in
the harbor then opened fire on the forts,
but details of the results of the fighting
are not permitted to be sent."

Terrible Panic in Kavala.

The effect of the Bulgarian occupa- tion of Kavala, the scene of alleged atrocities of which the Greeks accused the Bulgarians in the last war, is prodig- ious.

"Kavala is the theatre of amazing
scenes of disorder. Thousands of refu-
gees are pouring into this port from
the hinterland and crowding the steep,
narrow streets until they are impos-
sible."

"The streets are littered with every
kind of household goods, flung away by
the owners, fleeing before the advancing
Bulgarians as before the plague."

"These goods were abandoned by the
fugitives upon their discovery that
the Bulgarians were in the city by sea
transport were inadequate. Small boats,
dangerously overloaded with women
and children, are rowing aimlessly
about the harbor, their occupants seek-
ing asylum aboard any vessel regard-
less of its destination or the price of
passage. A thorough panic prevails."

Activity is reported on the Black Sea
coast of Bulgaria, where Russian sea-
planes have dropped bombs on Varna
and Bulgarian seaplanes have attacked
a Russian squadron ten miles off that
port.

Following is the French official report
of the operations:

On the Struma front our artillery
has continued to bombard enemy or-
ganizations. A Bulgarian battalion
was caught by our fire. There was
an intermittent cannonade between
Lake Doiran and Majladagh.

West of the Vardar the Bulgarians
renewed their attempts against Ve-
trink and northwest of Kukuruz. Five
separate attacks, conducted with
extreme violence, were shattered by
the Serbian artillery fire.

In the region of Lake Ostrovo de-
perate fighting continues, particularly
west and northwest of the lake, where
several Bulgarian attacks were driven
back by counterattacks of the Ser-
bian infantry.

Friday two British monitors and a
cruiser bombarded the forts at Kavala
which had been occupied, with one
exception, by Bulgarians.

Berlin Reports Bulgarian Successes.
BERLIN, Aug. 27, (via London).—
"Bulgarian forces which are advancing
on the eastern bank of the Struma (in
northeastern Greece) are approaching
the mouth of the river," the War Of-
fice announced today.

BERLIN, Aug. 27, (by wireless to
Sayville).—Bulgarian forces are invading
Albania, and have occupied the town
of Malik, ten miles west of the Greek
border, an official statement issued yes-
terday at Sofia reports. Occupation of
the territory in northeastern Greece
continues, and further Bulgarian de-
tachments have reached the Aegean
Sea. The repulse of a Serbian attack in
the Moglenia Valley, on the western
part of the front, also is announced.

The statement foretells:
Our right wing continues to march
on. A detachment advancing south
from Ophrida Lake reached and cap-
tured the town of...

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Allies Tell Greece They Won't Defend Thessaly and Ask What the Athens Government Intends

LONDON, Monday, Aug. 28.—A delayed dispatch from Athens says that
the French and British Ministers on Thursday evening asked Premier
Zaimis how far the Greek Government proposed to countenance the Bul-
garian advance without resistance, pointing out that it would be of no
military interest to the Entente Powers to defend Central Thessaly from
invasion, as Saloniki was supplied from the sea and could not be cut off
by land.

"The embarrassment of the Greek Government," continues the dis-
patch, "grows hourly in the face of popular resentment against the Bul-
garian invasion. The Venizelist organs criticize the inaction of the Govern-
ment, the Cretan declaring that the hour has come for action similar to
that taken in 1909."

"M. Pachitch, former Serbian Premier, has arrived here on his way to
Saloniki."

Greek People Stirred by Bulgar Invasion.

Special Cable to The New York Times.

LONDON, Monday, Aug. 28.—The Daily Chronicle prints the following
dispatch from Athens, dated there Aug. 24:
"Popular interest regarding the situation arising out of the Bulgar
invasion of Greece increases with the approach of Sunday, the day on
which a great demonstration of protest will be held here. The papers devote
long articles to the situation. The Patria, a journal always well informed,
makes the following interesting statement, which may be regarded as
diplomatically inspired:

"Recent events in Greece have given rise to a new exchange of views
between the Entente Powers. As to the decisions that may be reached as
a result we are not yet in a position to know, but what we can affirm is
that the diplomacy of the Entente is recasting its views on Greece and
examining whether the conditions imposed by the note of June 21 are suf-
ficient to meet the altered conditions created by the Bulgar invasion. A
decision will shortly be reached."

"I would emphasize the importance of this statement. Here signs are
everywhere that the descent of the Bulgars on Hellenic soil had a great
effect on the popular mind, and especially has affected the belief of those
who, by persuasion or by other means, had been induced to place their
faith in a pro-German policy as best suited for the country."

"After a considerable period of absence from the Greek capital, the
main impression gathered on my return here is that the mass of Greek
people, despite everything, are Ententists. I believe Sunday's demonstra-
tion will set this forth in a manner that will show, as the greater section
of the press here says, that the culminating point has been reached, from
which, with careful handling and diplomacy, the Greek people will attain
their proper place in the world struggle. The Bulgar invasion has un-
doubtedly opened the people's eyes."

BRITISH SMASH AHEAD ON SOMME

They Capture a 200-Yard Front
North of Bazentin and Push
Nearer to Ginchy.

BAD WEATHER PREVAILS

Germans Again Attack at St.
Mihiel Salient and in Lor-
raine, but Are Repulsed.

Checked at Divina River

Germans Stop Attempts of the
Czar's Forces to Cross—Bom-
bard Trenches Along Stokhod.

LONDON, Aug. 27.—Bad weather to-
day hindered the fighting north of the
Somme, but the British last evening
captured a further 200 yards of a Ger-
man trench north of Bazentin-le-Petit,
which village is situated about four
miles southeast of Thiepval. In this
sector the British are almost at the
outskirts of Marincourt. Tonight the
War Office reports that General Haig
has gained ground northwest of Ginchy,
which lies directly east of Bazentin.

The French official report today em-
phasizes the continuation of German at-
tacks on the southern line of the St.
Mihiel salient, as well as clashes of re-
connoitering patrols in Lorraine. The
Germans also made three attacks on the
French positions in the Vaux-de-Cha-
pitre Wood, northeast of Verdun. All
these attacks were repulsed.

The British communication issued this
afternoon reads as follows:

In the successful attack reported in
the communiqués of Friday seven
more machine guns were captured than
originally reported.

Yesterday evening we took a fur-
ther 200 yards of a German trench
north of Bazentin-le-Petit, capturing
one machine gun.

During the night the enemy's artil-
lery fire has been active between the
Somme and the Ancre. The enemy
also shelled the neighborhood of
Bethune during the night, and our
heavy artillery retaliated on railway
stations and barracks used by the
enemy.

Near Hill 60 the enemy exploded a
mine, which caused no damage. There
is nothing to report from the rest of
the front.

British Gains Near Ginchy.
The following official communication
was issued this evening:

During the last twenty-four hours
bad weather to some extent has in-
terfered with our operations. We
have, however, gained ground north-
west of Ginchy.

In the afternoon there was consid-
erable artillery activity by both sides.
Enemy fire being directed against our
support trenches, and more espe-
cially toward the north of Longueval.
Our guns blew up some of the
enemy's bomb stores.

Between Neuve Chapelle and Ar-
mentieres we exploded mines.
The enemy's position was broken up
southwest of Auchy and south of the
Ypres salient. There were no casu-
alties in either case.

Four German officers and fifty-five
men of other ranks were captured
south of the Ancre last night and this
morning.

The French afternoon statement fol-
lows:
On the Somme front the night was
comparatively calm. Persistent bad
weather interfered with operations.
On the right bank of the Meuse (Ver-
dun) the enemy opened fire on our Let-
tish troops without result."

RUSSIANS TAKE HUNGARIAN HILL

Capture More Positions Along
the Frontier in the Car-
pathian Mountains.

Checked at Divina River

Germans Stop Attempts of the
Czar's Forces to Cross—Bom-
bard Trenches Along Stokhod.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 27.—Russian
troops in the Carpathians, where ad-
vance through the mountains toward
Hungary has been held up recently, are
again moving forward near the Hun-
garian border. The War Office announced
today the capture of positions three
miles northeast of Koveria Mountain,
on the frontier. The statement follows:

Enemy airplanes flew over our pos-
itions on the Dniestr Lake and
dropped bombs, killing a Chaplain, Fa-
ther Joakim Sedletski, while he was
fulfilling his pastoral duties.

On the River Stokhod, in the region
of the village of Tobol, the enemy
opened fierce artillery fire on our
crossings. Here the gallant regi-
mental commander Colonel Mykov was
killed.

In the Carpathians, in the region of
Koveria Mountain, (on the frontier,
ten miles southeast of Korosmez), our
troops drove the enemy out of his
positions. These efforts were made near
the village of Koveria Mountain, and
occupied this height. In this operation
we captured 100 prisoners, 12 machine
guns and 4 machine guns. Our advance
continues.

BERLIN, Aug. 27, (via London).—
After a long period of comparative in-
activity over the northern end of the
eastern front, the Russians last night
opened an attack on the Divina, at-
tempting to cross the river at two
points. These efforts were made near
Lennewaden, forty miles southeast of
Riga, and Friedrichstadt, ten miles fur-
ther up the river. Today's official re-
port says these efforts failed. The
statement follows:

Front of Field Marshal von Hinden-
burg: On the Divina front repeated
attempts by the Russians to cross the
river in boats east of Friedrichstadt
and near Lennewaden were made near
Southeast of Kiselin, in Volhynia,
twenty-five miles southeast of Kov-
el, on the German detachment's first
line of defense, the Russians penetrated
as far as the enemy's third line, and
after destroying trenches returned to
their own positions. In accordance
with their plans, bringing with them
128 prisoners and three machine guns.
The Russian detachment consisted of
the Diviner, in which we were
successful, there were no events of
importance.

OPEN WAY WITH ANCHORS.
Russians Use Them to Tear Up
German Wire Entanglements.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 27.—An exploit
which is of unusual character, even un-
der present conditions of war, is singled
out for special mention in the official
announcement from the War Office to-
day.

In the region of Shnarden (near
Riga) gallant detachments of Let-
tish battalions broke through the first
line of the enemy's entanglements at
two points, the statement says. "Re-
taining an anchor at each of these points,
they pulled up with a winch the inter-
vening entanglements, together with
the posts for a distance of thirty
paces."

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paper, the Stegal, the Bratiano Government has decided to enter the war on the side of the Entente, and it warns the Government not to sacrifice the welfare of the country for reasons of sentiment.

"The Bucharest Journal Dreptatea says that M. Filipescu declared to one of its representatives that Russian forces would proceed against the Rumania against Bulgaria within ten days and that the consent of the Rumanian Government had already been secured to this move, though the Government would enter a formal protest.

"The Austro-Hungarian Minister in Bucharest, who spent some weeks at Sinala, has returned to the Rumanian capital and has sent his family to Vienna.

"The Bucharest Politique reports that the Rumanian Government has taken over large quantities of wheat for the army, bought by English agents here last year."

Friend of Entente Heads Greek Army.

PARIS, Aug. 27.—A dispatch from Athens to the Temps says a great impression has been created in Greece by the appointment as Chief of Staff of the Greek Army of General Moschopoulos, an avowed friend of the Entente Powers.

Under royal decree, the dispatch says, General Dousmanis and Colonel Metaxas are displaced.

ATHENS, Aug. 26, (via London, Aug. 27).—A leave of absence of five days has been given to General Dousmanis, Chief of the General Staff of the Greek Army. Colonel Metaxas, Chief Assistant to the General Staff, has been transferred to the War College, of which he will be the head. General Constantine Moschopoulos, commander of the Greek forces at Saloniki, has been appointed Acting Chief of Staff. General Moschopoulos is favorable to the Entente Allies and is not unfriendly to former Premier Venizelos, leader of the movement for intervention by Greece in the war on the side of the Entente Allies.

Political Crisis in Austria-Hungary.

LONDON, Aug. 27.—The developments in the Balkans appear to be causing perturbation in Austria-Hungary, according to advices received here from Berne, Switzerland. These advices say there is a serious political crisis in Hungary, the Opposition leaders having demanded a coalition Cabinet, which demand the Emperor has refused to comply with.

In addition to all-night sittings of the Hungarian Chamber, the dispatches add, an Austrian Cabinet Council sat for eight hours Thursday and six hours Friday, and the Hungarian Cabinet for four hours Thursday and ten hours Friday.

ITALY'S DECLARATION REGULARIZES POSITION

Puts in Formal Effect the State of War That Has Existed for Some Time.

Italy's formal declaration of war against Germany amounts to little more than official recognition of a state of affairs which already existed. The declaration became inevitable when Italy recently sent troops to Saloniki to cooperate in the campaign of the Entente Allies on the Macedonian front, inasmuch as Germany is directing the opposing forces and has troops on this battle line.

Italy's position in regard to Germany had been an anomalous one after Italy withdrew from the Triple Alliance on May 23 of last year and declared war on Austria. Although by this act she arrayed herself on the side of the Entente powers and against Germany, she remained officially at peace with Germany until yesterday.

Before Italy took the step against Austria Germany exerted every effort to induce her to remain neutral, sending to Rome as Ambassador Prince von Bülow, former Chancellor and one of the ablest statesmen of Germany. The Prince succeeded for some time in averting war, and when he saw a rupture was inevitable he worked hard for peace between Germany and Italy.

Negotiated Special Agreement.

On behalf of his Government he negotiated with Italy a special agreement under which, in case of war between Austria and Italy, Germany and Italy pledged themselves to respect the properties and lives of their respective subjects in each other's domains. This meant for Germany a guarantee of many millions of dollars' worth of properties in Italy, and for Italy the safety of 30,000 Italian subjects who were still living in Germany.

According to unofficial reports from Europe, Italy's allies were dissatisfied with this state of affairs, and at the Paris council of Entente powers in February last asked the Italian representatives why they had not declared war with Germany. Italy had already agreed not to conclude a separate peace, and, as a result of the Paris conference, sanctioned the plan for the formation of a permanent high council of the Entente powers for the purpose of coordinating the increasing co-operation among the Entente Allies and the necessity for bringing into service the large numbers of troops, which could not be employed on other fronts without bringing on war with Germany, gradually brought Italy into such a position that it became evident that a declaration of hostilities was only a matter of time.

The first overt act in this direction occurred shortly after the Paris conference, probably as a result of it. On Feb. 19 Italy requisitioned thirty-four of the thirty-seven German steamships plying between Italy and Germany, for the pressing needs of the Allies for shipping facilities. Other indications of approaching war have been observed in recent weeks. A German court ruled that Italy and Germany were at war, though not formally at war, as it was reported unofficially that Germany had taken charge of the Italian mail. A more definite indication was the entrance last month of the last Italian troops into the Italian front.

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The War Situation

BY THE MILITARY EXPERT OF THE NEW YORK TIMES

The declaration of war between Italy and Germany, was a foregone conclusion as soon as the Italians sent troops to the Saloniki front. It was inevitable that these two nations should clash on the battlefield without such a being taken.

The loss to Germany's Germany's large financial interests in Italy will now be taken over by the Italian Government, and Germany's position after the war will be, from a financial standpoint, very much weaker than had been maintained, even such a theoretical peace as had existed for the last year.

From a military standpoint the situation has not been materially changed. Italy has more men, many more, than she is at present using. It is approximately correct to say that she has a potential force of at least 4,000,000. She could, if need be, throw a great many men on the left flank of the Germans in France by making use of the passes through the Alps and the railroads which run through them. The probabilities are, however, that this will not be attempted. The problem which confront Italy are of sufficient proportion to demand that the reserves be kept intact for these purposes. Covering the left flank of the Allies at Avon, having a contingent on the main Saloniki front, doing her own fighting in the Balkans, and covering the Carso Plateau—these operations are enough to keep Italy busy, and, before the end comes, may put as great a drain on her resources in men as she is able to meet. In its relation to the other fronts, however, it is hard to see how Italy's latest move can have any bearing.

It would not be surprising, however, if, in a short time, another nation were to enter the war—a nation whose entrance would have a decided bearing. That is Greece. Due to the aggressive policy of the Bulgarians and their ardent desire to make their exit from the war with a portion of Greek soil, their desire, Greece is slowly but surely drifting into war. With no military resources of her own, Greece is being drawn into the Greek front of Kavala, toward which they are exerting every possible effort. The Greek Government is the object of Bulgaria's move. The Greek statesmen have not forgotten that at the close of the war the Greek territory in Bulgaria of all points in the southern Balkans. And Greece is on her guard. She has been gradually working her way out of the Greek front, and her efforts have already been fought between them, notably at Seres.

Italy has been wanting to go in on the side of the Allies. Only Constantine, a man of great strength and ability, has prevented her. Now his hand is being forced, and the Greeks are being drawn into the war by their traditional enemy. This could be able to send available troops to any front, and it would be a decided advantage to have committed herself already to the Macedonian campaign. Italy's step is of importance as respects that the state of war.

Germany hereafter will be free to take advantage of the situation. The Italian campaign will be decided on by the Teutonic allies, either in the way of leadership or in the way of support, when needed in the rapid shifting of troops from one front to another, such as is practiced by the Central Powers.

ITALIANS GAIN GROUND.

Forces in Carnic Alps Take Austrian Positions on Citta Vallone.

ROME, Aug. 27.—In the Carnic Alps the Italian army yesterday took Austrian positions on Citta Vallone, the War Office announced today. No revival of activity is reported on the Isonzo front, where a lull has followed the Italian offensive which resulted in the capture of Gorizia and territory further south. The statement says:

On the Trentino front the enemy showed considerable activity with his artillery and trench mortars. There were many munitions dumps, but no infantry attacks developed. Our artillery replied effectively and damaged the enemy's positions. On the northern slopes of Monte Cimone, at the head of the Dison River, in the upper part of the Dolomites, we extended our occupation of positions. In the Gorizia area and on the Carso hostile artillery was directed actively against our positions at Gorizia and the Vallone positions. A few shells fell on Gorizia and Romazzino.

BERLIN, Aug. 27, (by Wireless to Sayville).—The official Austrian statement of yesterday concerning operations on the Italian front, which was received here today, says:

For a time the Italian artillery directed its fire against our positions south of Vipbach. Italian attempts to advance in the Pincel valley were repulsed. On the front south of Pincel valley there were several repulsed attacks against our positions. These efforts, as well as all attacks of smaller importance in the district of Cimo Denca, failed.

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In Rumania also the question of entering the war is being questioned. The hour, Russian success in the Bukovina has almost completely cleared that border of Rumania of Austrian troops. This, however, is but a small part of the border. The greater part of Rumania consists of a narrow strip about the high walls of the Transylvania Alps which may be effectively crossed by a large force in but few days. In case, however, an exceptionally good crossing on a line through Kronstadt, from the terms of her treaty with Serbia when called upon to do so.

Most of Russia's recent efforts have been in the Rumanian border south from Kimpulung in southern Bukovina. It is as if they were attempting to clear the way for a large force to enter Rumania in order to influence Rumanian opinion. It cannot be denied that if the Russians were successful in this a great danger would be to the Rumanian border. It is not only the Rumanian border that is being cleared, but the Rumanian border is being cleared. It is not only the Rumanian border that is being cleared, but the Rumanian border is being cleared. It is not only the Rumanian border that is being cleared, but the Rumanian border is being cleared.

It is true that the reports of Rumania's coming in with the Allies have been more frequent. We heard them almost daily a year ago. But matters are more nearly settled now than at any other time since the war began. The move of Italy will not be without effect here. Supposing that the allied powers did propose to Rumania to enter the war and that the Rumanian Government accepted the proposition, she still had a legitimate excuse to remain out on the ground that Italy had not even declared war. The principal one of the Teutonic powers. Moreover, it must be remembered that Italy is a strong racial tie between the Italian States and the Rumanians, to which I refer the other day. This will also tell.

Altogether, the situation with Rumania as well as with Greece is being drawn to the point where a definite decision must be made soon on one or the other. The fortunes of all these smaller countries in the Balkans are to some extent determined by the decisions of the greater powers. All of the Balkan States have dreams of independence and increased power and wealth. These dreams can only be realized by active participation at this time.

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Yesterday morning three Russian seaplanes from a great height dropped bombs on the town and harbor of Varna (on the Bulgarian Black Sea coast). No one was killed. The material damage was slight.

Our seaplanes were not attacked, with visible success, a Russian squadron which was cruising ten miles off the coast. All our aeroplanes returned safely.

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English Correspondent Says There Are Swarms of German Agents in Norway and Sweden.

WATCH FOR BRITISH FLEET

Waterfront at Gothenburg and Other Places the Scene of Their Chief Activities.

LONDON, Aug. 18.—The Daily Graphic prints the following from its Gothenburg correspondent:

When England really wakes up to the gravity of the war she will begin to consider the problem of spies in neutral lands. During more than a year I have been in the most important centers of all three Scandinavian states, and the question repeatedly put to me by Scandinavians friendly to England: "You watch German spies in England; do you watch them here?" Naturally, I could not answer, for British counter-measures are not made public. But I do know from personal observation, from reports of police officers, from revelations in the "Entente-friendly" press, that Germany has in Scandinavia and in Holland a most elaborate system of getting information; that no money is spared, and that German employs not mere vulgar adventurers who would sell secrets readily to either side, but smart men of high nationality, often army or naval officers.

The Stockholm Attributed is at present publishing revelations on "the network of spies about our land." This pro-German organ confines itself to alleged Russian or Entente espionage at Sweden's expense, and ignores the vast network of German spies in the Danish peninsula (in particular the Danish press) about the supposed 7,000 German subjects who specialize in espionage against the Entente. As most of these spies seem to interest themselves in naval matters, and might get vital information about British fleet movements, it is to be hoped that our Government keeps its eye on them. It is a noteworthy fact that the large German floating population in this city, in Copenhagen, and in other ports, contains hundreds of healthy men of under 40 who ought to be fighting in Germany. The German press, in fact, on the excuse that they are "trade experts," "German" has plenty of trade experts, and the German press, in fact, on the excuse that they are "trade experts," "German" has plenty of trade experts, and the German press, in fact, on the excuse that they are "trade experts," "German" has plenty of trade experts.

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TURK LEADERS ADMIT A SERIOUS DEFEAT

Say Russians Surrounding Their Advanced Forces and They Suffered Loss in Retreat.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Monday, Aug. 28, (via London).—The Turkish War Office has issued the following official statement:

Irak Front: In the Euphrates sector we defeated the Caucasian army with successful attacks. In the Tigris sector we attacked enemy convoys on the south line of Shikah, Al-Juk, capturing booty.

On the Russian front, 66 kilometers (41 miles) southeast of Hamadan, in the direction of Dauletabad, Russian troops were attacked and driven off. Our troops received 15 kilometers (48 miles) north of Senna. Fighting against the Russian troops at Senna is proceeding in our favor.

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Russians Advancing Toward Diarbekir Reach Euphrates Tributary.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 27.—The Russian Army of the Caucasus, whose new offensive has resulted in the recapture of a considerable amount of territory from the Turks, is said by the War Office to have made a further advance. The official statement of operations on this front follows:

KAISER DELAYS SENTENCES.

French Prisoners' Punishment Postponed Until After War.

BERLIN, Aug. 27, (by Wireless to Sayville).—The following official statement was issued today:

"The Emperor of Germany has ordered postponement until after the war of the execution of all sentences imposed on the punishment of French prisoners, both civilian and military, on account of acts committed up to Sept. 1 of this year."

GERMANS MUST QUIT SHIP.

Prize Crew's Seizure Illegal, Sweden Holds—Protest to Russia.

LONDON, Aug. 27.—A Reuters dispatch from Stockholm says that the German prize crew which early this month took the Swedish steamship Temis, captured by German warships, should be released. The crew, it was said, were being held in a prison camp at Cottsby. In cases where a breach of discipline in German prisoners was involved, however, the offenders are exempted from the provisions of the order.

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BERLIN HEARS BRITISH ARE ARMING ALL SHIPS

Merchantmen Said to Have Been Ordered to Use Their Guns Against All Enemy Ships.

BERLIN, Aug. 27, (by Wireless to Sayville).—"According to telegrams from Rotterdam, the British Government has announced to the Dutch Government that from the middle of August all British merchant ships are being armed," says the Overseas News Agency. "Ship captains have received from the British Admiralty strict orders to use their armament on the high seas against all ships of enemy countries, but to respect neutral waters."

This report was discredited last night in British official circles here on the ground that if the wholesale arming of merchantmen had been decided upon the English representatives here would have been notified.

In another quarter it was suggested that this report from Berlin might be a prelude to a renewal of U-boat warfare.

RYNDAM'S EXPRESS SEIZED.

First Time the British Have Interfered With That Kind of Matter.

The Holland-America liner Ryndam arrived yesterday from Rotterdam via Falmouth. The officers said the liner had been detained at Falmouth, and that the British authorities, who took off 146 sacks of mail, she also was held twenty-four hours at Falmouth, where two hours ago she was taken to the American Express Company and containing parcels from Holland were taken off.

BRITISH SMASH AHEAD ON SOMME

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dun front) the Germans in the night made three successive attacks on our positions in the area of the Wood. Stopped each time by our fire, the enemy was obliged to return to his trench, suffering heavy losses.

In the battle of the Somme, the announcement says, the French this far have suffered 400,000 casualties, and the British thirty-seven, (together nearly 750,000 men).

BRITISH TROOPS ELATED.

Thiepval Week Has Been Most Successful in the Gains Made.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, Saturday, Aug. 26.—"It was a week of gains, and the kind of gains we want," said a British staff officer today, reviewing the result of the week's offensive.

On the old first line trenches in front of Thiepval a record concentration of guns, 100 in all, were firing. The British were watching this curtain of shell fire, saw phlegmatic German soldiers, who were not at all discouraged by the British attack. At about 10 o'clock the Germans made an attack on the front line, but it was repulsed. The British were watching this curtain of shell fire, saw phlegmatic German soldiers, who were not at all discouraged by the British attack. At about 10 o'clock the Germans made an attack on the front line, but it was repulsed.

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North of the Somme, after strong artillery preparation in the early hours of yesterday morning and during the night, the British repeated their attacks south of Thiepval and northwest of it. The British were watching this curtain of shell fire, saw phlegmatic German soldiers, who were not at all discouraged by the British attack. At about 10 o'clock the Germans made an attack on the front line, but it was repulsed.

On both sides of the Meuse (Verdun front) the enemy displayed increased activity at times in the evening. Attacks were begun near Thiaumont and Fleury. They broke down under our fire.

West of Grange and in Apremont French attacks by small detachments of the enemy were repulsed. Near Arracourt and Badoenvalle patrol enterprises undertaken by the French were unsuccessful.

In the region of the Somme, in aerial engagements, an enemy scout plane was brought down near Bapaume and another west of Wisel. Our anti-aircraft guns were without success. Near Arracourt and Badoenvalle patrol enterprises undertaken by the French were unsuccessful.

720,000 IN ALLIED DRIVE.

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BRITISH TO RELEASE
150 DUTCH TRAWLERS

Holland Agrees That Only 20
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Shall Go to Germany.

BRITISH TO PAY A BONUS

Agreement Under Blockade Will
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LONDON, Monday, Aug. 28.—The Daily Mail says an agreement has been signed between the Dutch Fishing Association and the British Government regarding the future disposal of Dutch herring catches and providing for the release of from 120 to 150 Dutch fishing boats which have been laid in Scottish ports for some weeks.

The vessels will be released, the newspaper says, on condition that Germany shall receive no more than 20 per cent. of the season's catch. Holland will retain another 20 per cent. for home consumption, while the remaining 60 per cent. will be sold to neutral countries only.

On every barrel of this 60 per cent. the British Government agrees to pay a bonus of thirty shillings to the Dutch owners. The Daily Mail concludes by saying that fishermen believe America will get most of the 60 per cent. which goes to neutrals.

THE HAGUE, Aug. 18. (Correspondence of The Associated Press).—Great Britain, which has been regarding with growing displeasure the provisions of Germany with fish from Holland, recently brought the matter to a head by the seizure of vessels of the Dutch fishing fleet.

Even before the war Germany was the best customer of the Dutch fishermen, but the effect of the blockade had increased that country's purchases on the fish market here to the extent of a practical monopoly of Holland's exports. The net export of various fish in recent years has amounted to about 110,000 tons a year, representing a value between \$5,000,000 and \$10,000,000. There was an enormous increase in the exports last year, 100,000 tons of fresh fish and salted and smoked herring alone being sent out of the country. Germany's share was \$4,000,000, as against only \$7,000,000 in 1914 and \$6,000,000 in 1915. Sales to other countries fell off proportionately. America, for instance, at ordinary times draws a certain amount of herring from Holland, but the total of its imports dropped to under 100,000 tons in 1915 from 1,500 tons last year, and now the herring export to the United States is completely stopped, the total for the first six months of the current year being only 100 tons.

Such figures make clear what a handicap the Dutch fish trade has been constituted to the Allies' blockade, and sufficiently explain their anxiety to obtain a more equitable distribution of affairs, particularly if it is remembered that while British fishing trawlers are being sent to the bottom of the sea by German submarines, Dutch craft are hauling in their loaded nets for the German market under the noses of British naval guns.

PROTEST TOBACCO EMBARGO

Southern Growers Will Present Case
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WASHINGTON, Aug. 27.—A delegation of prominent independent tobacco growers of Kentucky, Tennessee, and Virginia came to Washington tonight to present a protest to Secretary of State Lansing tomorrow against the action of the British Government in restoring the embargo on shipments of tobacco to the United States.

Early in the war the British Government laid an embargo against such shipments. After numerous protests the British modified it so that tobacco might be shipped in care of the Netherlands "free zone." Later the restriction was removed to such an extent as to permit shipments to be made to Holland dealers on order, which would permit those to whom it was consigned to forward it to Germany.

On Thursday last the London Government announced that the embargo had been restored. The restoration of the embargo, it is claimed by the tobacco growers of Kentucky, Tennessee, and Virginia, will work great injustice to them and remove the element of competition from

UNION CHAIRMEN
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No definite day or hour has been set for the strike. The Presidents of the brotherhoods are expected to send the code message on Sept. 1, but there is little doubt that if Mr. Wilson asks for delay it will be granted. Sept. 1 was set because the leaders understood that Mr. Wilson would leave Washington on that day, and by that date the Chairman on the Pacific Coast can be home.

Long List of Don'ts.

The instructions to the Chairmen were mostly "don'ts." The 400,000 workers are told just what the law is regarding strikes and are warned to keep the peace. One paragraph, in black type, warns them to keep away from railroad property unless other orders are issued. Another section said that, while the strike might bring acts of violence, such acts would not be countenanced by the brotherhoods, each train crew is to take its train to the nearest terminal and leave it. In no event is a train to be left out on the road.

In secret instructions to the Chairmen are provisions for the extent of the strike. It is known that arrangements have been made for running food trains to supply soldiers on the border and that, while a considerable part of the passenger service is to be stopped, enough trains will run to accommodate persons with urgent business. It is said that milk trains will run, as well as those carrying certain other kinds of foods. The fight is to be made so as to cause the least inconvenience to the public, the main effort being to tie up freight. It was mentioned by a union official tonight that if all shipments of commodities were stopped the consequent loss of millions would exert great pressure upon the railroad.

The headquarters of the brotherhoods this afternoon looked like a banking house. The \$25,000,000 men received for the strike were piled in great stacks, mostly in small notes. As each man got his money he received his instructions, which were stopped the moment the men were on the way home.

Leave Fight with President.

The departure of the Chairmen means that the brotherhoods cannot be asked by President Wilson to act upon the counter-proposal which the railroads will submit to him tomorrow. This leaves

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What the Democratic Party has done for national defense and in keeping the United States out of war is set forth in the latest chapter of the Democratic National Textbook, made public yesterday at the headquarters here.

"Thanks to Wilson, America prepared," is the title of the article, which points out that the Democratic Party has put through the first constructive program for national defense, and that the country is now in a position to meet any naval power under President Roosevelt.

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Four dreadnoughts and four battleships the first year; twenty torpedo boats, six destroyers, six battle cruisers, six scout cruisers, five submarines, six destroyers, nine fleet submarines, eight coast submarines and auxiliaries before July 1, 1916.

SHOT BY POLICEMAN.

Attempt to Rescue Prisoners at Out-
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Bicycle Policeman George Meyer of the Astoria Station was beaten by the first of two men whom he arrested late last night at Belvedere Park, near North Beach, but he held to his prisoner. The second man, who was armed with a knife, tried to break Meyer's hold, but Meyer's assistant, who was also a policeman, held to the man. Meyer's assistant, who was also a policeman, held to the man. Meyer's assistant, who was also a policeman, held to the man.

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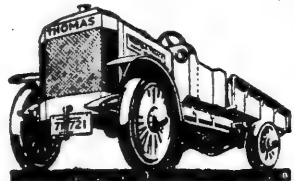
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The dispatches which came from General Elizondo said that both sides lost heavily. In the early hours of the engagement a number of outlaws were captured and executed. The garrison, according to the reports, withdrew in order to the hills, where the men were reinforced by detachments of General Elizondo's command, and plans have been made to attempt to recapture Satevo.

A second engagement with Villistas was reported by General Apolito Trevino from Torreon. He said that twenty bandits under the leader Perilla attacked a small detachment of Carranza's troops at Hacienda Coyote in the Laguna district, but were driven off; their leader and six others being killed after three hours of fighting. Letters from Villa under a recent date were found in Perilla's pockets, it was reported.

General Cavazos, reporting from Guerrero, said that he had captured two of the bandits who recently attacked the town of Paredonelles, Chihuahua, and asked orders for their disposition. Some excitement was caused here today by a widespread report that the American expeditionary command was moving south, but in his report General Cavazos said the southernmost base was still El Valle.

NEW YORK GUARDSMAN
ON BORDER DROWNED

Sergeant Arthur Lockwood Loses
Life when Twelfth Regiment
Hikers Go Swimming.

Special to The New York Times.
MCALLEN, Texas, Aug. 27.—The Twelfth Regiment went swimming yesterday in an irrigation canal at Searles, four miles from camp, where it had gone on a practice march. When the regiment emerged and dozed, one uniform remained on the bank. Name of the Sergeants who acted as life guards had seen any one in difficulties, but roll call established the identity of the missing man as Sergeant Arthur Lockwood, L Company, whose

New York home is at 448 West Fifty-eighth Street. Without removing their clothes again the men of L Company went back into the water, but no trace of Lockwood's body could be found. Meantime the regiment had carried word of the tragedy back to camp. Mulister Robert White of the supply company, who has a number of river front houses to his credit, mounted a mule and rode bareback to the canal. He found Captain John J. Dean directing the search of ten men in a deep hole in the middle of the canal on a line with the place where Lockwood's body was found. White dived in, and at once returned with Lockwood's body, which he found beneath the mule and it became apparent that Lockwood's first plunge had buried him in this mud, and that he had never come to the surface. The play of the 1,000 men about him had prevented the discovery of his plight. Major General O'Hanlon today said that Adit. Gen. Stoenbury, who will be at his office at the State Arsenal, New York, on Monday, had taken his waiver of the State salary received by command of J. M. Hutchison for addition to his Federal pay. The waiver was given when General O'Hanlon's attention was called to the fact that he was drawing \$15,000 a year. It is denied here that he also received an expense allowance.

Colonel N. B. Thurston, Chief Ordnance Officer, and Major F. M. Waterbury, ordnance officer of the division, Major A. L. Reagan, Inspector General, and Major Edward S. Olmstead, adjutant, to-day discussed the matter of his double pay. At division headquarters attention is called to the fact that the State laws prevent the soldier from being employed in the guard. And these men are all State employees. The extra \$1,000 he received as an instructor in the school of the line just equals the additional pay which he is entitled to as a Major after twenty years' service.

Sergeant Lockwood, who was 28 years old and unmarried, lived with four sisters and three brothers at 554 West Fifty-eighth Street, and had been enlisted in the Twelfth Infantry for the last eight years. He was employed by the Consolidated Gas Company. With a long and successful record as a quarter-mile runner, a keen interest in military things which had caused him never to miss a drill night, and a personality that won him the name of "Sergeant Smiles," he was considered one of the most popular men in his regiment.

According to his relatives, Lockwood, who stood six feet three inches in his stockings, never had been ill a day in his life until about a month ago, when the Texas sun prostrated him. He was one of the twenty-five men, it was said, who dropped in the ranks of the Third Battalion during the eight-mile hike the organization took to Hidalgo not quite five weeks ago. In all the letters he had written home Lockwood had dwelt on the cheerful side of border conditions, and it was not until a week ago that his family learned he had asked his employers to try to get his discharge from the service.

On the arrival of the body Thursday morning services will be held in the Fenwick Brothers Church, Columbus Avenue and Sixtieth Street.

14TH REGIMENT ENDS HIKE.

Go All Day Saturday Without Food and Short of Water.

Special to The New York Times.

MCALLEN, Texas, Aug. 27.—The Fourteenth Regiment, Colonel John H. Foote, got back here today from an eleven-day hike, and later proceeded to its camp at Mission, making an eight-mile march of it for the day. The men lagged as they came into McAllen, and looked as if the march from Edinburg, twelve miles away, had told severely on them. The worst of their experience befell them yesterday on the march from Sterling's Ranch to Edinburg, a thirteen-mile hike, which was made in one stretch. The Seventy-first, which reached camp Thursday, made it in easy stages, with a four-hour rest.

The Seventy-first had its worst ex-

perience going from Sterling's Ranch to Laguna Seca and back to Sterling, when approximately 200 men dropped by the roadside, overcome by the heat. The Seventy-first pioneered the way, and had to cut out parts of the roads through thickets of mesquite and cactus. Hot water was failed to reach the regiment, and the food wagons did not get into Laguna Seca until 11 o'clock at night. The men were without food from 9 o'clock in the morning until that time. But they had recovered fairly well when they marched to Edinburg and came back to McAllen singing. Weather and water conditions had compelled their cutting out two legs of the march to Lagoria and Young's ranch.

The Fourteenth took in the entire hike. But all day yesterday the regiment was without food and short of water. The wagons had not caught up with them when they reached this camp. The men flopped and one company sat down in the road and was unwilling to proceed. The men threw themselves prone on the ground and drank the dirty water of the mud puddles as the Seventy-first had done and filled their canteens until stopped by their officers.

The soldiers "rusted" for food as best they could in Edinburg, but many of them turned in under their shelter tents last night hungry. The condition wasn't improved this morning, coffee and what could be garnered in the little town offering but little sustenance to them. They were hungry and tired, and there were a number of deserters. When they got to camp here the men of the Seventh, not out on the hike, went to their assistance. So did the men of the Twelfth and the signal corps. Between

the three units it was not long before a good mess was served the hungry soldiers.

MEXICAN DELEGATES START.

Cabrera and Rodgers Consult Carranza Before Coming North.

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 27.—The Mexican Commissioners who are to endeavor to settle with an American commission points in dispute between the United States and Mexico departed for New York today.

Luis Cabrera, President of the Mexican commission, accompanied by James Linn Rodgers, the American representative to the Carranza Government, proceeded to Vera Cruz, whence they will sail tomorrow for Key West on board the United States transport Dixie.

Alberto J. Pani and Ignacio Bonillas, the other members of the commission, proceeded for Saltillo, where they are expected to arrive tomorrow morning. On reaching Saltillo they will decide whether to take the Eagle Pass or La-Redo route.

Before departing Señor Cabrera and Mr. Rodgers had talks with General Carranza, Minister of War Obregon, and Foreign Minister Aguilar, who were at the station to see them off. It has not been announced where the permanent conference will take place, but it is believed here that some place in New England will be chosen.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 27.—The departure of Luis Cabrera, head of the Mexican

delegates to the American-Mexican conference, and James L. Rodgers, American Agent, with their secretaries, Messrs. Rojo and Bell, was announced for 8 o'clock this morning, but was delayed several hours because a special train conveying them was wrecked before leaving the yards of the Mexican Railway. Happily, no one was injured.

SPANISH-AMERICANS IN RANKS.

Military Men Praise "Legion" Helping to Guard Border.

COLUMBUS, N. M., Aug. 27.—Military men here express enthusiasm over the spirit and loyalty of the Spanish-American "legion" that is helping the American army guard its Mexican boundary.

One-third of the men of the First New Mexican Infantry, on station here, as incorporated into the United States service, are of Mexican origin, and some of them are of Mexican birth. Three companies of the regiment, A, E, and L, are composed entirely of Latin-Americans. The men, all residents of New Mexico, are mechanics, clerks, vaqueros, and farmers, a few also being college graduates. They speak, read, and write the English language, but Spanish being their mother tongue, they usually speak it when among themselves.

Practically every company in the First New Mexico contains a few men of Mexican descent, and at least seven-tenths of the members of the regiment speak Spanish.

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The annual convention of the Agency Clubs of the Equitable Life Assurance Society will begin with a reception this evening at the Bankers' Club in the Equitable Building. The members will go from their headquarters at the Waldorf in special stages. Tomorrow morning there will be a business session in the grand ballroom of the Waldorf, and at the same place in the evening a musical comedy, written by members, will be given. It is entitled "The One Hundred Thousand Dollar Case," and sixty of the agency men will be in the cast.
The work of renovating and refurbishing 500 rooms on the Astoria side of the Waldorf has been completed, so that members may have the use of these accommodations, and the grill-room, which has been closed all Summer, will be opened as a special dining-room for the visitors. Wednesday and Thursday the Equitable club will take place in the Equitable Building.

CRAFT TO SALVAGE U-BOATS.

Steamship Built on Catamaran Plan for Spanish Government.
ZAANDAM, Netherlands, Aug. 27.—An ingenious craft for the salvage of submarines has just been launched here to the order of the Spanish Government. It is a double-screw steamship made up of two separate vessels, the fore and aft decks of which are bound together with an intervening space of eight meters, thus giving the entire structure a breadth of twenty meters. The open space is spanned by a strong apparatus powerful enough to haul up sunken submarines between the two halves of the ship.
The electrically-driven windlasses have a total lifting capacity of 350 tons, with a test load of 1,000 tons. On board the ship are four workshops for the repair of the salvaged undersea craft, together with a hold for the storage of torpedoes, which in case of fire can be immediately submerged. The vessel is 92½ meters long.

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New York Stock Exchange, week ended Aug. 25, 1916.

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JEWIS DISAGREE OVER NATIONAL CONGRESS

Radical Wing Objects to Plans of the Organization Committee.

REFERENDUM THIS WEEK

Editor of The American Jewish Chronicle Predicts That the Agreement Will Be Defeated.

The fate of the proposed Jewish Congress will rest on the result of a referendum to be taken this week among Jewish societies all over the country on the agreement for its organization arranged by the Congress Organization Committee and the Congress Committee of National Organizations a few weeks ago. The agreement has raised a storm of protest all over the country among certain Jewish factions, and its opponents are predicting that the referendum will reject the agreement.

The opponents of the agreement object to it because they consider it undemocratic and because they think the committee which arranged it exceeded its powers. They say it limits the scope of the congress, which they believe should have unlimited power in determining Jewish policy, and leaves entire control of Jewish affairs in the hands of a few leaders. The American Jewish Chronicle, which has been a strong supporter of the plan for a congress, but is bitterly opposed to its organization under the present agreement, contains in its last issue a record of a few of the protests already made against the acceptance of the proposed agreement.

The Poale Zion, a national Jewish organization with headquarters on Delancey Street, which is regarded as belonging to the radical wing of the American Jews, has issued a long statement explaining its opposition, which is published in The Chronicle. Its chief objections, which are held also by some of the more conservative organs of the Jewish press, are as follows:

"The stipulations of the Philadelphia Congress conference, which first gave form to the agitation for a congress, are violated. The Philadelphia Conference unanimously imposed on the congress the duty of claiming full Jewish civil, political, and national rights of equality. Instead of national rights, the committee which framed the agreement has allowed itself to be persuaded to agree to the vague formula of group rights."

What government in the world will seriously consider the Jewish national demands, when we ourselves are afraid of the word 'national'? They try to persuade us that 'group rights' means national rights. If that is so, then why not say it openly and honestly? The Jewish expression of group rights would make the Jewish nation the laughing stock in the eyes of the world and would be made use of as a weapon of argument by the enemies of the Jewish nation."

The Philadelphia Conference adopted a free platform about Palestine, but the peace agreement revokes this decision and limits the demands about Palestine to the vague immemorial expression of 'Jewish rights'. Free immigration and colonization in Palestine were completely ignored. The peace agreement excludes from the congress program all questions of constructive relief and immigration work, in complete contradiction of the desire of the Philadelphia Conference that the congress be assigned important and positive work about the humane economic questions of the Jews in the war zones."

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tion of a permanent congress to defend Jewish rights, but under the agreement this is no longer possible. The question of a permanent congress may not even be considered.

The congress was to be fully democratic and to reflect the wish of the Jewish people. The Congress Committee has been forced to confess that according to the agreement it will not be democratic. This means no more nor less than that the congress opponents who will now be the ring-leaders will flood the congress with their own people, and in this way will change the congress elections into the richest comedy.

"According to the agreement the congress will be held before the end of the war. This is the only victory of the congress followers."

After this agreement, what has remained of the contemplated congress besides the name? Undemocratically put together, fled hand and foot, a lock upon its lips, can such a congress be anything but a political farce? Throw aside the peace agreement which was entered into illegally. The Jewish Congress must be a national congress."

Dr. S. H. Hirsch, editor of The American Jewish Chronicle, said yesterday that he believed the agreement would be defeated in the referendum by a 90 per cent. majority. He declared the opposition to it was country-wide, and that he had seen indications that many Western cities as well as those of New York and New England.

MOB ATTACKS POLICEMEN.

Five Patrolmen Set Upon in Harlem After Arresting Peddlers.

After the arrest of five peddlers a mob of sympathizers yesterday swept five policemen off their feet and tore their uniforms and caps at Second Avenue and 103d Street.

The five policemen had been directed by Captain Brady of the East 104th Street Station to clear the vicinity of pushcart men who were loitering in the streets. At Second Avenue and 103d Street the pushcart men refused to move. Five were lined up against a wall while the policemen made out summonses for them. A crowd which gathered quickly believed the five peddlers were to be taken to a police station, and in the midst that followed, in which women took part, the policemen were knocked down. The peddlers escaped.

Reserves from the East 104th Street Station arrived in a patrol wagon, but not before Patrolman Cady had been struck in the face. At said, by Mrs. Sarah Silverman of 313 East 103d Street, she also pulled buttons from his coat, he said, and tore his cap.

Patrolman Kelly, also of the East 104th Street Station, attempted to arrest David Bernstein of 1364 First Avenue. He said Bernstein struck him and tore buttons off his coat. Both Mrs. Silverman and Bernstein were locked up, charged with disorderly conduct. Three other men and a woman also were locked up. They were Abe Volinsky of 301 East 103d Street, Herman Becker of 25 East 103d Street, and Mrs. Sarah Hildesgarde of 310 East 103d Street.

In the Harlem Court Mrs. Silverman was fined \$4 and Bernstein was held in \$500 bail for examination today on a charge of assault. Volinsky was fined \$10, and Becker and Mrs. Hildesgarde were fined \$5 each.

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Sudden Drop of 12 Degrees in Temperature Follows a Thunder Shower.

HOTEL HIT BY LIGHTNING

Women Hurt at Coney Island as Vast Crowd Rushes to Railway Stations for Shelter.

A thunderstorm accompanied by lightning caused a sudden drop of twelve degrees in temperature and a slight decrease in the humidity late yesterday afternoon, bringing a refreshing change and cooling breezes toward evening. Lightning hit one of the chimneys of the Abington Square Hotel, in Greenwich Village, damaging the brickwork slightly, broke several windows on the upper floor and burned out the feed wires of a large electric sign over the main entrance. Some of the women guests were frightened and fled from their rooms to the hotel office, but none was injured.

The rainfall was light here, but the storm was severe at Coney Island and caused great excitement among the 300,000 visitors there. Thousands hurried for shelter to the West End, Culver, and Smith Street railway stations, which were soon crowded almost to suffocation by the ever-increasing crowds. Capt. Frank Kennedy of the Coney Island Station sent forty-five reserves to the stations. When the police arrived the crowds were rushing onto the trains, which were held up because the guards were unable to close the gates. Women and children were bruised and knocked about in the confusion until the policemen restored order.

The United States Weather Bureau at the Battery said the storm came from the west and southwest, and drenched all the New Jersey Coast resorts north of Cape May except Atlantic City. A heavy squall off Sandy Hook interfered with shipping. The rainfall was only four one-hundredths of an inch at the Battery, but the thunder and lightning

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BOLT KILLS AS SUN SHINES.

Lightning From a Clear Sky Slays a Boy on Staten Island.

In bright sunlight, with not a drop of rain falling, a ten-year-old boy was killed by lightning yesterday afternoon while playing with his companions in front of cottages near the Mission of the Immaculate Virgin at Mount Loretto, Staten Island, an orphanage, of which he was an inmate. His name was Joseph Harding. Another small boy, Frederick Perry, was standing near by, was knocked down by the bolt, but was not hurt seriously.

The boys had just returned from a swim at the beach, and about 300 of them were playing on the large playground at 3-15 Avenue. After receiving medical treatment he was able to go to his home, 2,320 Prospect Avenue, the Bronx.

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COLONEL TO STAY IN U. S.

Roosevelt Says Ohio Story of African Trip Is Pure Fake.

Special to The New York Times.
OYSTER BAY, L. I., Aug. 27.—Colonel Roosevelt said today that he had no intention whatever of returning to Africa on a hunting trip, as reported from Marquette, Ohio, and furthermore, he did not know and never had heard of George Scoville, who was authority for the statement that the Colonel was to visit the African wilds directly after the Presidential election.

"That is pure fake," said the Colonel. "Scoville was not here in 1908 in Africa as a blacksmith, as he says, or in any other capacity. I don't know him and never heard of him. I haven't the slightest intention of going to Africa." The Colonel will make seven speeches for the Republican ticket in the campaign, and no more. He intends to remain at Sagamore Hill all winter.

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SHOT HUSBAND AS BURGLAR.

Mrs. Blind Didn't Recognize Early Morning Intruder.

Special to The New York Times.
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 27.—Mrs. May Blind, 27 years old, who conducts a lodging house at 25 North Maryland Avenue, and who formerly lived in Philadelphia, is under arrest here on a charge of shooting her husband, George Blind of 2,143 Woodstock Street, Philadelphia. Mrs. Blind told the police she had been separated legally from her husband for nearly two years.

This morning at 5 o'clock Blind appeared at her house and entered the front door, which was unlocked. She heard the footstep in the hall and on cautiously opening the dining room door saw the outline of a man's form in the darkness. She took a revolver from the bedside and fired, and the man came toward her, she fired and the man dropped, she said. At the City Hospital it was found the supposed burglar had been shot in the thigh. What sent him to his wife's house at such an unseasonable hour has not been ascertained, but it is supposed he desired to effect a reconciliation.

IN NEW JERSEY.

JERSEY CITY.—Joseph Kulis of 473 Newark Avenue was arrested yesterday following a fire in his home. The police wish to investigate his movements prior to the fire, of which he denies all knowledge.

BAYONNE.—The members of the Fire Department are taking a vote on a proposal to install the City Commissioners for the installation of the two-platoon system. This would allow them to spend two hours at home each day instead of only being allowed their meal hours, as at present.

BAYONNE.—Thomas A. Murphy and his wife, Mary, of 73 West Sixteenth Street, will be buried together this morning. The wife died on Wednesday, and her husband died from heart disease on Friday. He was a forman in the plant of the International Nickel Company. Four children survive them.

NEWARK.—Roman Erzyk, 2 years old, died yesterday in the Newark City Hospital from a fractured skull, suffered when he fell from a second story of his home at 35 Esther Street.

NEWARK.—Police Sergeant Charles O'Garra and six men arrested nine opium and cocaine users and peddlers in a series of raids on Saturday afternoon and night. Two of the prisoners tried to escape, but were brought to a standstill when shots were fired over their heads.

PATERSON.—Herman Walters, 51 years old, of 230 Hamburg Avenue, is in St. Joseph's Hospital with a broken leg and other injuries, suffered when he was run over by a motor cycle owned and operated by Edward Henrich.

MONTCLAIR.—While walking along Gordonhurst Avenue yesterday Scoutmaster T. T. Dorman found a corn grinder that had been used by the Indians who formerly populated this district. Many such relics have been found near Chatham, but this is the first to be found here.

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CALL FOR A STRIKE ISSUED BY UNIONS

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was that negotiations had not been finally broken off. After they reached the New Willard Hotel, the committee of railway Presidents issued this statement:

The committee expects to see the President in the near future, before leaving him, the committee pointed out to him that the strike had been fixed for Sept. 4 was true. It would force an early conclusion of the negotiations and compel the Presidents to return to their properties to prepare for the strike.

It is known that the railroad Presidents have decided that if the heads of the brotherhoods do not announce a voiding of the strike order they will not stay in Washington over Wednesday.

The day's developments were thought to show that the President was ready to stop making proposals to the railroad and was ready to take the matter into his own hands and obtain from Congress if possible the enactment of an eight-hour law, similar to the one now in force on the statute books, for train workers in interstate commerce.

While the railroad Presidents were negotiating at the White House, the managers of the brotherhoods were working out their strike order had gone out to become effective on Sept. 4, hastened to perfect the railroads' strike plans. While heretofore they have been quite willing to tell what they could do in the event of a strike, they refused to discuss the situation this afternoon. It is known that the managers are working out strike schedules for passenger service as well as freight service. These schedules contemplate the operation of reduced schedules on 50,000 miles of the 250,000 miles of American railways. The traffic men believe they can serve the urgent needs of travelers and insure food supplies for big cities with this scale.

Each of the railroads will fight the strike single-handed, it is said. They have already completed lists of the men they hope will stay at work, and it is asserted that the Government will be asked to furnish protection for all mail trains and for the revenue freight trains. It is not believed there will be any embargo by the brotherhoods against mail trains, but that they will try to whip the railroads to their terms by tying up the billions of dollars' worth of freight on the revenue freight lines.

The brotherhoods, it is said, do not believe that they can win a strike on all traffic. Such a system as the Pennsylvania cannot be tied up by a strike, but it can be crippled, they assert.

Companies Will Appeal to Men.

As soon as the break comes the railroads will make an appeal to their men to stay at work, and it is reported that the railroads plan to announce a wage increase between now and the time the strike comes, if it is not called off. However, there is no official confirmation of this.

All that can be said is that the railroads believe, as Samuel Rea, President of the Pennsylvania, declared last night, that they are facing the greatest strike in the history of the world and are ready for it.

Since the news of their strike order became known today, the heads of the brotherhoods, who stayed in Washington until their Chairman left last night, have been looking for a way to break the strike. A. B. Garretson, head of the conductors, issued a statement in which he said in part:

The statement issued by Samuel Rea, President of the Pennsylvania, in which he is quoted as saying that the railroads will give up arbitration the executive regarded it as better to face a strike. It is of particular value when contrasted with the attitude of the company of which Mr. Rea is President toward this question.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company owns and controls the Washington and Annapolis Railroad, the Washington and Potomac Railroad, the Washington and Northern Railroad, and, in conjunction with the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, owns 99 per cent of the stock of the Toledo, Peoria & Western.

As the controller of these five roads, the Pennsylvania absolutely refused to allow them to be represented by the Conference Committee of the railroads in the face of the strike. Therefore, the arbitration was agreed upon there would be nothing to arbitrate upon these roads, for the simple reason that the number of men employed upon each of these properties is so small that they do not make a difference, and where the company feels that it

can defeat the purpose of the men, this sacred arbitration demand takes on an entirely different character.

What was the attitude of the Pennsylvania Railroad toward its shippers in their effort to organize two years ago, and how many millions did the company spend to defeat organization in any arbitration? Is consistency a jewel?

When asked tonight to comment on the issuance of the strike order while the White House negotiations were still under way, Mr. Garretson had nothing to say. It was reported tonight that the brotherhoods would send word to President Wilson that the strike order was not official until it was signed by the General Chairmen. Labor men who would talk tonight said that the Sept. 4 date was only a tentative date, because it could still be voided by the four labor chiefs.

If the strike comes, in all probability the brotherhoods will have to fight for their existence. It is known that several of the larger roads are hoping to defeat the brotherhoods so decisively as to refuse to recognize them. The strike order, which happened to the National Railway Union, under the leadership of Eugene V. Debs, was defeated in the Pennsylvania strike of 1894, the last big railroad strike the United States had.

The railroads, it was said today, would rather have the strike than to have Congress pass the program the President has asked for. If they were forced to accept the eight-hour schedule, either by mandate of Congress or by accepting the President's plan of settlement, they would have to face demands for the eight-hour day from their 1,000,000 non-members of the four brotherhoods.

Wilson Again Confers in Capitol.

For two and a half hours this afternoon President Wilson in conference with the nine members of the Democratic Steering Committee of the Senate in Capitol Hill discussing every phase of the proposed legislation which he considered necessary to save the country from the effect of a general railroad strike. When he left the conference it became known that his arguments had been successful, and that the members of the committee would use their influence to have the Senate adopt the President's legislative program.

This participation of the President in the conference marked his third appearance within the precincts of the Senate in three days.

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hoofs and learned from them that it would be impossible to recall the order.

Committees Increase Opposed.

This placed an entirely new aspect on the situation and made uncertain to-night what additional steps the President and the Congress leaders would take to avert further trouble. During the day the matter of arranging the governmental operation of trains had been under consideration by the President and his advisers, but in view of the hopeful feeling that the proposed legislation would satisfy both sides and prevent a strike, decision on the question was deferred.

Tonight the Administration was again confronted with the necessity of devising means to keep the avenues of transportation open. It is believed that the President will not take this matter again until after he has had a consultation tomorrow morning with the representatives of the Presidents of the railroads.

In the canvass of the situation by the President and the nine members of the Steering Committee it was brought out that there is considerable opposition on the part of Progressive Republicans in the Senate to the strike order. The President has shown by previous appointments to the committee that he has a number of conservative views with respect to railroads, and it has been indicated that the President is not prepared to accept the eight-hour schedule, either by mandate of Congress or by accepting the President's plan of settlement, they would have to face demands for the eight-hour day from their 1,000,000 non-members of the four brotherhoods.

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social comment over this among the crowd that waited outside while the conference was in progress and this was emphasized when some one inside closed the transom over the entrance.

All day Senator Newlands, Chairman of the Committee on Interstate Commerce, who has charge of the proposed legislation, was busy gathering information to assist him in drafting the bill or bills to be introduced to carry out the President's plan to avert the strike. He went to the Department of Justice at 9:30 o'clock this morning and conferred with Assistant Attorney General Todd, who represented Attorney General Gregory in the latter's absence from Washington. Mr. Todd called to Washington several men with whom he was to have a conference on important business, but the necessity of preparing the legislation designed to prevent a strike was regarded as paramount, and he was obliged to tell his visitors he could not see them today.

Senator Newlands and Mr. Todd spent more than seven hours going over all the phases involved in the preparation of the legislation. They were obliged to examine the laws and the Constitution and look up judicial decisions to prevent the possibility of any error in drafting the provisions of the measures. In view of the fact that the beginning of the strike had been set for next Monday morning, an effort may be made to get the legislation through Congress before then. It is not certain that the necessary measures can be passed by that time.

Cannot Withdraw From Stand.

The prospect for carrying out the President's plan of increasing the Interstate Commerce Commission from seven members to nine has improved materially over Sunday in spite of Republican opposition in the Senate, according to statements of Democratic Senators.

Mr. Hughes be elected, the Republican Senators would be all the more determined to stop the legislation on the ground that it would not have the opportunity of appointing the President's staff firmly by the program he had outlined. The proposal of an eight-hour day through legislation opened up a question of vital importance, but ultimately the President got around to his way of thinking and felt assured when he left the room that the members of the committee would use their influence to convert other members of the Senate to the President's program of legislation. It was the opinion of committee members that the President's program would be supported by the Democratic Senators to support the proposed measure or measures, and that the Republican Senators would join the Democrats in the introduction of the legislation.

Railroad Ready for Strike.

Provisions and Engages Men.

Special to The New York Times.

ALTOONA, Penn., Aug. 28.—Preparations for a strike have virtually been completed by the Pennsylvania Railroad. Every available space in the big shops here has been equipped to feed and lodge the men who will be employed as strikebreakers and the shopmen who will be needed as guards.

Many truckloads of groceries, dishes, stoves, beds, bedding, coats, etc., have been delivered at the shops by local dealers. Even second-hand stores were stripped of such goods as the company required.

"Let them strike; we are ready with a capital R," declared Noel W. Smith, Superintendent of the Middle Division. In the event of a break between the brotherhoods and railroads the Pennsylvania Railroad shopmen will remain on the company's property in compliance with a blanket agreement signed last week by more than 10,000 of them, agreeing to work for the company and protect company property. It is to accommodate these men that the officials have converted certain portions of the shops into dining rooms and sleeping quarters. The railway officials are making no secret of what is going on.

"You can judge for yourself about what we expect," said one.

Special to The New York Times.

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 28.—Large numbers of Philadelphia men are being transported to this city in preparation for the threatened railroad strike. This was shown today when several com-

plaints to the United States District Attorney that they had been brought here by the Pennsylvania Railroad, and had received only half the pay promised to them. Two Philadelphia men complained to Assistant District Attorney Daniel S. Horn this afternoon that the Pennsylvania Railroad advertised for car inspectors, and that when they responded they were promised 27 1/2 cents an hour for the first week, and 40 cents an hour for succeeding weeks. This morning they said they were examined, and after being accepted were offered positions paying only 17 1/2 cents an hour. The men refused to accept the work at the reduced wages and left the company's offices. Most of them being penniless, they appealed to the United States Attorney.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 28.—Officials of the Philadelphia Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad refused tonight to make any authoritative statement regarding preparations for a strike. "When a strike is declared we will have a statement to issue, and you can say that the Pennsylvania Railroad will not be found napping," said one of the officials tonight, who refused to have his name used. He did not deny that stores were being ordered and beds set up in certain warehouses in preparation for any emergency.

Prepare for Fight in Chicago.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Chicago, the greatest railroad center in the world, would bear the brunt of a national railroad strike, and most of the operations of the strikers and the railroad leaders would be conducted here.

While most of the railroad officials in the city edged the issue when questioned today, it became known that all railroads have made extensive preparations, in the hope of carrying on their business. It was said that two great systems, the Pennsylvania, and the Atchafalpa, Topoka and Santa Fe, would be selected by the railroads to make the greatest fight on the strikers.

These two companies, the Pennsylvania in the East and the Santa Fe in the West, will attempt to operate a maximum number of trains. They will employ an army of strike breakers as train operators and as guards for their property and trains, in case the employees walk out.

The other railroads have not been idle since danger of a strike became acute. In most of the offices efforts have been made to recruit additional help, and the employment agencies in West Madison and Canal Streets, where most of the railroad laborers are enlisted, have been making special efforts to mobilize workmen at points along the line. Many ostensibly are section hands, bridge builders, and carpenters, but they were given to understand that in case of a strike they would be called upon for other duties.

In the non-operative branch of the railroad work, canvasses have been made of the employees, and all have been asked to be ready to do any kind of work within their respective divisions when the strike is called. Many yardmen, Division Superintendents, tower operators, and other employees can run engines if the need comes.

On the Pennsylvania system the mobilization of strike breakers has progressed rapidly. At a division point of the system near Chicago scores of workmen were said to be installed in a new bunkhouse. Arrangements have been made to house and feed thousands of men at various division points along the line.

NO LETUP IN RAILWAY TRAVEL

Road Officials Find No Abatement Because of Strike Possibility.

No letup in the passenger traffic on any of the big trunk lines has been caused by the possibility of a national railway strike, it was said by officials of the principal railroad companies yesterday.

At the offices of the Pennsylvania it was said long distance passenger travel over its lines was normal, and that passenger traffic over the "short hauls" never had been so great. At the Southern Railway offices it was said passenger business on that system never had been better at this season of the year. Similar statements were made at the offices of other railroads.

The number of children traveling of late has been smaller than usual, but this has been due to the infantile paralysis epidemic.

SECRET ORDERS FIX STRIKE FOR SEPT. 4

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such persons and such conduct should be discouraged so as not to cast reproach upon the cause.

7. Some railroad officials may endeavor to coerce or mislead the men by asserting that men at other points have not quit or that they have returned to work. Such information should be distributed, and all strikers should apply to their officers, and committeemen for information and be governed accordingly, and no member or non-union man will return to work until the strike is officially declared off, when all will return to work at the same time without prejudice and with all former rights.

DUTIES OF LOCAL CHAIRMEN.

1. The local Chairmen of each organization on each division of railroad will jointly supervise the prosecution of the strike on the territory over which they have jurisdiction.

2. Local Chairmen are expected to keep in close touch with the situation and use every honorable effort to further the cause, and will report daily, preferably by night letter, to their respective Chairmen for their respective divisions of affairs. Wherever it is possible for local Chairmen to report to the Joint General Chairmen jointly in one communication it should be done.

3. Expense incurred for telegrams will be borne jointly.

4. When deemed advisable the four local Chairmen will agree upon assistant Chairmen for their respective organizations to be located at outlying points, and said assistant Chairmen will report to their respective local Chairmen.

5. Clearly defined cases of disloyalty or inefficiency on the part of any representative of the organization should be reported to the other organizations, and necessary action either as to discipline or to safety measures taken at once.

DUTIES OF GENERAL CHAIRMEN.

1.—The general chairmen of each railroad involved in the strike will supervise and be responsible for the conduct of the strike upon the line of railroad over which he has jurisdiction, and will make reports by night letter to the grand officer having general supervision over that line of road. Expense incurred by the strike will be paid in accordance with the laws of the respective organizations.

2.—On roads where, because of the number of strikes involved, it becomes necessary to have assistants, he may designate other officers and members of the general committee or a joint board, as in his judgment may be necessary to successfully carry on the strike.

3.—In the absence of instruction from the grand officer in charge of the district, the general chairmen will agree among themselves as to the points at which they will be located during the strike, and they will themselves advise the officer in charge of the district and each of their local chairmen where they are located and proper addresses. The four general chairmen should keep each other advised as far as possible as to their location and movements.

DUTIES OF GRAND OFFICERS.

The grand officers of the four organizations will be assigned to certain districts and each grand officer so assigned will have general supervision of the strike in the district. He will keep the executives of the four organizations advised of the exact situation in their district.

ASSIGNMENTS OF OFFICERS.

Grand officers will be assigned to the following cities: Boston, Chicago, New York, St. Louis, Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, Kansas City, New Orleans, Atlanta, Houston, Cincinnati, Pittsburgh, Denver, Buffalo, Detroit, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Seattle, and Portland. Fraternally yours,

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The Farm Journal offers the logical solution—because it is proving a

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Phone—write—or consult your Advertising Agent. He profits only when he shows you how to sell more goods at the same selling cost.

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The Farm Journal

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The gasoline produced and sold by this Company is called SOCONY Motor Gasoline, and nothing else.

Ask for it by name. It gives most power, most mileage and least carbon trouble.

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MEXICO CONFERENCE IN PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

Opening Date Next Week Is to be Chosen at Preliminary Meeting Here.

MORE MILITIA TO BORDER

12,000 Men from Kentucky, Ohio, and Vermont Called into Federal Service.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—The American-Mexican joint commission to seek a solution of border difficulties will meet at Portsmouth, N. H., probably Wednesday or Thursday of next week. The day will be set by the commissioners themselves at a preliminary conference in New York next Monday.

Eliseo Arredondo, Mexican Ambassador, and Secretary Lansing reached an agreement today as to the place of meeting. The American commissioners previously had expressed to Mr. Lansing their preference for Portsmouth, and Mr. Arredondo acceded.

Luis Cabrera, Mexican Minister of Finance, and head of the Mexican commission, arrived at Vera Cruz today en route north. He is accompanied by James Linn Rodgers, Special Agent of the State Department in Mexico City, who has been called home by Secretary Lansing to give the American commissioners the benefit of his knowledge of the situation.

Secretary Lansing and Mr. Arredondo both will be present at the meeting in New York. The commissioners and their parties probably will go to Portsmouth on a navy vessel. The Americans will take with them a complete corps of State Department records which will be sent along for their use.

Orders were issued by the War Department today for the immediate movement to the border of the National Guard organizations of Kentucky, Ohio, and Vermont, aggregating 12,000 troops, now all ready to be put aboard the trains. At the department it was denied that there was any significance in the order, although it was recalled in unofficial circles that only two weeks ago General Funston requested the department not to send any more guardsmen to the border pending the settlement of the question whether there would be a railroad strike.

On General Funston's recommendation at that time the War Department held up the movement of 25,000 troops now in State camps. Effort was made by the department today to have it appear that the strike did not enter into its decision to send these troops to the border at once, but nevertheless it is believed that these troops, who are restless over their inactivity in State camps, are now being sent to the border in order to have them there before the strike begins, as they could hardly be moved after the strike went into effect.

The argument was made informally in army circles that the troops of these three States were being sent to the border primarily so that they might be used in the formation of the new division which now has only three regiments, the three from Kentucky are to form one of three brigades of another division, and that the Vermont regiment is to go to a third division.

The only official announcement made regarding the new move took the form of the following bulletin, issued at the department today:

Orders previously issued temporarily suspending the movement of militia of Vermont, Kentucky, and Ohio to the Southern Department have been revoked. These troops will join the divisions to which assigned in the recent divisional organization of the militia called into the Federal service.

EL PASO, Texas, Aug. 23.—Camps have been prepared here for thirty regiments in addition to the 40,000 National Guardsmen and regulars now on station in the El Paso district. Brig. Gen. Charles G. Morton, assigned to command the Tenth Division of the National Guard, is here awaiting the arrival of his troops.

NEW YORK GUARDSMAN DIES.

H. O. Boldmann of White Plains a Victim of Fever.

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., Aug. 23.—Word was received here today of the death this morning of Private Harold O. Boldmann, Company L, Seventh New York Infantry at McAllen, Texas. Death was due to intestinal fever.

The guardsman, who was 26 years old, was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred H. Boldmann, wealthy residents of Sterling Avenue, this city. He was graduated from White Plains High School in 1911 and New York University Law School in 1914. He was associated with the law firm of Strong & Taylor.

Mr. Boldmann was a track and football athlete in school and college. President of the White Plains High School Alumni Association, former Secretary of the University Club, and a member of the White Plains Club, South Side Tennis Company, and Emerald A. C. He had played the lead in many athletic theatrical performances.

His engagement to Miss Mildred Weed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William W. Weed of 141 Waller Avenue, had been announced. Besides his parents, his brother, Alfred H. Boldmann, Jr., and a sister, Sylvia, survive.

ANOTHER DETROIT ROBBERY

Auto Bandits Hold Up Standard Oil Collector and Get \$4,000.

DETROIT, Aug. 23.—Two automobile bandits held up a Standard Oil collecting wagon on the Reckner road, near Dearborn, a Detroit suburb, this afternoon. A report to the police said that the robbers obtained \$4,000 and escaped.

The collecting wagon was driven by J. Isbell, who was assaulted and later found lying near a tree. Isbell said the men, who were in a small, dark, mobile, overpowered him and, after throwing the cash into their car, drove away.

BORDEN SHIPWRECK MAY BLOCK STEFANSSON

Expedition Was Carrying Supplies Which the Explorer Needed to Carry Out His Plans.

WHITRIDGE'S RETURN HALTS WAGE DEBATE

His Coming from England Revives Rumors of Changes in Management of Company.

CHICAGO, Aug. 23.—John Borden has sent a dispatch from Nome to Mr. Borden, giving some details of the wreck of the Great Bear. An evening newspaper here publishes an account from Mr. Borden of the wreck, in which he says:

"Nome, Alaska, Aug. 27.—Our year's hunting and exploration trip into the arctic waste is but a dream of the past today. We wrecked our ship, the Great Bear, because some one had told us a man named Letter, supposed to be a Government school teacher, was wrecked and in danger of starving on St. Matthew Island, a bleak and rocky island, little known then that we ourselves would meet with a similar fate. Forty-eight hours later we struck Pinnacle Rock, about seven miles south of St. Matthew.

"We had been sailing through a dense fog against moderate to fresh northerly winds, unable at any time to determine our position by observations. We relied entirely upon dead reckoning. I awoke at 12:30 Wednesday, Aug. 9, of my own accord and went into the galley to get a mug of coffee.

"I went on deck at 12:50, when the lookout on watch sang out: 'Hard a starboard!' The bell in the engine room rang full speed astern, and almost at the same instant the ship struck a rock. We slid over it and fetched up on another and larger rock. All hands immediately came on deck, and I ordered them to take in canvas.

"A strict regard for truth compels me to say right here that none of the twenty-one persons aboard the Great Bear showed the slightest fear or confusion. All this time it was so dark and the fog so dense that we could see nothing but occasional glimpses of the rocks, and our own bows. We could feel rather than see the looming sheer wall of rock only a few yards away.

"As soon as the canvas was in we started bringing provisions. Just before daylight the water stopped the main and electrical engines, and our lights went out. Shortly afterward we could see well enough to lower a dory launch and four whaleboats, commencing to load one at a time.

"Pinnacle Rock is a bleak island, two miles long and 200 yards wide, rising sheer from the water to a height of 900 feet affording no landing for boats even in calm weather.

"On the morning of Friday, Aug. 25, about 11 o'clock, Captain Lane and I, while on the beach talking over the advisability of starting for Nome in small boats when we saw the cutter McCulloch, came ashore and anchored in sight of our signal flags. They sent a boat ashore and we sent two men to meet the landing party. All hands and provisions were taken aboard the cutter, and at 1 o'clock on the morning of the 26th we got away for Nome."

ANSWERS PLEA OF POLICE.

Philadelphia Engineer Confesses Killing a Man in Fairmount Park.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 23.—Ellis D. Frigar, a civil engineer, 23 years of age, today confessed that he had killed Edward Boland on the Neil Drive, Fairmount Park, on Tuesday night last. Frigar, in his confession, declared that he believed he was to have been the victim of a holdup, or that Boland and his companions were bent on submitting his betrothed, Miss Amanda Sykes, to maltreatment.

Frigar was arraigned before Magistrate Pennoch and held without bail to await the action of the Coroner. Attorney Edmonds is trying to obtain a writ of habeas corpus that his client may be free until the inquest and trial.

Frigar met Miss Sykes, who is 20 years of age, several months ago, while he was a patient in the Jefferson Hospital, where Miss Sykes is senior nurse.

Frigar told the police today that he had read the appeal published in a newspaper and knew that if he did not give himself up the true story of the murder would never be learned; that he knew he could go the remainder of his life feeling that he had committed a murder with the right as his defense, and that no one would know he had done the shooting.

W. A. BRADY'S RIB BROKEN.

Theatrical Man Had His Collar Bone Fractured Also in Auto Mishap.

Special to The New York Times.

PLAINFIELD, N. J., Aug. 23.—William A. Brady, the theatrical producer, John Turk, Mr. Brady's business manager, and Jules Eckert Goodman, the playwright, are still confined in the Muhlenberg Hospital as the result of injuries suffered in an auto accident early on Sunday morning, when the rear axle of Mr. Brady's machine broke. Three were on their way to Wilmington, Del., to witness the second presentation of Mr. Goodman's play, "The Man Who Came Back."

At the hospital it was said that Mr. Brady had a broken collar bone and a fracture of one rib. Mr. Goodman and Mr. Turk were badly shaken up. The three will probably leave the hospital tomorrow.

WHITRIDGE'S RETURN HALTS WAGE DEBATE

His Coming from England Revives Rumors of Changes in Management of Company.

MAHER POSTPONES CONFERENCE WITH UNION MEN AS THIRD AVENUE PRESIDENT ARRIVES.

SILENT ABOUT CAR STRIKES

Frederick W. Whitridge, President of the Third Avenue Railway Company, who was blamed by the Public Service Commission for the street car strikes that spread recently from Westchester County to Manhattan, Queens, and Staten Island, returned from Scotland on the American liner New York yesterday in response to urgent messages from the directors of his company.

His arrival revived many rumors recently circulated of possible important developments in the management of the Third Avenue Railway Company. One of the first effects of his presence was to cause Edward A. Maher, Sr., Vice President and General Manager of the company, to cancel a conference today with representatives of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees, the union which called the strikes after Mr. Whitridge had failed to arbitrate troubles originating among the service employees of his company.

"Mr. Maher was put in charge of the strike situation by the Board of Directors of his company after Mr. Whitridge, who had previously been in sole control of such matters, had sailed for Europe on a vacation.

The General Manager wrote a letter to President John Morris of the local union of the car men's organization, saying that Mr. Whitridge was to appear before the Board of Directors of the Third Avenue Railway Company today, and that he considered it advisable to postpone the conference until Thursday afternoon. Members of the street car men's union were unable to say whether this meant that Mr. Whitridge was to represent the company when negotiations with the union were resumed, or whether the adjournment was merely intended to give Mr. Maher and his superior an opportunity to confer on the situation before continuing the discussions with their organized employees.

Discusses Railroad Situation.

Mr. Whitridge was not willing to discuss the strike of the street car employees when interviewed at the steamship pier.

He appeared surprised when told the strike had been settled by Mayor Mitchell and said he had intended to remain in Scotland until October if he had not been recalled to New York by a report of the tie-up of the street railways.

"When I left New York," he said, "there was no danger of a strike on the Third Avenue line. I had intended to hold meetings at which representatives of the men were present, and told them the wages had been increased between January and July at a cost of \$250,000 to the stockholders and that it would be impossible to pay any more. I must wait until I have got all the facts before me in my office as to what has happened during my absence before I can say anything more on the subject."

Commenting on the threatened national railroad strike, Mr. Whitridge said:

"The public will have to pay in the long run, and, in my opinion, the public should pass on the question before any eight-hour day is installed which will bring about an increase in rates. 'Street railway fares are fixed at five cents and cannot be increased without a big outcry from the public, but the railroad rates can be increased by legislation, and the people have to pay. That's where the railroads have the better of the trolley lines. It is just that the public should have a voice in the determination of the wages and hours of work of the railroad employees.'

Sea With British as Somme.

Mr. Whitridge said he regretted that his sudden recall to New York had prevented his seeing his son, Arnold, who is a First Lieutenant in the Royal Field Artillery of the British Army, now fighting on the Somme.

"I had a postcard from my son just before I left Scotland," he went on to say, "in which he wrote from a German dugout that had been captured by the Allies on the Somme, and added that the counterattack of the German forces was fierce. I thought that was rather a good line."

Whitridge appeared to be much more interested in the war news than any other subject and gave some interesting figures regarding the transport work in Southampton, England.

Two million troops have passed through the port on their way to the front in France, and 472,000 horses, as well as quantities of stores running into hundreds of thousands of tons, he said. Thirty-one thousand wounded were landed in Southampton in one week, he added, and 29,000 troops embarked in a single day early in the war for Havre, landing there the next day.

B. R. T. INCREASES WAGES.

Also Promises Better Working Conditions for Service Employees.

An increase in the wages of service employees of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company was voted by the Directors of that company yesterday. The amount was not made known, but was said to be "substantial." Improvement in working conditions also was promised, the company hoping through these means to checkmate the efforts of the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees to unionize the system.

About 10,000 men will benefit by the new scale, it was said at the offices of the company. Details of the betterments proposed, as well as the advances in pay, would be given out in a day or two. Provision will be made for shorter "swing" runs, and there will be a reduction of the number of hours employees can be held on call.

LEATHER WORKERS TO QUIT

Leaders Assert Nearly 8,000 Men of 10,000 Employed Strike Today.

The men in New York who make women's purses, handbags, leather belts, and leather advertising novelties decided last night to walk out at 11 o'clock this morning rather than parley longer with their employers. Jacob Panken, an attorney for Local No. 11 of the Travelers' Goods and Leather Novelty Workers' International Union, said the manufacturers had refused to answer the former body's letter setting forth its demands.

President of the Association of Associated Leather Goods Manufacturers said yesterday that the association, in which fifty-five firms are included, had voted 80 per cent of the products affected, was determined to persist in its policy of ignoring the union altogether. He added that the firms in the association would continue not to discriminate against union men.

EDISON OFF ON VACATION.

Bears No Guns to Mountain Camp—Ford and Burroughs Go, Too.

STEALS MONEY FROM JAIL.

Robbers Get \$483 Sent to Indiana Prison for Safe Keeping.

MARION, Ind., Aug. 23.—The Grant County Jail here was visited by a thief early today and a box containing \$483, the property of the Marion Service Company, was taken. The money was in the room occupied by D. P. Artman, turnkey. He was awakened and pursued the thief for a short distance.

The money was sent to the jail after banking hours Saturday for safe keeping.

Mrs. William G. McAdoo Better.

SPRING LAKE, N. J., Aug. 23.—Mrs. William G. McAdoo, daughter of President Wilson, had the most favorable day since she was stricken with typhoid fever, according to a statement tonight by Surgeon Gen. William Gray Schaulter. Her fever had gone down and she was resting comfortably, he said.

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M'CORMICK TO CALL A HARMONY MEETING

Some of President Wilson's Advisers Disturbed Over Reports of Strife

IN CONDUCT OF CAMPAIGN

McCombs Denies He Will Quit Race for U. S. Senator—Notification No Invitation Affair.

Some of President Wilson's closest advisers, disturbed over reports of strife in the conduct of the Democratic campaign, especially among members of the National Committee, have appealed to him to restore harmony. To this end an important political conference will be held by party leaders in a few days. The report at national headquarters in this city is that Chairman Vance McCormick of the National Committee has not been allowed to manage the campaign in his own way, and that William G. McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury and others, have decided to him.

Chairman McCormick, it was said, has resented this, and will put the matter directly up to the President. Mr. McCormick was in Washington yesterday. When he returns a general harmony conference will be called this week, when every Democratic leader of importance will be in the city on the way to attend the Wilson notification ceremonies on Saturday.

A number of National Committee members who are members of the Campaign Committee have sided with Chairman McCormick in objecting to dictation from certain Washington quarters, it was said. Unless he is left free to manage the campaign in his own way, Chairman McCormick and his followers have threatened to resign, was another report.

Still another report was current yesterday that Secretary McAdoo had brought pressure to bear upon William F. McCombs to retire as a New York State Democratic candidate for United States Senator. Mr. McCombs is at Saratoga, and over the long distance telephone last night he emphatically denied that he intended to get out of the race. He said he would return to this city in a day or two, and it is likely that he will take part in the harmony conference. The McAdoo faction, it is well known, was not pleased with the designation of Mr. McCombs for Senator, as it had a candidate of its own, Tammany, however, put up Mr. McCombs as a direct reply to Washington, and the Fourteenth Street organization intends to bend every effort to elect him, no matter what happens to the rest of the State and national tickets.

National leaders knowing the situation are anxious to have the trouble patched up, and extraordinary efforts are being made to have the Wilson notification an old-time harmony-fest. Special efforts are also being made to have as large a crowd as possible present.

Chairman McCormick sent this telegram from Washington to the local headquarters yesterday:

"I cannot state too strongly that every one is invited to the ceremonies attending the notification of President Wilson of his renomination for President by the Democratic National Convention at Shadow Lawn, Long Branch, next Saturday afternoon. Because a few invitations were issued to persons at a distance whom the National Committee wished to compliment, the impression seems to have got abroad that it is an invitation affair. Nothing could be further from the fact. All are expected and all will be welcome."

PLAN ANTI-WILSON POSTERS

Woman's Party Starts Move to Place the Suffrage States.

Posters, electric signs, banners, etc., are to be spread broadcast through the twelve suffrage States in a big billboard campaign of the Woman's Party next month. These will urge the women voters to "put out of power the party that opposes nation-wide suffrage for women." Miss S. Ada Flatman, who is to be in charge of the campaign, was at the headquarters of the Congressional Union for Woman Suffrage, 18 East Forty-first Street, yesterday preparing to leave for Washington, D. C., last night. This morning she will start for Chicago, from where she will direct the billboard work.

Signs of all kinds are to carry epigrammatic phrases shown in electric lights; there will be big painted signs along the railroad tracks; painted and net banners will be flung across the streets and the "Suffragist Girl" will smile from billboards on lonely prairies and in big cities and tell the suffrage women that the Democratic Party has opposed the Federal amendment.

While Miss Flatman is putting out her billboards, a slender little woman, who was also at the Congressional Union headquarters yesterday, Miss Katherine Morey, from Boston, will work in Kansas, urging the women voters of that State to oppose Wilson. Miss Morey took up her residence in Topeka last April that she might have a Presidential vote.

"I will tell the women that the Democratic Party has blocked them at every turn during the four years it has been in power," she said. "I will ask them if they are willing to stand conditions which are such that by leaving their own State they may lose their citizenship. Wilson won Kansas by sixty-nine votes four years ago. I do not think it will take much effort to turn the tide and see that he does not get a plurality in this election."

HUGHES BLAMED BY HENRY.

California Old Guard Alone with Candidate, He Asserts.

Evidence that the split between the California Republicans and Progressives during the visit of Charles E. Hughes to that State was more serious than appeared at first, was yesterday by Francis J. Henry, member of the Committee of Progressives co-operating with the Democratic National Committee, who sent a telegram to Matthew Hale, also a member of the committee and Acting Chairman of the Progressive National Committee. Mr. Henry wired from Los Angeles, Cal., in part as follows:

"Hughes's visit to California was everywhere staged as an affront to Progressives. Old-time leaders of the reactionary crowd managed all his meetings, and were at his side on all occasions. Standpat newspapers lauded his coming as a triumph of the Old Guard, and praised his speeches.

"Governor Johnson was completely ignored, and he and Hughes did not meet in the State at all, although the Governor was campaigning for two days in his race for United States Senate within a few miles of where Hughes was speaking, and once they were actually in the same hotel for a half hour, but with no sign of recognition.

"Mr. Henry added that California Progressives were being attracted to the support of Wilson by thousands, and that there was no doubt of Wilson carrying the State."

CHICAGO CONVINCES TAFT.

Says He's "Through" with Politics After Being Unnoticed on Streets.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—Ex-President William H. Taft, who is here to attend the convention of the American Bar Association which opens on Wednesday, told reporters today that Chicago convinced him he was out of politics.

"I walked four blocks through the downtown streets and made one purchase in a store without any one apparently recognizing me," the former President said.

SEABURY OFF BENCH TO ENTER PRIMARIES

Tells What He Would Do if Elected Governor and Opens Headquarters.

SEEKS THREE NOMINATIONS

Promises to Rid State of Incompetency, Extravagance, and Corruption at Albany.

Samuel Seabury, who has entered the Democratic, Progressive, and Independent League primaries for the nomination for Governor, resigned yesterday as Associate Judge of the Court of Appeals and issued an address to the voters of the State, setting forth what he intends to do if elected Governor. He opened headquarters at the Hotel Breglin and will make a vigorous campaign.

In his appeal to the voters he pledged himself, if elected, to establish order and economy in State departments, to recommend measures for the simplification and amendment of present tax laws, to oppose vesting in the Governor the power to compel involuntary military service in time of peace by conscription and draft, and to "restore responsible government to Albany."

His address attacks the present State administration, which he terms incompetent, extravagant, and corrupt, and there is a direct reference to Governor Whitman when he states that he will see to it that vouchers for State money expended by public officials for alleged public purposes shall be open to public inspection.

His statement in part says:

"In returning to me people the high trust which they reposed in me two years ago, and which had still twelve years to run, I think it fitting to say that I have taken the step because careful deliberation has convinced me that as Governor I can render greater service than on the bench, and employ the inherent but unusual power of that great office in the people's service."

New York is the commercial center of the world. Its legitimate business must be safeguarded and encouraged in framing laws and administering Government. Wanton attacks upon lawful industries injure labor and capital and prejudice the welfare of the whole State.

I shall urge that the Department of Foods and Markets be made an effective instrument for the economical distribution of food products, to the end that the farmers of the State and the consumers of food products may be brought into closer touch to the benefit of both.

I shall take the initiative in the work too long deferred of establishing law reform in this State, to the end that expense, delay, and technicalities shall cease, and our courts be unhampered in the administration of justice.

I shall stand firmly against false and so-called panaceas, which are often merely excuses for extravagance. I shall support and encourage progressive measures which experience has demonstrated to be sound, to the end that the State shall conserve its natural resources, regulate monopoly privileges, relieve business and industry from the burdens now imposed upon them, and promote just relations between employers and employees.

I ask the confidence and support of the citizens of this State. I do not make this appeal on partisan grounds. I appeal for support on the basis of our common citizenship, and I make this appeal to those who are interested in the welfare of our State. I ask them to co-operate with me in the task of ridding the Government of this State of the incompetency, extravagance, and corruption that now exist in its affairs.

The candidate said he would have no further statement to make until after the primaries. In the meantime he will be at his headquarters daily. Melvin C. Pallister, a former Independence League, will be in charge of headquarters. Within a few days Mr. Seabury will appoint a committee to take charge of his campaign.

Governor Whitman will have the opportunity of a successor to Judge Seabury to serve until Dec. 31, 1917. The vacancy on the Court of Appeals bench will be filled at the general election next year.

HUGHES PLAYS GOLF AND MOTORS IN HILLS

Making the Best of His Vacation—W. A. White Visits Him and Says Kansas Is His.

Special to The New York Times.

ESSEX PARK, Col., Aug. 28.—Charles E. Hughes was assured today by William Allen White, Kansas Progressive and editor of The Emporia Gazette, that Kansas would give Mr. Hughes a majority. Mr. White came to the Stanley Hotel from his bungalow in the mountains, where he is doing literary work, and had a half hour's talk with Mr. Hughes. He said he felt that the majority of the Progressives in his State would vote the Republican national ticket, and while he did not agree with some of the Republican leaders who predict 75,000 majority, he seemed satisfied that the State was safely in the Republican column.

Mr. Hughes devoted the morning to golf, and was in excellent form, making the first nine holes of a very difficult course in 45, and defeating his secretary, L. H. Green, who is an expert player. This little bit of great good humor, and he insisted on playing three extra holes. In the afternoon he went for an automobile ride with Mrs. Hughes. The rugged beauty of the scenery in the Estes Park section of the Rockies has won Mr. Hughes. He is in excellent health and his voice is rapidly recovering its full power. As the guest of Essex Mills at the Long Peak Inn, 10,000 feet above sea level, Mr. Hughes will have lunch on the mountain. This little bit of great good humor, and he insisted on playing three extra holes. In the afternoon he went for an automobile ride with Mrs. Hughes. The rugged beauty of the scenery in the Estes Park section of the Rockies has won Mr. Hughes. He is in excellent health and his voice is rapidly recovering its full power. 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Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, Aug. 28.—One of the most

the Cubs and the New York Giants, involving the transfer of Heinie Zimmerman, the recalcitrant infielder, to the Giants in return for whom the Cubs receive Larry Doyle, W. Hunter, an infielder, and Jacobson, an outfielder. Because Doyle and Zimmerman are two of the most widely known players in

The actual transfer is the culmination of various rumors and reports which have been circulated since President Weeghman of the Cubs imposed a ten-day suspension on Heinie Zimmerman for what he chose to term "laying down on the job." The day that Zim's sus-

his days as a member of the Cubs were limited. Immediately a bidding contest among at least three National League clubs to obtain Zimmerman began. Philadelphia, Boston, and New York were the clubs which placed bids with Philadelphia being the highest bidder.

The deal was made for Zimmerman's services. He was to be traded to the Phillies for a prospect who was to be named by the Phillies.

The deal was made today to the fans in the city of Philadelphia.

Zimmerman because it was understood that the clubs had made more tempting offers.

Zimmerman left tonight to join the Giants. The New York players will join the team tomorrow and will play in the game against the Phillies in the afternoon.

RESTA LEADS AUTO DRIVERS

CINCINNATI, Aug. 28.—Should Rickenbacker, the diminutive auto racing driver, win the first international speedstakes race with the new Cincinnati Speedway at Sharonville will be named on LeMay Drive.

The big Missouri canter was the 10th session and earned an even on the honors for the round. The big Missouri canter was the 10th session and earned an even on the honors for the round. The big Missouri canter was the 10th session and earned an even on the honors for the round.

Asstey-Vaughn Bout Set
Willie Asstey, the local bantamweight champion, will begin his campaign for the title against Billy Vaughn, the Labor Day night in a bout with Tubor at Philadelphia. He will meet Jack Slayles at the Manhattan Casino on July 10, and will have his New York Appearance on Sept. 10.

annex, including the Bosch \$1,000 trophy, representing the 1916 championship and several prizes offered by Cincinnati business men for special performances.

The following list shows how the contenders for the 1916 championship stand, and indicates the odds.

As in the lead at present, there are other drivers who will have a chance

Boxing Bouts Tonight.

Jimmy Regan, the California weight, who has made a favorable impression on local fans with his aggressive style of boxing, will meet Stimler of Scranton, Penn., in the ten-round bout at the

Driver	Points	Driver	Points
Dan Resta	1,616	Billie Davis	80
Ralph De Palma	1,616	B. O'Neil	80
E. V. Ricken	1,510	Mel Stringer	80
Thomas Milton	1,370	George Adams	80
James M. Smith	653	John Smith	80
Ralph Mulford	685	H. Wilcox	80
J. Christensen	640	Billy Chandler	80
W. J. Smith	510	W. J. Smith	80
Pete Henderson	432	M. Sorenson	80
Dave Lewis	330	Charles Johnson	80

E. O'Donnell.....	185	W. J. Muller.....	20
F. Galvin.....	100		

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Spokane Clinches League Play

SPOKANE, Wash., Aug. 23.—Spokane has clinched the Northwestern League pennant, it was announced today following yesterday from the winning of the game from the Seattle team. Should Spokane lose all remaining games, the percentage would be 50 per cent.

King's cups at the races of the New York Yacht Club off Newport, is now at the Herreshoff yards at Bristol, R. I., to prepare her for the races for the Cape May and Brenton Reef trophies, to be sailed against Robert E. Tod's Katoua, on Sept. 12 and 16, from Sandy Hook to Cape May and return, and Brenton Reef and return.

Shrouds of heavier steel wire than that used for the Sound races. Captain Bill Dennis will keep together his crew of twenty-two men, which won a good share of prize money in the several successful races in which they were participants during the N. Y. Y. C. cruise.

Commodore George F. Baker's fifty-foot sloop yacht Ventura, which went across the Pacific in 1906, is being

underbody was not damaged, as it was found that she had grounded on the one comparatively sandy point on the coast, so that the injuries were confined to the pounding of her keel on the rocks.

Arthur F. Luke's Katharine and John S. Lawrence's Squaw, of the N. Y. C. Lines, have gone to Marblehead for a series of five races for a special award.

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Special Correspondence of THE NEW YORK TIMES.

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The manufacturers will be chosen by the Government from three nominations to be made by the Chamber of Commerce in each capital of the Commonwealth, and the laborists similarly from nominations to be made by central organizations. The newspaper member will be a member of the Australian Journalists' Association, which is a trade union. The following industries will be investigated: Iron and steel and mechanical engineering generally, lumber and building materials, leather, textile, and paper trades, and trades connected with the preparation of food-stuffs.

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J. E. Fenton, the Victorian member of the Federal House of Representatives, who caused something of a stir some weeks ago by inveighing against what he termed heavy dumping of goods in Australia by systematic American effort or studied connivance, said that the commission could be regarded as a "fool's paradise."

Centralized Study Planned.

"There was only one American industrial secret, and that was the speeding up system, and the United States was the country which inaugurated the speeding up idea," another commission member said. "The Federal Government intended to send over to America to ascertain how to perpetuate speeding up and toll. Still another declared: 'God help the iron trade here if the American system is introduced.' But a motion that the request of the Government be not entertained was defeated, 44 to 35."

A happier and more sensible phase is a proposal by the Victorian Council of Education, that representatives of technical schools in the Commonwealth be included in the commission, and American industrial education methods be studied.

Specialization by States in the work will be done by the commission while in America is an interesting feature. In New South Wales are the largest iron and steel plants in Australia. The Broken Hill Company's mills at Broken Hill, New South Wales, are being conducted by an American expert, and some fifty of the employees are Americans. It is hoped that these works will make Australia independent altogether of foreign-made iron. In Victoria, the representative of which upon the commission will devote themselves to textiles, are the federal woolen mills and other like concerns; and it is noteworthy that American capital, which is gradually finding its way into Australia, shows a tendency to seek Melbourne, which is generally conceded to be the most American city in the Commonwealth.

In Queensland, along with Australian packing companies, are the meat works of the American Beef Trust, Inc., and as to paper-making, which not only Australia, but New Zealand as well, would like much to take up, it is worthy of remark that Tasmania recently had an expert from the University of Wisconsin investigate its soft wood resources with that end in view.

The manufacturers' representatives will be experts along these lines. Inasmuch as each section of the commission will be required to furnish separate reports by the manufacturer and the worker, it is expected that the commission will follow a procedure like that of the Federal Industrial Commission in England to the United States about a decade ago. The Australians will spend about six months in the United States. The whole of the cost of the commission will be borne by the Government.

The duties of the journalistic member will be to prepare reports and supply news relating to the commission and its work for publication in the Australian press. These news reports will be furnished to newspapers in the Commonwealth gratis—a rather novel form of governmental publicity.

Hopes for New Trade Era.

Mr. Brookes' Presidential address to his business associates may fairly be said to have been the genesis of the commission, but in a wider and deeper sense the body will be representative of the feeling in Australia that now is the accepted time for her to enter upon a commercial era worthy of her resources and of her place in the British Empire.

To make Australia self-contained, therefore, will be the purpose of any party which seeks to retain public confidence, to which must be added the larger consideration that imperial bonds will be stronger after the war than ever perhaps in British history.

EQUITABLE AGENTS TELL OF PROSPERITY

Delegates to Convention Which Opens Today Report Good Times in All Sections.

BEST YEAR FOR INSURANCE

Five Representatives of Society Have Record of \$1,000,000 or More New Business.

Stories of this country's extraordinary prosperity in all sections, and in practically every line of trade and industry, were brought to New York yesterday by hundreds of agents of the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States, who began gathering for their national convention which opens this morning at the Waldorf-Astoria.

One of the first delegations to reach the hotel, which will be the headquarters of the convention, was a party of twenty agents from Alabama. Other delegations came in in the course of the day. The agents one and all wore a self-satisfied and confident air, the reason for which was not far to seek. Every agent had written more life insurance in the last twelve months than ever before, and all were convinced that the immediate future held even more widely extended sections of the United States asserted that financial, crop and industrial conditions throughout this country were the best, taken as a whole, in the nation's history. Owing to the prevailing prosperity people had turned to life insurance as never before, and had resulted in new records for both policies and amounts.

It was also stated that one of the most encouraging features in the situation since the holding of last year's convention was the way so-called "lapsed" policies had been revived.

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Transactions in Stocks and
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The following range of prices and
closing quotations were reported to THE
NEW YORK TIMES yesterday by dealers
in public utility securities. The trading
in these securities is done privately over
the counter, and this record gives only
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dealers making them:

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CONSOLIDATED EXCHANGE.

The advances in the Marine shares
was a feature of the afternoon dealings
on the Consolidated Stock Exchange.
Reports were received that the pre-
ferred stock would be retired. So far
as the general list was concerned, it
developed an improved tone in the later
dealings.

SALES.

50 Alaska Gold, 16 1/2 16 1/2 16 1/2

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200 Am. Car. 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2

200 Am. Car. & Ry., 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2

190 Am. Ice Sec., 28 28 28

480 Am. Loco., 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2

270 Am. Smelting, 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2

1,600 Anaconda, 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2

10 Atchafalaya, 100 100 100

80 A. G. & W. I., 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2

800 Baldwin Loco., 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2

800 Bait. & Ohio, 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2

120 Cent. Leather, 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2

110 Ches. & Ohio, 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2

120 C. M. & St. P., 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2

110 China Copper, 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2

1800 Crucible Steel, 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2

320 Cuba C. Sug., 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2

800 Erie E. & W., 10 10 10

20 Erie 1st Pfd., 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2

8,000 Int. Mer. Mar., 38 1/2 38 1/2 38 1/2

4,380 Int. M. M. Pfd., 40 40 40

50 Inter. Nickel, 40 40 40

40 Insular Cop., 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2

240 Kennecott Cop., 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2

50 Leg. R. & Tre., 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2

340 Maxwell Mot., 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2

1,450 Mex. Petrol., 10 10 10

170 Miami a. Sugar, 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2

50 Mo. Pacific, 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2

120 New. Emp., 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2

80 New. Cons. P., 10 10 10

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40 Pacific Mail, 28 28 28

70 Ry. Steel Pfd., 45 45 45

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WILSON COMPLETES DEFENSE PROGRAM

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COMMENT BY PRESIDENT

Thinks Country Will Feel Congress
Has Done Well—Bids Immediately
Asked for New Warfare.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—President Wilson today completed the Administration's preparedness legislative program by signing the Army and Navy Appropriation bills. At the same time he signed the Philippine bill and the New Uniform Bill of Lading measure. As he signed the bills he was surrounded by members of House and Senate committees and army and navy officers. Moving picture cameras recorded the event. When he had signed all the bills President Wilson spoke of his feelings in putting the finishing touches to the legislation.

"I think that the whole country will feel," said he, "that this Congress has accomplished a very remarkable part of the program of national defense. This bill that I have signed for the army is merely the Appropriation bill; it is not the bill by which we reorganized the army, of course you understand, and it does carry with it a very much needed revision of the articles of war and it does mean that the finances of the nation are to stand behind the reorganization of the army and its use for adequate national defense."

"The navy bill is a very remarkable measure. Never before by any single act of legislation has so much been done for the creation of an adequate navy. Our navy has steadily grown. I think the development of the navy of force has always had the enthusiastic support of the nation. It is a matter of unspeakable gratification, therefore, that this bill is a sufficient earnest to the nation of our readiness to support it. It is only by such means that any people comes into contentment and into peace. I believe that this bill, with such unanimity of support and opinion."

The Philippine bill excites peculiar feelings in me, because there have been times when the people of the Philippine Islands doubted our intentions to be liberal just to them. I hope and believe that this bill is a sufficient earnest to the nation of our readiness to support it. It is only by such means that any people comes into contentment and into peace. I believe that this bill, with such unanimity of support and opinion."

"So it is with great gratification that I have signed this bill. I am not accustomed to the use of spotlights, which we have just been subjected, but I am very glad to have been caught at such acts." (reference to the lights for the motion pictures.)

ASK BIDS AS BILL IS SIGNED.

Most New Warfare Designs Complete—Benson Explains Program.

Special to The New York Times.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—It was at 10:30 o'clock this forenoon that President Wilson signed the Naval Appropriation bill. This measure vitalizes the stupendous three-year naval building program, which includes 10 battleships, 6 battle cruisers, 10 scout cruisers, 50 destroyers, 9 fleet submarines, 58 coast submarines, 8 fleet ships, a repair ship, a transport, a hospital ship, 2 destroyer tenders, a submarine tender, 2 ammunition ships, and 2 gunboats.

Within an hour after the signing of the measure the Navy Department advertised for bids for four battleships, four scout cruisers, twenty destroyers, and thirty submarines of two distinct types, fifty-eight vessels in all. The department today also directed the Commandants of the navy yards at Philadelphia, Boston, and Charleston to proceed with the construction of the hospital ship, the fuel ship, and the gunboat, respectively. The bids called for are to be opened in two months. The sixty-one vessels are the units to be begun, under the law, within six months from date. Four battle cruisers also are to be begun within the next six months.

The only designs for the current program not yet completed are those for the battle cruisers and the ammunition ships. These will be ready to be issued to bidders on Oct. 1. During the last nine months the technical bureaus of the Navy Department have been at work on the designs of the different vessels. In them are incorporated the results of study of the lessons of naval warfare in the European conflict. By dint of hard work the designs, with the exceptions noted, were completed on the very day of the approval of the bill. This establishes a record for the navy.

Admiral Benson, Chief of Operations, tonight authorized this statement:

Battleships Slightly Larger.
"The battleships will be known for the present as Nos. 45 to 48 inclusive. They will be slightly larger than their predecessors, the Tennessee and California. Their chief characteristics are: Displacement, 32,000 tons; speed, 21 knots; battery, eight sixteen-inch guns, eighteen five-inch guns, four three-inch anti-aircraft guns; complement, 1,022 men. They will have the same very large cruising radius which characterizes all recent United States battleships. Their armor protection and

under heavy protection against torpedo attack will be unusually complete, and will include features which experience in the war has shown to be of the most importance."

"The scout cruisers, which for the present will be known as Nos. 4 to 7 inclusive, will be the largest and fastest vessels of this class ever laid down for any navy. The chief characteristics are: Displacement, 1,000 tons; speed, 35 knots; length, 550 feet; beam, 65 feet; armament, eight six-inch guns, four torpedo tubes, and two three-inch anti-aircraft guns; complement, 380 men. Their high-powered machinery installations will be protected by light but efficient vertical and horizontal armor. A new feature of these vessels, never before incorporated in any ship of the power of the military type, will be their complete equipment for carrying, launching and operating four of the largest class hydroplanes."

"The torpedo boat destroyers, until assigned names, will be known as Nos. 75 to 94 inclusive. Following their predecessors, these vessels will carry a very heavy battery, speed will have an unusually large cruising radius for vessels of their class. They represent a small increase in size over the previous class laid down, but will deliver an increased speed of about five knots. Their chief characteristics will be: Displacement, 1,150 tons; speed, 35 knots; battery, four four-inch guns, four three-inch anti-aircraft guns; complement, 55 men. It should be noted that these vessels will attain their rated speed from full speed displacement, and not on a very much increased displacement, which can only be attained by strapping the vessels with many essentials, as is the case in a number of foreign boats of this class, for which very high speeds are claimed."

Experimenting With Submarines.
"Of the coast defense submarines twenty-seven will be of the usual type which have been built in this country for this purpose, but will include several new features tending to greatly improve their military value. They will be known for the present as Nos. 53 to 104, inclusive. The remaining three submarines, Nos. 105, 106, and 107, will be of a new type, representing a marked increase in size over the usual coast defense submarine and a decrease in size from the very large fleet submarine. Each of these three vessels will represent different ideas in their detailed design, and it is hoped that the development will arrive at a size of vessel which will be sufficiently large to perform nearly all the duties required of a submarine, but at the same time will be sufficiently small to enable it to be built quickly in large numbers."

"The hospital ship will be the first vessel built specially for this purpose for the United States Navy. The ship will be used for the purpose of converting now in use for this purpose are converted merchant vessels. The design has been worked out by the technical bureaus of the Department in constant consultation with the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery, with the result that it will embody the features of the most up-to-date hospital on shore. It will have accommodations for 300 patients. Its chief characteristics and dimensions are: Displacement, 3,800 tons; length, 400 feet; breadth, 60 feet 10 1/2 inches; draft, 19 feet 8 inches; speed, 16 knots. As this vessel is to be used for the purpose of attack in time of war, under the terms of the Geneva Convention, it will not, in accordance with the terms of that Convention, carry an armament of any kind, for offense or defense, and in its design there are included no military features of any sort."

"The fuel ship, which will be known for the present as No. 10, will be a large oil tanker, of ordinary commercial type, except that in many features its design will meet the requirements for a vessel which must accompany the battle fleet and be prepared to supply fuel oil to vessels of all sizes under adverse conditions of wind and sea. Its chief dimensions and characteristics are: Displacement, 14,000 tons; length, 455 feet; beam, 68 feet; draft, 26 feet 4 inches (about); total dead weight carrying capacity, 9,900 tons; speed, 14 knots."

"The gunboat, which will be known for the present as No. 21, will be a type of vessel designed for service in tropical waters. Its chief characteristics will be: Displacement, 1,000 tons; length, 241 feet 2 inches; breadth, 41 feet 2 1/2 inches; draft, 11 feet 4 inches; armament, three 4-inch guns, two 3-pounder anti-aircraft guns, two 3-inch field guns, two 3-pounder guns, speed 12 knots, complement 140."

Women to Speak for Hughes.
A campaign ship will be opened at 221 Broadway next Tuesday afternoon, by the Women's New York City Committee of the Hughes' Alliance, and noon meetings will be held daily with prominent men and women speakers. Among the women who will open the campaign will be Mrs. Nelson O'Shaughnessy, Dr. Katharine B. Davis, and Miss Amelia Singmaster. Miss Alice Carpenter, Chairman of the committee, will preside at each meeting. Mrs. Florence Howe Hall, Mrs. Joseph T. Maclean, Mrs. Ernest Thompson Seton, and others will act as hostesses.

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TOBACCO GROWERS PROTEST TO LANSING

Insist That Britain Should Be
Held to Agreement Regarding
Their Exports.

THEY HINT AT REPRISALS

Assail Present Situation as Threatening
the Livelihood of Hundreds
of Thousands of Citizens.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 25.—Vigorous protest against the action of the British Government in withdrawing from the agreement which it made with the United States Government on Nov. 15, 1915, whereby tobacco produced in the United States and exported to neutral countries was no longer required to be consigned to the Netherlands Overseas Trust but was permitted to enter all neutral ports free of restriction, even if destined to the Central Powers of Europe, was presented to Secretary of State Lansing today by a large delegation of tobacco growers and dealers from Kentucky, Maryland, Tennessee, and Virginia.

The delegation urged Secretary Lansing to use his best efforts to obtain immediately from Great Britain an abrogation of its agreement and the removal of the embargo on tobacco products. "It cannot be expected that hundreds of thousands of citizens," says the written protest filed with Secretary Lansing, "will willingly and quietly acquiesce in this interference with the shipment of their noncontraband product to a neutral port, coming as it does at the very time when it is to be harvested and placed on the market."

Attention was called by the tobacco growers to the fact that while the United States Government has maintained strict neutrality, "the Allies, and Great Britain in particular, have profited greatly by the opportunity offered to secure supplies of all kinds from this country, and in the immense volume of credit extended, and no effort has been made by this Government to place restrictions on this trade. The delegation asserts that public sentiment has been aroused in the tobacco States, and that "if present laws are inadequate to exact that degree of reciprocity which is our due then we are sure that our Senators and Representatives will be called upon to propose legislation which will bring about the desired result."

Text of the Protest.
The protest was presented to Secretary Lansing in this form: To Hon. Robert Lansing, Washington, D. C.: A large delegation of citizens representing the tobacco growers of Kentucky, Tennessee, Maryland, and Virginia, have assembled in Washington for the purpose of entering a protest against the action of the British Government in withdrawing from the agreement made Nov. 15, 1915, whereby tobacco produced in the United States and exported to neutral countries was no longer required to be consigned to the Netherlands Overseas Trust, but was permitted to enter all neutral ports free of restriction. You are, of course, familiar with the steps which have been taken by this country since March, 1915, when the original Order in Council was issued on this subject, to secure a free and open market for this manifestly non-contraband product from the American farmer. And we desire to express our appreciation of your distinguished services in securing a modification of these orders in November, 1915, which permitted the shipment of tobacco into the Central countries. But in view of the situation which existed among the growers before and after the modification, we are convinced, and desire earnestly to impress our Government, that a repetition of these conditions will mean disaster to a great proportion of the tobacco growers of these States which produce this product.

The recent action of Great Britain will restore the condition existing prior to November, 1915, and the grower will again find himself at the mercy of the speculator. There were forty tobacco growers and dealers in the delegation, and accompanying them were

actual cost of production. The result will be far-reaching and disastrous. The dark type of tobacco produced in large quantities in Kentucky, Tennessee, Maryland, and Virginia, is practically all exported, and the grower's attention to the fact that tobacco is a product of the soil, and that many thousands of citizens are entirely dependent upon this product for their support, and that these with whom they do business will be most seriously affected by this unexpected and unreasonable action on the part of the British Government.

Planters Increased Acreage.
After the embargo was released, in November, 1915, and before the time arrived for the planting of the crop of 1916, it was caused to be generally understood among the farmers and others that the order of Nov. 23, 1915, permitting shipments of tobacco to Germany and Austria would be continued. Consequently an unusually large acreage of tobacco was planted and is now in the field. To permit the present order, recently issued, denying shipment of tobacco to the Central Powers, and thus cutting off a very large natural market for this American product, and affecting the livelihood of the growers of tobacco in this nation, that we feel justified in urging the British Government to return to the terms of this agreement, and to afford relief from this unjust restriction.

Tobacco is a product of the soil. Whether a soldier had or did not have it would not affect his military efficiency. It is a product of the soil, and it will bring about a repetition of the distressing conditions which prevailed during the season of 1915, when farmers were compelled to sell their products at prices in many instances below the cost of production. They do not desire to repeat these conditions. They ought not to have to submit to such a repetition. It is difficult to understand why Great Britain should insist upon imposing these restrictions upon the movement of this important product of America. It is a product of the soil, and it will bring about a repetition of the distressing conditions which prevailed during the season of 1915, when farmers were compelled to sell their products at prices in many instances below the cost of production. They do not desire to repeat these conditions. They ought not to have to submit to such a repetition. 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there to appear and defend their interest, if
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Dated Aug. 22d. 1916.

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A considerable part of the collateral furnished by the British Government for the \$250,000,000 two-year 5 per cent. loan is still to arrive, it was said yesterday, although the bankers have received lists giving the names of the securities which are now on their way over. Owing to the risks of ocean shipping, the collateral was divided into a number of lots to go by different steamers. The American stocks and bonds were sent first.

The labor attached to the handling of the \$300,000,000 worth of securities is enormous, and to expedite the classification and checking operations the work has been divided among a number of Wall Street banks. The Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, Bankers Trust Company, First National Bank, and Liberty National Bank have all a portion of their staffs at work for several days opening the heavy cases and listing their contents.

The securities are received in wooden packing cases lined with tin, hermetically sealed to prevent damage by moisture. Each case contains between \$2,000,000 and \$5,000,000 worth of securities. The banks keep in touch with J. P. Morgan & Co., and as fast as one lot is cleaned up a fresh consignment is sent to them. One institution has taken on twenty extra clerks to help the regular staff, and it is taking up to three days of three cases a day. There are to be between 15 and 100 boxes in the lot.

At the Liberty National Bank, each case is taken into a room equipped with long tables and pigeonholes, and divided into sections by an iron partition to prevent any of the securities from being blown away. The bonds are packed in bundles, with the list of contents on the outside, and clerks have to check and total the securities to compare them with the manifest. The securities are handled by two girls who are experts in handling certificates, and each security is carefully studied to make sure that the names are properly filled in with the coupons attached, and that the proper information is on the back. It is not a good delivery for any cause, arrangements have to be made to secure the securities, and they are not before it can be transferred to the trustee.

When the checking has been completed, the bonds are packed between boards and tagged, so that they can be found immediately through a card index. They are then filed away in cases equipped with drawers, and the securities are ready to be sent to the trustee at any time to sell on the exchange. The trustee can tell at once whether the securities are in the vault, and that many of the securities will be distributed during the next two years.

EARNINGS.

CHICAGO GREAT WESTERN.

1915. 1916. Increase.

July-Aug. 1915. \$2,389,311. 1,987,853.

July-Aug. 1916. 2,280,517. 1,088,064.

DENVER & SALT LAKE.

30th week Aug. 1915. 44,838. 4,282.

July-Aug. 1916. 300,108. 26,425.

ANN ARBOR.

30th week Aug. 1915. 54,484. 45,498.

July-Aug. 1916. 307,112. 328,367.

UNION PACIFIC FOR JULY.

1915. 1916. Increase.

Freight rev. 6,834,271. 4,032,312. 4,079,208.

Passenger rev. 1,987,238. 2,107,763. 1,883,635.

70c. rev. 9,337,468. 9,484,988. 9,484,988.

Maint. of way. 1,448,287. 1,511,300. 1,682,831.

Maint. of equip. 1,029,817. 1,285,380.

Trans. exp. 2,183,477. 4,032,312. 3,970,232.

Taxes 448,418. 448,418. 448,418.

Oper. income. 3,454,302. 2,649,317. 2,676,836.

CENTRAL RAILROAD OF NEW JERSEY

For July.

Gross 2,975,908. 2,808,078. 2,724,929.

Net 1,154,849. 1,154,849. 1,154,849.

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gives the President authority to take over and operate the railroad in case of "public necessity," and to hold persons refusing to accept the law, and to suspend the law, but he was deeply impressed with its applicability to the present situation and understood that it was applied in time of peace. It is regarded as a measure that gives authority to the President to take over the operation of the transportation of troops and other military purposes.

Wide Scope of Law of 1862.
The law of 1862 as its provisions were understood by Representative Adamson tonight, goes much further than the President's proposal, as it gives him authority to operate trains for any purpose in case of "public necessity." This would enable the Federal Government to operate food trains if a general railway strike were called.

Representative Adamson said that he planned to provide in the House bill that the eight-hour day should become effective November 1, 1917, and that probably would read finally, "that eight hours shall be deemed a day's work at the existing wage for a ten-hour day."

The bill will contain a provision that in case of "accident or emergency" or any case where existing divisions may be more than eight hours to make a run at safe and reasonable speed, the employees may work more than eight hours. Such labor is to be paid for at the rate of time and a half for overtime and the additional service is to be "without fault of the employee." Such a provision is a brilliant compromise position in the Senate.

Today the Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce held a long session at which it was decided that hearings on the proposed railroad legislation should be given priority. The hearing will begin at 9 o'clock and will continue for nine hours, divided among representatives of the railroads, the shipbuilders, and the shippers, and persons representing the public.

Three Bills Drafted.
Chairman Newlands drafted before the committee tentative drafts of three bills that had been prepared by the President, Secretary Lane, Assistant Attorney General Todd, and Commissioner Chambers of the Board of Conciliation and Arbitration, acting in behalf of President Wilson. These bills follow the lines of the President's recommendations to Congress yesterday. They consist, first, of a bill establishing the eight-hour standard for railroad employees; second, a bill defining the duties of the Board of Conciliation and Arbitration; and third, a bill providing for the operation of railroads in time of emergency as a military necessity and for military purposes.

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To this Senator Robinson of Arkansas made an emphatic statement, saying that there were "petty politicians who were trying to make political capital out of the strike and to create trouble and to foment dissensions and create difficulties in the way of a sane settlement of the strike." He said that the Democrats made no reply to this attack, but arose and left the committee room. At the request of the fellow members, and after an animated discussion of the incident, Senator Robinson went in to give his statement and to make a personal character and the meeting of the committee was resumed with Mr. Cummins present and participating in the deliberations.

After the meeting of the committee, Chairman Newlands said that there was ground for congratulation on the interchange of views during the day.

All Working for Peace.
It was clear that every one, he said, was in earnest and trying to meet the emergency in the best way possible. The shortness of the time before the date set for the strike to begin embarrassed the committee, but he said it was decided, notwithstanding the short interval, to hold hearings. Notices were sent this afternoon to the railroad managers that the committee would take place tomorrow morning. A notice was also sent to the railroad managers that the committee would take place tomorrow morning.

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ORDER REGIMENTS FROM THE BORDER

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more than a month, were ordered to the border in order to enable the War Department to get back to their cities and railway centers the National Guardmen covered by the orders given to General Funston tonight. The particular regiments ordered to be returned were not designated in the War Department announcement, but it is probable that General Funston will designate those and that he has been given confidential instructions regarding the real purpose of this latest militia maneuver.

New York State furnished an entire division for the National Guard mobilized, including three brigades, in each of which there were three regiments of infantry.

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Philadelphia Officials United.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 30.—The railroad heads here intend to fight the strike until they are completely exhausted, by officials of the Pennsylvania Railroad that the Executive Advisory Committee would remain intact and direct operations of the different companies in their fight. When first formed it was announced that the Advisory Committee would merely look after the interests of the railroads until the actual beginning of the strike.

"So far as the running of trains and the handling of freight are concerned, it will be up to the individual companies to solve these problems," an official said today. "but when it comes to dealing with the men, the companies will act unitedly. No agreements will be made by individual companies without the sanction of the committee."

Pittsburgh Barracks for 1,000.

Special to The New York Times.

PITTSBURGH, Penn., Aug. 30.—The Pennsylvania Railroad officials announced today that in case of a strike the company would draw on its forces in other departments to operate trains. The company has about 30,000 employees who are not members of unions.

Workmen today started converting the Jenkins Building, near the Union Station, into barracks to accommodate 1,000 men. Food and fuel supplies and a kitchen. An overhead bridge is to be built over Liberty Avenue connecting the station with the building where the Pennsylvania Railroad station, to permit the employees to pass back and forth between the tracks and the barracks without passing along the streets.

It was announced from the office of Superintendent T. Morrow that a corps of about 1,000 railroad policemen is being organized to protect property and maintain order in the city. They will be quartered at the Jenkins Building.

Both sides seek publicity. The railroad set forth their position on the threatened strike as finally outlined before President Wilson in large display advertisements in the New York newspapers this morning.

The final proposal of the railroads is summed up in the advertisement, which declares that this strike was ordered from Washington while the President of the United States was making every effort to bring about a settlement. The advertisement repeats the statement made by the railroad executives that the strike was ordered from Washington while the President of the United States was making every effort to bring about a settlement.

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New Orleans will not suffer so greatly as will many inland cities. The navigable waterways about the city will make possible shipments from many points. Passenger transportation to nearby towns will be taken care of by the New Orleans Jitney Association.

Houston Headquarters Ready.

Special to The New York Times.

HOUSTON, Texas, Aug. 30.—Preparations have been made by the managers of the seventeen roads having headquarters here to meet the strike scheduled for Monday. Embargoes have been declared on live stock and perishable goods and all other freight is accepted subject to delay. The companies are preparing to man trains with employees who have been ordered to report for duty. The companies are preparing to man trains with employees who have been ordered to report for duty.

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LEHIGH VALLEY AVOIDS EMBARGO

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of Trade, was made by the Pennsylvania Railroad. The text of that road's announcement follows:

In view of the impending nationwide strike on the part of the conductors, firemen, and trainmen in the freight and yard service, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, Philadelphia, Pa., and the Lehigh Valley Railroad, and the West Jersey & Shore Railroad Company, Camden, N. J., have decided to issue the following embargo on freight, to apply to shipments from all points for all destinations.

Item No. 1—Effective at close of business Friday, Sept. 1: Embargo all shipments of live stock, including hogs, sheep, dressed beef, live and dressed poultry, fresh fruit and vegetables, and all other perishable goods, to be forwarded by rail.

Item No. 2—Effective at close of business Saturday, Sept. 2: Embargo all freight of all kinds from all points for all destinations.

As soon as practicable on and after Sept. 4, which is the date set for the strike to become effective, these embargoes will be modified to permit the resumption of the movement of foodstuffs and perishable goods, and all other freight, to be accepted as promptly as circumstances permit. It will not be possible, however, to give information on these matters until the railroad company has ascertained accurately on these matters the situation of the strike.

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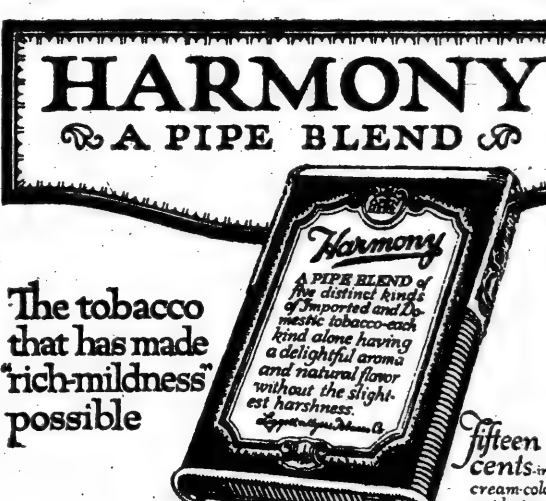
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Interview with High Official Indicates Change of Policy Toward America.

WANT MORE OF OUR GOODS
And Would Like to Open Way for Extension of Exports in Return.

MR. FRANCIS IS DUBIOUS

Ambassador Afraid Russia's Commitments with Allies Will Hamper the Project.

PETROGRAD, Aug. 30. (via London.)—Russia desires a renewal of trade treaty relations with the United States and would look with favor upon any effort in that direction, especially at the end of the war. In an interview accorded to the Associated Press by a high authority in the Foreign Office, who for reasons of policy preferred not to permit the use of his name, this statement was emphasized.

Replying to the question, "Does Russia desire an expansion of trade with the United States, and would she look with favor upon efforts to establish new trade treaty relations," the Foreign Office representative said: "That is evident. We know the power of American manufacturers, and as our needs are very great in that direction we should like if those things that we get from the United States could be still more easily had. We are now receiving machinery of all sorts—agricultural implements, steel tools, railway equipment, shoes and ready-made clothing—but it is not enough. We want more, and we would like very much if the representatives of American firms would come here and see what is necessary for the expansion of their every opportunity in this direction."

Seeks Export Trade. "Similarly, we should like to have the possibility of exporting to the United States such products as the United States may want from Russia—alcohol, artificial rubber, cotton, silk, leather, furs, feathers, and down, which we have in abundance. Naturally, if this trade is to develop, and even in the stage in which it is at present, a trade treaty would make things easier for both parties—importer and exporter."

"Therefore I say that we should look with favor upon any proposition that has as its object the re-establishment of trade treaty relations. When the war shall have finished we shall do whatever we can toward increasing exports to America."

Asked whether it was true, as reported, that the economic conference of the Allies at Paris had resulted in a division for the purpose of a trade relations adjustment after the war embodying certain groups, namely, Allies, neutrals, and enemy countries, the official said he knew nothing of such division, but declared that undoubtedly the allied countries would receive special consideration and preference.

The subject of President Wilson's appeal in behalf of the Poles was broached, and the Foreign Office official declared that the Emperor would be extremely happy to co-operate in any way possible.

President and Car. "His Majesty," said he, "is naturally interested in having his Polish subjects fed. When ethnism was first taken up, some time ago, we were not inclined to place obstacles in the way of such relief, but we had to consider the possible prolongation of the war and the possibility of the aid intended for the Poles being diverted to other purposes. Still, the Emperor declared to accept the situation as he found it, but England said there must be measures of control adopted. The Emperor refused to accept control. Then President Wilson wrote to the Emperor, and his Majesty was glad to be able to answer in most sympathetic terms of agreement, and he thanked President Wilson for the step taken."

In this connection the official was asked whether the change in the foreign portfolio meant a change in the Government's attitude toward the Poles, to which he replied: "No. Russian foreign policy is the dominion of the crown, so that no change in the ministry can be construed as meaning a change in foreign relations. Similarly, there can be no change in policy on the Polish question, which has already been decided by his Majesty and about which the act has not been published yet, due entirely to circumstances. Directly we have reacquired more Polish territory the act will be published."

Ambassador Francis Dubious. David R. Francis, the American Ambassador to Russia, when informed of the substance of the interview by the Associated Press with the high authority of the Foreign Office with regard to trade relations with the United States, manifested some surprise at what appeared to be a change in the attitude of the Foreign Office, inasmuch as immediately following the Ambassador's arrival here on April 8, he visited the Foreign Office and informed the then Foreign Minister, M. Sazonoff, that one of his objects, if not the main one, in accepting his mission to Russia was to negotiate a new commercial treaty, which he thought could be done acceptably by both countries, inasmuch as the passport regulations of the United States had been materially modified within the last six months.

M. Sazonoff informed Mr. Francis at that interview that Russia would not negotiate a commercial treaty with the United States or any other country until her relations with her allies were defined. Mr. Francis declined today to be interviewed concerning the im-

The War Situation

BY THE MILITARY EXPERT OF THE NEW YORK TIMES.

The news of yesterday from the new Rumanian front gives what may prove the key at least to the preliminary intentions of the Allied Staff with respect to the part which Rumania is to play in the war.

All of the fighting which has yet been done has been about the passes leading from Rumania into Hungary across the Transylvanian Alps. The greater part of it has been localized between a point west of the Rothenthurm Pass leading to Hermannstadt and the northwestern point of Rumania, which juts out into Austria near the boundary between Transylvania and Bukovina. It is near this latter point that the Rumanians and the Russians have first formed a junction. The probabilities are, however, that this junction was effected with but a comparatively small advanced body of Rumanians, as there are no passes in this section which would offer the facilities for the passage of any large body of troops with their impedimenta.

Further south, however, the Rumanians have taken things into their own hands and are apparently well on their way toward causing the Austrians south of the Carpathians considerable trouble. Operating from Platten as a base, the Rumanians yesterday struck a blow at Bekas Pass, forced their way through, and have, it seems, reached the valley of the Maros River, through which runs a railroad parallel to and about thirty miles from an average from the Rumanian coast. A small town on this road has been occupied.

In this connection the strategic railroads in this section are well worthy of a little study. In the first place, the entire Transylvanian border of Rumania is paralleled on the Hungarian side by a railroad. Both frontier the necessary from Rumania this main line is tapped in numerous places by subsidiary lines which branch out, connecting with the main railroad systems of the two countries. From the Rumanian side, beginning at the north, the first one crosses the mountains through Gyimes Pass, to Bucharest at a point north of Fossan for this purpose. The next crosses the Torna Pass, which is the entrance to the defenses of Kronstadt. The third goes through the pass at Rothenthurm, and leads to Hermannstadt.

This railroad, paralleling as it does the Austrian front, furnishes with its subsidiary branches to the west, an ideal supply line for the Austrian forces. It is a ready and rapid method of distributing supplies over the front and is connected with the principal railway bases in this region. It is equally important to the Rumanians if their immediate purpose is an invasion of Hungary, that section which runs along the Hungarian and south Rumanian border, and they are in a position to carry out their advance with almost absolute security. Their right flank in such a case would be linked up with the railway in southern Bukovina and their left would rest on their own frontier, so that both would be immune from attack.

Austria has reported that, due to an official statement given to The Associated Press, but said that he might say something to say after he had had an interview with the Russian Foreign Minister.

While a commercial treaty between the United States and Russia is desirable from many viewpoints, Mr. Francis said, "It does not seem essential to the maintenance of direct commercial relations between the countries. The imports from the United States to Russia have increased enormously in the last two years and give promise of a still further increase. Russia evidently appreciates what America is furnishing, notwithstanding the fact that the Government has put an embargo on the export of the imports of raw materials. In consequence of which exports to America have not grown proportionately. The imports of raw materials, in consequence of which the negotiation of a commercial treaty much more difficult."

ITALIANS EXTEND
THEIR ALPINE GAINS

Gain Further Ground at Monte Cauro and in the Felizon Valley.

ROME, Aug. 30. (via London.)—The Italian War Office today gave out this communication: Hostile artillery has fired on our positions continuously between the Adige and Brenta Rivers and also has shelled Ala, in the Lagarina Valley, Arsiero, Veto d'Avico and Seghe, in the Avico Valley.

In the Fassa area our Alpine troops have extended their occupation of the crest northeast of Monte Cauro, taking twenty-one prisoners, one trench mortar, and numerous rifles. The Austrian artillery opened a heavy fire on Cauro, which was effectively replied to by our guns.

At the head of the Felizon Valley and in the region of the Bolte our troops made a brilliant attack and carried some strong trenches on the northwestern slope of Punta del Valle and at the bottom of the valley. The enemy suffered heavy losses, leaving 117 prisoners, including 3 officers, in our hands.

Increases Old Age Pensions. LONDON, Aug. 30.—In response to the prolonged agitation regarding the hardships suffered by Government old age pensioners by reason of the increase in the price of necessities, the Government has decided to make special provision for an additional allowance not exceeding half a crown per week.

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BRITISH MAKE GAIN
NEAR MARTINPUICH

Extend Their Line Across a Small German Salient and Take Some Prisoners.

OTHER ATTACKS REPULSED

Berlin Reports that Severe Assaults in the Somme Region Were Beaten Off.

LONDON, Aug. 30.—In the much discussed operations on the Somme both sides say they have been successful. The British day report tells of repulsing German attacks, while the night bulletin tells of extending the line south of Martinpuich across a small salient.

The Berlin official statement says that attacks along a line from Ouliers to Posieres and between Guillemont and Maurepas last night, and also three back British detachments which penetrated the German positions at points north of Ouliers and Posieres. The afternoon bulletin of the British War Office reads:

"Bad weather continues. Operations last night again were confined to a few minor enterprises on different parts of the front. Two half-hearted attempts by the enemy to advance in the vicinity of Guillemont were easily frustrated. Detachments of our troops entered the German lines near Ouliers and Maurepas, and subsequently returned to our lines."

"We carried out successful raids, with no loss to ourselves, on the enemy's trenches near Neuville St. Vaast, inflicting casualties on the enemy and returning with eight prisoners. The official communication from British Headquarters issued tonight reads: 'South of Martinpuich we extended our line across a small salient, capturing some prisoners, the number of whom has not been ascertained. Thirty-eight other prisoners were taken in minor operations.'

Between the Ancre and the Somme, despite the adverse weather, there has been a deal of artillery activity on both sides. On the remainder of the front nothing occurred. The French official statement of the afternoon reads: 'According to recent reports, the German headquarters statement today says: 'In the Somme district enemy operations during the day were unable to achieve the result of an effective curtain of fire. During these operations both sides made considerable gains and losses. The British day report says: 'During the evening and night strong attacks followed from the line Ouliers to Posieres and between Guillemont and Maurepas, while attacking this sector to the Somme and the Ancre. The enemy was repulsed in all cases. Our positions were maintained without exception. On the Somme front, our brave troops again repulsed in heavy hand-to-hand fighting the English and French attacks which penetrated our positions at a few points. On the right bank of the Meuse, the French repulsed the enemy's attack against our positions between the village and Chapelle Wood, prepared for by violent artillery fire, again broke down. Southeast of Fleury the enemy was driven back by a counter-attack. North of Anche Brook and to the west of Milhousen one enemy aeroplane was shot down. Two aeroplanes were brought down by our anti-aircraft guns north of the Somme. Another was forced to land within our lines near Soyecourt."

LAYS FAY'S ESCAPE
TO A GERMAN PLOT

Warden of Atlanta Prison Believes the Bomb Plotter Received Aid from Outside.

SCHILLER TRIED TO ESCAPE

German "Private" Attempted to Escape While the Deutschland Was Here, but Was Shot Down.

Special to The New York Times. ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 30.—Warden Zerbst of the Atlanta Penitentiary today said that the escape of Lieutenant Robert Fay and William Knobloch was the result of a carefully worked-out plot and that their apprehension is going to prove difficult. No traces have been found of the famous prisoner.

"Fay was a man of too much intelligence," said Warden Zerbst. "And he was too shrewd to have attempted such an escape unless he was certain that the necessary arrangements had been made to take care of him and of his companion after he reached safety from the clutches of the guards."

The impression is growing in official circles in Atlanta that German sympathizers were behind the escape of the two men. It being pointed out that when the Deutschland was in Baltimore Harbor, Pirate Schiller, who "captured" the ship, was seen to make a dash for liberty and reached the outside of the prison before he was shot down, and that only the accident of running into a laborer on the outside prevented his clear getaway. He said he was trying to reach the Deutschland. Now the fugitives are expected at a southern port almost any day.

Guard Force. The alleged negligence of the guard was also mentioned. The two men, who had been working as electricians about the prison, appeared before a military guard and were admitted to the new prison wing upon which they were to be kept. They pretended they were to repair a number of lights about the grounds.

TURKS CLAIM VICTORY
IN THE CAUCASUS

BERLIN, Aug. 30. (via Sayville.)—Turkish troops are advancing step by step in the Caucasus and have broken the resistance of the Russians who occupied dominating heights, it was announced today by the Turkish War Department. One attacking Turkish detachment, it is said, found 1,000 Russian dead on the battlefield. The text of the Turkish statement says: "Near the Russian frontier in Persia the right Turkish wing repulsed the Russians who were encountered in the district of Develatabad, northeast of Bomedan. The Turkish right wing in the Caucasus broke the resistance of the Russians who occupied dominating heights. They are advancing step by step. One attacking detachment found 1,000 Russian dead on the battlefield, made 70 prisoners, and took more than 600 rifles."

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GERMANS HEAR 15,000
WERE KILLED IN RAID

Also Assert that London Asylums Are Filled With Insane as a Result of Recent Zeppelin Visits.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES. LONDON, Aug. 30.—London is taking the announcement of more stringent lighting regulations, beginning Sept. 1, with a calm and phlegmatic acceptance of the inevitable, however disagreeable. Nobody likes the present darkened streets, but even those persons who at one time thought the authorities were erring on the side of excessive precaution now agree that the balance of evidence seems to favor the official contention that uniform lighting regulations throughout the country deceive the Zeppelin commanders, to some degree at least.

It is pointed out here that the Germans will probably believe that the further reduction of lighting in London is an outcome of the British inability to drive the raiders away, but, as one paper observes, Germany is welcome to such satisfaction as she can derive from that incorrect assumption. The following report of the effect of the last Zeppelin raids in the Madgeburgische Zeitung, printed on "the authority of a neutral," is republished here with the remark that "one cannot fault the mind of a public among whom it is possible to print such stuff."

"Though the days of the last Zeppelin raid on London are over, the entire population of London is still living under the enormous impression of the catastrophe and the night of terror of April 25. The same conditions existed on the nights of Aug. 1 and 3."

"An English doctor who has made observations based on carefully collected data says that after each Zeppelin raid the number of insane increases in a most frightful manner. The sanatoriums and lunatic asylums are full to overflowing, so that the wounded from the Zeppelin find no room there."

"Some say that in the Zeppelin raid of Aug. 1 over 6,000 persons were injured. Others do not put the losses even as high as a tenth part of it. On the night of Aug. 3, 15,000 persons are alleged to have been killed. This is possible, though not probable. The estimates of the material damage caused also vary. Some say that the damage was £2,000,000, while others think it is safe to go only to £500,000. The main damage seems to have been caused in the district between the Charing Cross Bridge and the Waterloo Bridge, Somerset House and the Strand, then round the Tower, London Bridge, the Customhouse, and the City."

"The number of clerks and workmen rendered unemployed after each of these nights has increased enormously, but, on the other hand, within forty-eight hours they found employment elsewhere. "It has become necessary for every careful head of the family before going to bed to examine thoroughly the staircase leading into the large bedrooms, porters, and tenants thus meet every night on the way to the neighbor world. Of course, everybody who can afford it is leaving London."

DENY TIRPITZ MANIFESTO.

Berlin Says Retired Admiral Did Not Issue Naval Statement.

BERLIN, Aug. 30. (By Wireless to Sayville.)—According to a recent report, "the American press is concerned about a so-called manifesto of Admiral von Tirpitz having to do with naval warfare."

No such manifesto is known in Germany. Evidently there has been made of a private telegram of the retired Admiral with the object of estranging feeling between the United States and Germany."

In a report received by Secretary Lansing by mail Aug. 24 from James W. Gerard, American Ambassador at Berlin, the statement was made that a manifesto strongly advocating the immediate resumption of unrestricted submarine warfare on merchant vessels had been published in Berlin. The manifesto was attributed to Admiral von Tirpitz, but Secretary Lansing explained that Mr. Gerard's report did not specify whether it had been issued by Admiral von Tirpitz in person or by the Navy League which is a creation of von Tirpitz. Dispatches from London said that the document did not appear originally as a "manifesto," but in the shape of a letter to a correspondent in reply to a question regarding the future naval policy of the German Empire.

CUT OFF KAISER'S NAME.

Workmen in Rome Remove It from a Marble Memorial.

ROME, Aug. 30.—Workmen yesterday chopped off a marble memorial the names of Emperor William and the German Crown Prince, Frederick William, which had been placed in the senatorial palace on the ancient Capitol Hill during a visit of the German Emperor to Rome twenty years ago. The names were ordered removed by the City Government.

DUGOUT BOMBPROOF SHELTER. Not one in a hundred persons has an idea what a dugout bombproof shelter is, to say nothing of what it is like. The subterranean burrows of the new tactics of war are a new chapter in warfare. The entire construction and shape of a letter to a correspondent in reply to a question regarding the future naval policy of the German Empire.

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Men's Pajamas at 95c
Garments that have been selling all season at \$1.10. Made of fine quality mercerized fabrics in plain white and desirable colors.

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DIRECTORS UPHOLD THIRD AVENUE BOARD PUTS PRES- IDENT IN CHARGE OF NE- GOTIATIONS WITH MEN.

RISE SAID TO BE IMPOSSIBLE

Public Service Commission to Ask
Railway Head to Explain What
He Calls "Baseless Attacks."

Reported divisions among the directors of the Third Avenue Railroad Company, resulting from the recent strike of its service employees, were not evident yesterday when Frederick W. Whitridge, President of the company, attended the quarterly meeting of the board.

At the time Mr. Whitridge had met with the directors he had been called for a few days before the first of the strikes were called on the lines of the Third Avenue Company's subsidiary systems in Westchester County.

Mr. Whitridge received power from the board yesterday to take charge of the negotiations with the strikers, which have been in the hands of Edward A. Maher, Sr., Vice President and General Manager of the company, and he announced that he would meet a committee of the men at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

At 2 o'clock the same time the Third Avenue Railroad Company was not in a position to grant the increases in wages asked for, whatever might be its attitude on other demands.

As to the finding of the Public Service Commission that he had been responsible for the surface street car strike, Mr. Whitridge said that he had been called to the attention of the Public Service Commission during the strike.

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Ten Months' Contract to Feed Immigrants Awarded to J. J. Lussier.

Immigration Commissioner Frederic C. Howe announced yesterday that the contract for feeding the immigrants on Ellis Island had been awarded by the Secretary of Labor to J. J. Lussier, the New York caterer who operates the Yale Hotel and restaurant at Forty-third Street and Times Square.

The Commissioner said that, instead of making an agreement to charge a fixed price for each meal served to immigrants, which is paid by the steamship lines bringing them to this country, Mr. Lussier has contracted generally to supply the meals and labor under the direction of the Ellis Island officials.

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ROOT BELIEVES OF AFTER-NOON NATIONAL EFFICIENCY. HE SAYS AT BAR ASSOCIATION OPENING.

GARRISON SEES DANGERS Deplores Trend Toward Centralized, Paternalistic Government and Urges Campaign to Check It.

Special to The New York Times. CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—Ellis Root, President of the American Bar Association, opened the thirty-ninth annual conference of that organization in the Gold Room of the Congress Hotel this morning.

In an address of welcome, in which he emphasized the gravity of the present world crisis and the prominent position of the country in the affairs of the nation, Governor Edward F. Dunne, introduced by Albert D. Early, President of the Illinois Bar Association, paved the way for Mr. Root, who spoke on "Public Service by the Bar."

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20 LOST WHEN SHIP SINKS.

Only Six of the Admiral Clark's
Crew Survive Sea Disaster.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 30.—Twenty men of the crew of twenty-six of the American steamer Admiral Clark, which sailed from Port Arthur, Texas, for Buenos Aires Aug. 1, perished at sea when the steamer foundered Aug. 10 in a tropical hurricane.

Six survivors were rescued by the U. S. S. Albatross, which was on duty in the Gulf of Mexico. The survivors were taken to the U. S. S. Albatross, which was on duty in the Gulf of Mexico.

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SHIPPING AND MAILS.

Miniature Almanac for Today
[By the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey]
Sun rise, 5:20; Sun set, 5:32; Moon set, 7:30.

THE TIDES.
High Water. Low Water.
Sandy Hook. 9:02 8:17 2:37 3:18
Governors Island. 9:10 8:24 2:32 3:12
Hell Gate. 9:15 8:30 2:30 3:01

Arrived—Wednesday, Aug. 30.
SS Erie, Port Arthur, Aug. 29.
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Departed—Wednesday, Aug. 30.
SS Erie, Port Arthur, Aug. 30.
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Departed—Thursday, Aug. 31.
SS Erie, Port Arthur, Aug. 31.
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Departed—Friday, Sept. 1.
SS Erie, Port Arthur, Sept. 1.
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Departed—Saturday, Sept. 2.
SS Erie, Port Arthur, Sept. 2.
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Departed—Sunday, Sept. 3.
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Departed—Monday, Sept. 4.
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Departed—Tuesday, Sept. 5.
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Departed—Wednesday, Sept. 6.
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Departed—Thursday, Sept. 7.
SS Erie, Port Arthur, Sept. 7.
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Departed—Friday, Sept. 8.
SS Erie, Port Arthur, Sept. 8.
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Departed—Saturday, Sept. 9.
SS Erie, Port Arthur, Sept. 9.
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WEDNESDAY, AUG. 30. Shares. 664,576
Total sales 671,168
Same day last year 671,168
Year to date 109,977,718
Same period last year 97,676,022
Same period in 1914 41,989,158

Closing Bid.	Ask.	Sales.	First.	High.	Low.	Last.	Net Change.
55	100	100	54½	54½	54½	54½	-14
140	140	100	140	140	140	140	-14
13½	11,200	200	13½	13½	13½	13½	-14
67	100	100	67	67	67	67	-14
23	800	100	23½	23½	23½	23½	-14
18½	100	100	18½	18½	18½	18½	-14
57½	1,300	100	57½	57½	57½	57½	-14
60	7,400	100	60	60	60	60	-14
113½	1,400	100	112	113½	112	113½	-14
134	100	100	134	134	134	134	-14
53	100	100	53	53	53	53	-14
52	200	100	51½	51½	51½	51½	-14
28	400	100	28	28	28	28	-14
49½	1,200	100	49½	49½	49½	49½	-14
10	10,200	100	10	10	10	10	-14
7½	100	100	7½	7½	7½	7½	-14
96½	5,600	100	97½	97½	97½	97½	-14
110	800	100	110	110	110	110	-14
85	800	100	85	85	85	85	-14
113½	800	100	113½	113½	113½	113½	-14
121	800	100	121	121	121	121	-14
108	200	100	108	108	108	108	-14
45½	400	100	44	44½	43½	44½	-14
67½	2,200	100	67½	67½	67½	67½	-14
84½	20,800	100	84½	84½	84½	84½	-14
95½	100	100	95½	95½	95½	95½	-14
113½	2,300	100	113½	113½	113½	113½	-14
103	6,100	100	103	103	103	103	-14
84½	3,500	100	84½	84½	84½	84½	-14
19½	200	100	19½	19½	19½	19½	-14
85½	1,300	100	85½	85½	85½	85½	-14
30	7,800	100	30	30	30	30	-14
42½	2,100	100	42½	42½	42½	42½	-14
17½	1,700	100	17½	17½	17½	17½	-14
103½	2,000	100	103½	103½	103½	103½	-14
106½	2,300	100	106½	106½	106½	106½	-14
123	2,300	100	123	123	123	123	-14
123	2,300	100	123	123	123	123	-14
117½	1,000	100	117½	117½	117½	117½	-14
71	300	100	70	70	70	70	-14
46½	6,500	100	47	47	46½	46½	-14
148	300	100	148	148	148	148	-14
74	9,650	100	74	74	74	74	-14
240	2,800	100	240	240	240	240	-14
119	100	100	119	119	119	119	-14
45	800	100	45	45	45	45	-14
64½	100	100	64½	64½	64½	64½	-14
307½	5,700	100	307½	307½	307½	307½	-14
170	900	100	169½	169½	169½	169½	-14
124	2,800	100	122	124½	122	124	-14
11	2,800	100	11	11	11	11	-14
30½	3,600	100	30½	30½	30½	30½	-14
101	17,500	100	101	101½	101	101	-14
40½	300	100	40½	40½	40½	40½	-14
110	227	100	110	110	110	110	-14
103½	97,000	100	103½	103½	103½	103½	-14
41	5,040	100	41½	41½	40½	40½	-14
71	400	100	70½	71	70½	70½	-14

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PUBLIC UTILITIES

Transactions in Stocks and Bonds—Quotations for Railway, Light and Power Issues.

The following range of prices and closing quotations were reported to THE NEW YORK TIMES yesterday by dealers in public utility securities. The trading in these securities is done privately over the counter, and this report is given only for those securities which are reported by the dealers making them.

Stocks	High	Low	Bid	Asked
Am. L. & Trac. 1st 5s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
270 Cities Service 5s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
210 Cities Serv. 6s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
200 Comm. Pw. 5s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
200 Comm. Pw. 6s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
100 C. & O. 5s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
100 C. & O. 6s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
100 C. & O. 7s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
100 C. & O. 8s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2

Bonds	High	Low	Bid	Asked
8,000 Int. Ry. 5s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
P. 1st 5s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2

The following quotations were reported to THE NEW YORK TIMES yesterday by dealers in public utility securities:

Adirondack Electric Power	High	Low	Bid	Asked
Adirondack Electric Power	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American Cities 5s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American Cities 6s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American Cities 7s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American Cities 8s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American Electric 5s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American Electric 6s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American Electric 7s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American Electric 8s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American Public Utilities 5s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American Public Utilities 6s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American Public Utilities 7s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American Public Utilities 8s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 5s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 6s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 7s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
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American W. & A. 9s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 10s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 11s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 12s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 13s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 14s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 15s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 16s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 17s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 18s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 19s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 20s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 21s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 22s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 23s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 24s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 25s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 26s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 27s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 28s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 29s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 30s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 31s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 32s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 33s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 34s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 35s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 36s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 37s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 38s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 39s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 40s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 41s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 42s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 43s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 44s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 45s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 46s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 47s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 48s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 49s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 50s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 51s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
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American W. & A. 57s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 58s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 59s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 60s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
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American W. & A. 67s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 68s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 69s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 70s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 71s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 72s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 73s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 74s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 75s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 76s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 77s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 78s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 79s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 80s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 81s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 82s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 83s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 84s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 85s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 86s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 87s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
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American W. & A. 98s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 99s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
American W. & A. 100s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2

GOOD TONE IN LONDON.

American Shares Irregular Await Outcome of Railroad Situation. LONDON, Aug. 30.—Money was in increased demand and discount rates were quiet today. The net sales of Treasury bills last week were \$10,000,000, making the total outstanding \$4,500,000,000. The stock market had a good under-tone and maintained most of yesterday's gains. Business further expanded in Russian oil stocks, Japanese bonds and shipping shares, while the decline in Russian exchange from 147 to 142 stimulated all Russian securities. Business in other directions was meagre. American securities were irregular awaiting the outcome of labor unrest. Later Russian exchange moved sharply downward on further heavy buying orders and touched 135. The sellers forced the rate to 140 at which point it was very uncertain.

SHORT TERM NOTES.

Government and Municipal Issues	High	Low	Bid	Asked
Security Rate	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
Prov. of N. B. 5s	107 1/2	107 1/4	107 1/4	107 1/2
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